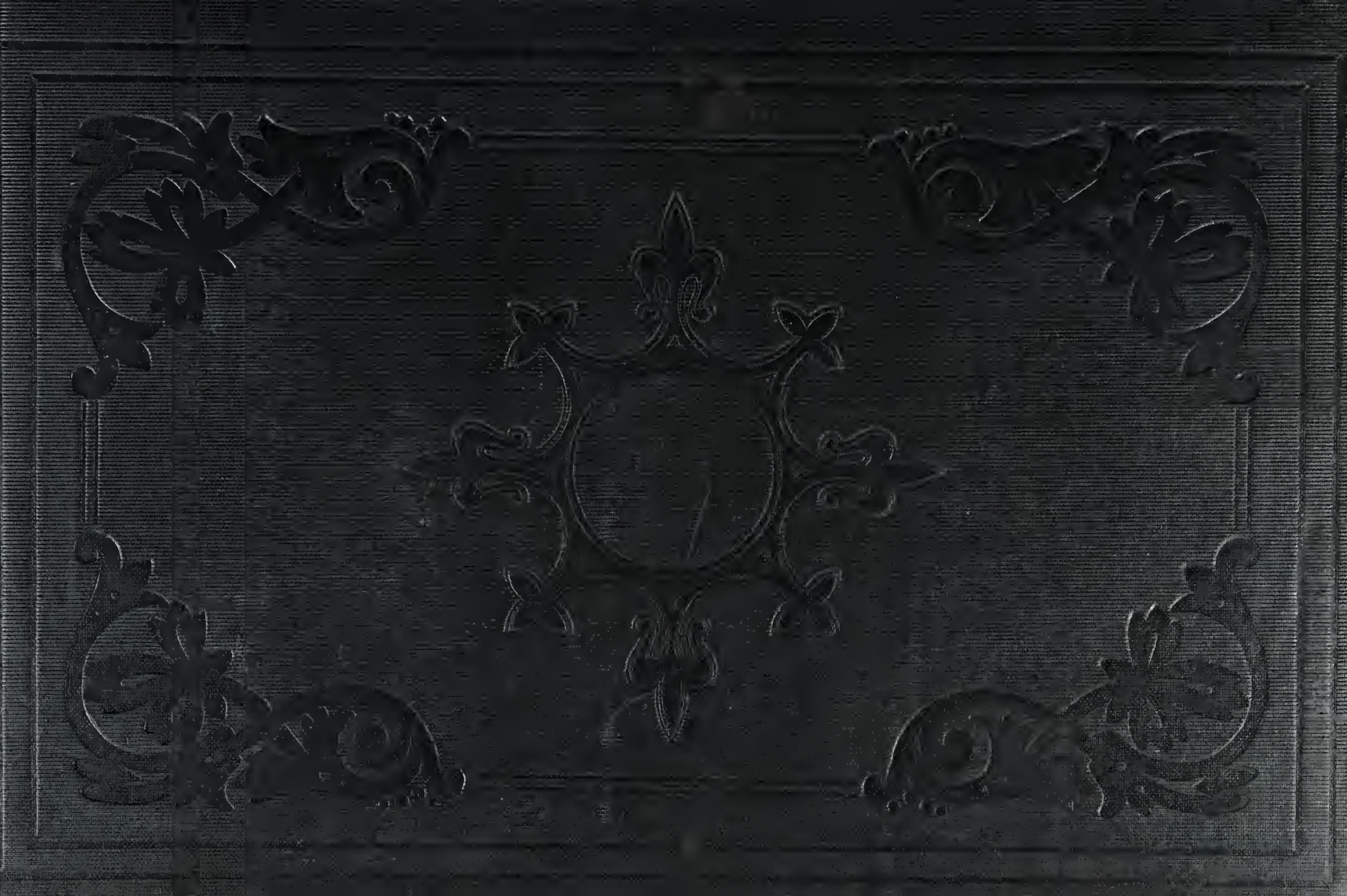

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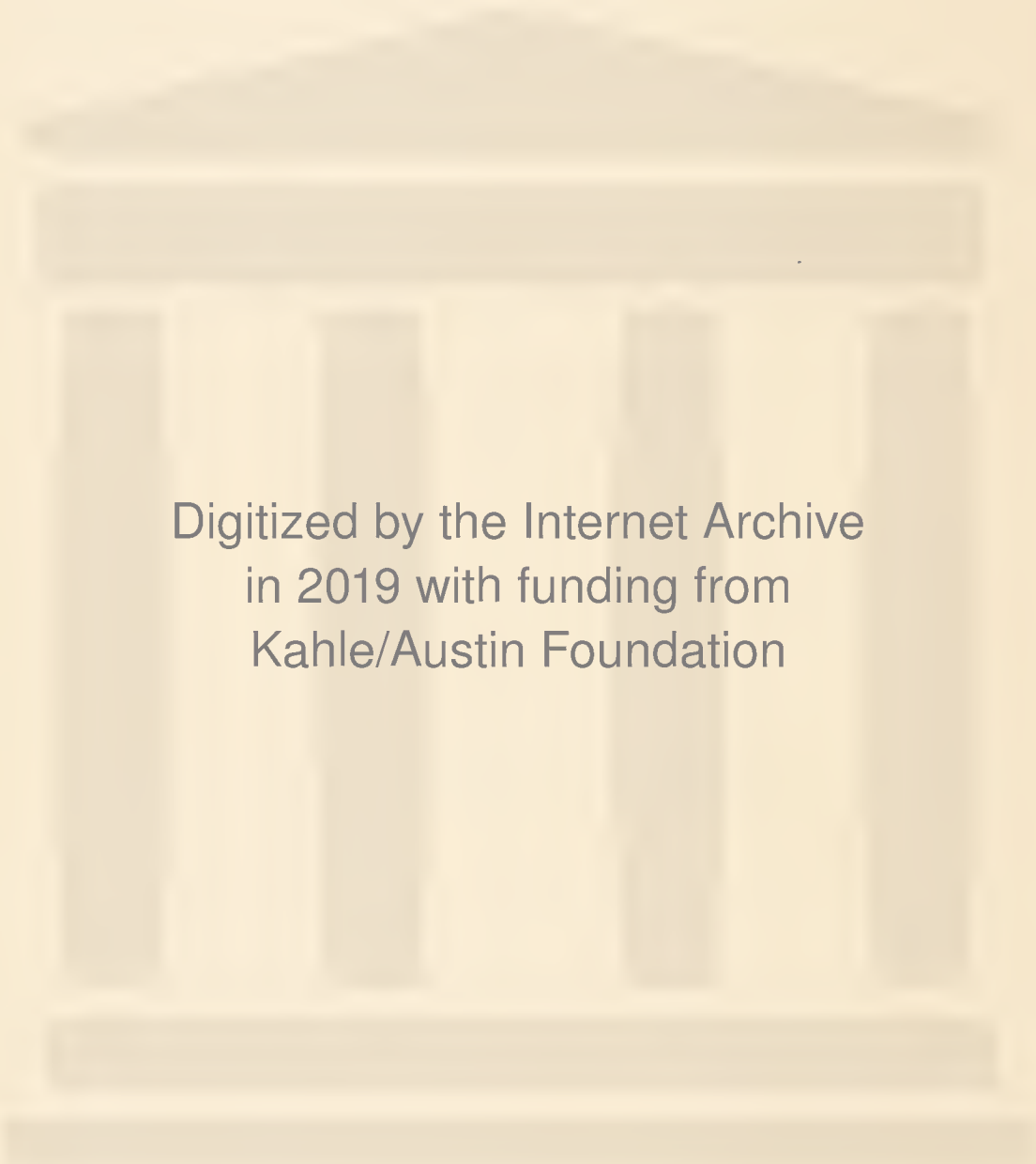

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INTRODUCTION.

The financial history of the reign of James II reverses the verdict which in the introductions to the preceding vols. of this Calendar has been passed upon Charles II's administration. That verdict declared that Charles's policy was national, that his administration was honest, that he was starved, cheated and betrayed by his Parliament and misunderstood by his people, that he was routed by Louis XIV in a diplomatic encounter which was as unscrupulous as any in the annals of the modern world, but that spite of all he fought a clean fight, remained unflinchingly true to his country and to himself, and died a gentleman.

If history is obliged, in the case of James II, to reverse this verdict it is entirely that monarch's own fault. We find at first some difficulty in understanding why his reign should have opened under such distinctly brighter financial auspices than Charles had enjoyed. It is impossible to be explained on the ground of James's personal popularity for he never was popular. The truth can only be that after the fury of the Popish Plot was past the nation's eyes were opened, it became conscious of the fact that Louis XIV had engineered the whole episode and had profited magnificently by it and that the success of the scheme had only been rendered possible by Charles II's impoverishment at the hands of a disloyal and factious Parliament. A mere reaction from a fit of religious fury would never have led the Parliament of James II to remedy the evil at its root, the financial evil at its financial root. Such action could only have been prompted by a clear conception of how deeply the nation had been befooled, and by a stern determination that it should not be so

again. The unanimity and decision of James's first, and only, Parliament would be otherwise inexplicable.

James II succeeded to the throne on the 6th Feb., 1685. His Parliament met on the 19th of May. On the 22nd, after three days spent in the formalities of swearing in, the Commons in Committee of the whole House and within a few minutes of listening to the King's speech, voted without a dissentient voice that the revenue which was settled on the late King for life be settled on his present Majesty for life. The significance of this vote may need emphasising. It is the last instance of its kind in English history. Roughly speaking, the revenue comprised under this vote consisted of the old Customs and Excise, all new impositions which would fall under either of these heads, the Hearthmoney, Post Office and a number of smaller miscellaneous hereditary and semi-feudal sources of revenue which in the accounts of the time are generally included under the heading of "small branches of the revenue."

When William III came to the throne all this revenue was granted for one year only ("*resolved*: that all those branches of the revenue which were due and payable by law in the reigns of King Charles II and King James II be collected to the use and service of the Crown until the 24th day of June, 1689, as by law they might have been during either of those reigns," 11 Mar., 1688–9, *Commons' Journals*, Vol. X, p. 46). But under James II the theory of the Constitution was still that of the Tudor monarchy. The executive, the administration of the country, was entirely in the hands of the King and the revenue which was granted him at the outset of a reign, for the maintenance of such executive, was really the King's by right, was hereditary; the grant was only a formality to betoken his entering into his own. Between the death of Charles II and the passing of the Act based on this vote of 1685, May 22 (the consequent Act for the Continuance of the Customs and Excise was pressed through with such expedition that it received the royal assent on May 30) an interval of $3\frac{1}{2}$

months had elapsed, during which there was theoretically no legal justification for demanding either Customs or Excise or Hearthmoney. But James had demanded them and collected them without any opposition from the mercantile or other classes concerned (see his explanation of the situation in his interview with Barillon 18 Feb., 1685, *Dalrymple,* Vol. II, Appendix, p. 100, "I have resolved to call a Parliament immediately. . . . I shall publish at the same time a declaration that I am to maintain myself in the enjoyment of the same revenues the King my brother had. Without this Proclamation for a Parliament I should hazard too much by taking possession directly of the revenue which was established during the lifetime of my deceased brother"). Accordingly when Parliament met this act of the executive was not challenged. The matter was passed over in silence. "In the affair of money," says Sir J. Reresby (p. 324), "men seemed content to settle a handsome revenue on the King and to give money; but whether this was to be a constant revenue or only temporary to be renewed from time to time, that Parliament might be consulted the oftener, was the question." In presenting the Bill to the King on May 30 the Speaker of the House of Commons used the following extraordinary language :— "We do now come in all duty to present to your Majesty the revenue you pleased to demand at the opening of this Parliament, wherein we proceeded with as much speed as the forms of passing Bills of that nature would admit. We bring not with it any Bill for the preservation or security of our religion which is dearer to us than our lives, in that we acquiesce, entirely rely and rest wholly satisfied in your Majesty's gracious and sacred word, repeated declaration and assurance to support and defend the religion of the Church of England as it is now by law established. We present this revenue to your Majesty without the addition of any conditional, appropriating or tacking clauses etc. and we humbly beseech your Majesty to accept of it " (*Lords' Journals,* Vol. XIV, p. 21).

Language more abject and servile than this was never used by any of Queen Elizabeth's Parliaments.

In the whole proceedings—they are indeed slight—on this Bill in the Commons there is not a trace of the slightest attempt at calculating the revenue needs of the Government. There was no estimate formed or even asked for as to what would be the normal yield or produce of the revenue so to be granted, nor as to what was the normal expenditure of the country. The whole thing was left passively in the hands of the King.

But there was more to come.

In thanking the House of Commons for this Act, James put them in mind of the departmental debts resting upon the executive: "After so happy a beginning you may believe I would not call upon you unnecessarily for an extraordinary supply. But when I tell you that the stores of the Navy and Ordnance are extremely exhausted; that the anticipations upon several branches of the revenue are great and burdensome; that the debts of the King my brother to his servants and family are such as deserve compassion; that the rebellion in Scotland without putting more weight upon it than it really deserves, must oblige me to a considerable expense extraordinary, I am sure such considerations will move you to give me an aid to provide for those things wherein the security, the ease and the happiness of my Government are so much concerned. But above all I must recommend to you the care of the Navy, the strength and glory of this nation."

By the side of the appeals which Charles II had made to his Parliaments, appeals that were pressing, manly, frank and completely justified, this appeal of James II to his first and only Parliament is tame and colourless, lacking at once in justification and in conviction. And yet it met with instant and unquestioning acquiescence. Indeed, more than that. The terms of the appeal were such that the Commons would have been perfectly justified in voting an aid calculated to raise once and all an amount

of, say, 2,000,000*l.* to wipe out the departmental debts (including, of course, the Household debts to Charles II's servants etc.), thus making the executive solvent and giving it an unhampered start for the new reign.

Instead of adopting this course, however, the Commons actually granted the King increments of his standing revenue. In other words, they increased the "King's own," his permanent hereditary revenue. That which James I had striven in vain to attain by the Great Contract, that which Charles II had begged of his Commons, insistently, beseechingly, convincingly, but always in vain, all this was granted to James II at the first time of asking. The only limitation was that these new grants, as will be seen, were limited to the period of eight years, 1685, June 24, to 1693, June 24.

The moment the Speaker had reported the King's speech to the Commons the House resolved itself into Grand Committee and after apparently a most perfunctory debate resolved to grant the King [for life] the duties on wines and vinegar which at three separate times (by the Acts of 19 and 20 Car. II, c. 6 ; 22 Car. II, c. 3 ; 30 Car. II, c. 2) had been granted to Charles II for specific restricted periods (*Commons' Journals*, Vol. IX, pp. 722–3, May 30). With equal precipitancy and complacency the Grand Committee on the following day resolved to grant the King [for life] additional duties on tobacco and on sugars* (*Ibid*, p. 724).

* There are many unwritten chapters in the complicated story of the English Customs duties. That relating to the duties on tobacco and sugars is an instance. Duties on these commodities appear in all the printed Books of Rates (viz. of the years 1611, 1642, 1660 and 1671). Such duties, therefore, would form part of the general corpus of "Customs and Subsidy" which at the commencement of a new reign was granted *en bloc* to the new Sovereign. But in the middle of Charles II's reign the Act for the Greenland and Eastland trade (25 Car. II, c. 7) conditionally imposed certain duties on sugars, tobacco, wool, indigo etc. of the growth of the English Plantations. These duties were to be paid at the port of shipment or export [that is in the Plantations] in cases where the shipper refused to give bond to bring the goods to England. The Act does not impose these duties in the English ports, but that they were levied at the English ports on importation is clear from the fact that from 1676 the Customs Cashier's accounts contain separate headings of receipts from Plantation goods [in England] and from ditto [in Plantation ports]. There appears to be no legal justification for this. The duties instituted by the above votes of 1 James II can only be regarded as additional to this Plantation bond duty. If this is so, there were three concurrent and cumulative rates on sugars and tobacco under James II, viz. (1) the Book of Rates duty ; (2) Charles II's Plantation duty ; (3) James' II's additional duty.

The Bill for the duties on wines and vinegars passed the Commons without opposition on June 3 (*Commons' Journals*, Vol. IX, p. 726), that is within three days of the original resolution. It passed the Lords on the 5th June without amendment (*Lords' Journals*, Vol. XIV, p. 32).

The treatment which was accorded to the companion measure, the Bill for a duty on sugars and tobacco, was equally cursory. It was rushed through the Committee stage in the Commons in a single afternoon (12 June, *Commons' Journals*, Vol. X, p. 734), was carried up to the Lords on the 15th June, read a first time in the Lords on that day, finally passed on the following day and on that same day, June 16, these two Bills of supply, the Wines and Vinegar Duties Act and the Sugars and Tobacco duties Act, received the royal assent.

Thus without the slightest deliberation and within three weeks of the opening of the session two important grants of supply had been made to reinforce the ordinary revenue of the Crown for a period of eight years. The little light that is thrown upon the debates by outside sources shows that the only subject of dispute arose over the proposal to tax Plantation sugar. Those members of the House who were interested in the Plantations opposed the proposal on the ground that it behoved England to foster the sugar trade in the Plantations in imitation of the French, who were then endeavouring to encourage that trade. At the same time the importers, merchants and grocers, attempted a factious opposition purely from their own trade standpoint, but they were easily dashed and put out of countenance by Sir Dudley North, then one of the Treasury Lords, to whom the scheme of this tax in particular is attributed :—

> "Divers proposals were made, some for a land tax on purpose that the duty might be unpopular; some for a tax upon new buildings; and others had their projects which they had little reason for. . . . Sir Dudley North took a strict account

> of all the commodities in trade from the Custom House books and considered which would best bear a further imposition, for if commodities are overrated it amounts to a prohibition. At last he thought fit to propose a tax of one farthing upon sugars and an halfpenny upon tobacco imported, to lie upon the English consumption only and not upon the export, and this as he estimated would yield the sum expected and would scarce be any burthen sensible to the people. In short, this tax was approved and voted at the Committee and a Bill directed which was drawn up and brought in." (North's *Life of Sir Dudley North*, pp. 377–9, and *Life of Lord Keeper North*, p. 377 ; *Reresby's Diary*, pp. 330-1.)

The third Act of Supply which passed this Parliament was intended, in its inception, not so much as a general reinforcement of the King's revenue as for the extraordinary occasion of suppressing the rebellion of the Duke of Monmouth. But although intended ostensibly to meet so temporary and extraordinary an occasion, the form which the supply finally took was a permanent one. The first proposal for this supply was made on June 17, the day following that on which the two preceding grants had received the royal assent. At first the new proposal took the form of a projected tax on new buildings in London and Southwark (*Commons' Journals*, Vol. IX, p. 739). Reresby's part in the debate on this proposal is a very interesting one :—

> "I spoke thrice in this debate, first in answer to the gentleman that said this was laying a tax for a public use upon one piece of a county and upon private persons ; to which I replied that this one county drained all England of its people, especially the North, our tenants all coming hither, finding by experience that they could live here better in a cellar or a garret than they could live in the country

> on a farm of 30*l.* rent; that hereby this little piece of England had laid a tax in a manner upon all the rest of England and was a nuisance to all the rest and therefore it was not so improper that it should be taxed separately and the rather because it was never taxed before or but once very little. Some moved that it should be laid for one year and a half, but that I opposed, for I said there were some few foundations taxed in Oliver's time and that tax was laid but for one year in the worst of times, and therefore we ought not now to lay it for a longer period in good times. It was moved that more money might be laid upon brandies towards this supply to the King; but this I spoke against, saying it was fit this [the new buildings fund] should be computed how much it would arise to before another fund was encumbered or more money voted to be raised."

On the following day, however, June 18, James sent an urgent message to the House desiring them to provide a good fund of credit [to borrow on] for a present sum of money, to answer the immediate charge of the rebellion in the West. Without hesitation or debate the House voted that a supply not exceeding 400,000*l.* be given to the King. Finding that the project of a tax on new buildings would take a considerable time to work out, estimate and enact, the House turned to the more ready alternative of a tax on certain imported commodities, French linen, brandies, calicoes and wrought silks (June 20, *Commons' Journals*, Vol. IX, pp. 742–3). It was resolved that on the credit of the fund thus allocated the King should be empowered to raise loans to an amount not exceeding 400,000*l.* (June 24, *ibid*, p. 747). In this form the Bill passed the Commons on the 25th June and was carried up (*ibid*, p. 749; *Lords' Journals*, Vol. XIV, p. 58). The Bill passed the Lords on the following day (*Lords' Journals*, Vol. XIV, p. 60) and received the royal assent on June 27.

This last Act of Supply, therefore, of the Session was passed through all the stages in both Houses in five days and received the royal assent within a week. And it is to be especially noticed that this Bill, though called into existence as a temporary and extraordinary supply for the purpose of suppressing Monmouth's rebellion, had a comparatively long time limit. The grant of these duties was to be for the five years from 1685, July 1, to 1690, July 1.

To complete this hasty sketch of the financial provision made by Parliament for James II it is only necessary to add the Bill for removing the prohibition of the import of French wines and vinegar. On the 18th June, Roger North was instructed to prepare such a Bill. It passed the Commons on the 25th, and the Lords on the 26th, and received the royal assent on the 27th June (*Commons' Journals,* Vol. IX, pp. 740, 748 ; *Lords' Journals,* Vol. XIV, pp. 57, 60, 65).

The importance of this last Act lies in the fact that the prohibition (in the Act for the Poll of the year 1677) of the import of French goods had produced a very serious shrinkage in the Customs receipts from 1677 onwards. The loss of revenue from this source alone was very great during the remaining years of Charles's reign. For the whole of those remaining years it has been even stated at 1,000,000*l.* The removal of the prohibition, therefore, meant that the Customs receipts would be enabled, and actually were enabled, to go back to their high water level of the years 1675–7.

Before concluding this list of the supply granted by Parliament to James II, reference must be made to the Coinage Duty Act. By the Act of 1 James II, c. 7, the two former Acts (of 18 Car. II, c. 5, and 25 Car. II, c. 8) were revived for seven years with the purpose of providing, as those two Acts had done, for practically free coinage of gold and silver. In order to meet the cost of such free coinage, Parliament had under Charles II granted the King

a new impost on certain liquors with the stipulation that the receipts should be applied to such coinage and that the accounts of such moneys should be kept separate from the general accounts of the Customs. It will be at once apparent that for all purposes of revenue and expenditure such a provision can be left out of account. Under both Charles II and James II these Coinage Duty Acts simply imposed a burden of so much on the King and found a supply of so much (the equivalent amount) to meet that burden. The grant was not therefore a grant of revenue nor was the expenditure a normal part of national expenditure.

This explanation is only necessitated by the fact that in the series of accounts below the Coinage duty will be found occupying a separate compartment or account from the General Customs account. As already said, this is due to the terms of the Act of Parliament referred to.

It almost takes one's breath away to compare such complacent, subservient, breakneck financial legislation with the treatment which for the preceding 15 years had been meted out to Charles II. Within three weeks the Parliament had voted James II a permanent hereditary income for life, which ultimately was proved to average over 1,500,000*l. per an.*; and over and above that it had voted three additional Acts of Supply which in their totality increased James's annual revenue by over 400,000*l. per an.*, thus bringing his actual income to nearly 2,000,000*l. per an.*, as against 1,200,000*l.* which the Restoration Parliament had promised to give to Charles II. And all this had been done without any estimate having been called for as to the national expenditure. When James II's Parliament voted him this money it had not the slightest idea what need there was for it or what use it would be put to. There was not a single clause of appropriation in any one of the Acts. No statement of departmental debts had been submitted to the House, nor any outline of

proposed expenditure for the future. The House of Commons simply shut its eyes and opened its mouth.

On the 2nd July the Parliament was adjourned to Aug. 4, and on that day again to Nov. 9. Even yet the reactionary wave which had made the Commons so subservient to the King had not spent itself, and when James approached them with a request for further supply the Commons were prepared to meet him. But this time James made the mistake of being explicit, of showing his hand. Taking Monmouth's rebellion as a pretext, he told the two Houses how he had increased the standing Forces and he asked for a supply for the support of this great charge "which is now more than double what it was" (*Lords' Journals*, Vol. XIV, p. 73, Nov. 9), at the same time telling the Houses quite plainly that he had retained in commission divers Catholic officers who had not qualified themselves by taking the Test. On their first subsequent meeting (Nov. 13) the Commons refused to pass a vote of thanks for the King's speech. It voted supply for the King's extraordinary occasions, but would not fix the quantum nor the appropriation—the proposal to appropriate the supply to the support of the Army being lost by 250 to 125. Then by a narrow majority, 183–182, it was decided to postpone the question of supply and to devote attention to the employment of Catholic officers (Reresby, p. 344; *Commons' Journals*, Vol. IX, p. 757). The account of this day's debate, as sketched in Clark's *Life of James II*, Vol. I, pp. 51–5, reveals the astounding fact that the Commons were aware of the needlessness of their generosity —that they had given the King four millions at once, that the present income was near two millions and the charge of Government not more than 1,300,000*l*. On the following day (Nov. 14) the Grand Committee resolved to indemnify the [Popish] officers as to the past, but to petition the King not to maintain them in employment. But so complacent and timid was the House still that this latter item was altered to the form "that his Majesty would graciously be pleased

to give such directions that no apprehensions or jealousies may remain in the hearts of his Majesty's good and faithful subjects." After drawing up an address to the King in the terms of these votes (Nov. 16) the Grand Committee of the Commons sat down to the consideration of supply. At first "200,000*l.* was moved to be given, then 400,000*l.* by the country gentlemen. The counties [by the mouth of Sir John Ernle, Chancellor of the Exchequer] insisted upon 1,200,000*l.* for paying the new raised Forces for five years. The House would not hear of that use for the money, lest it might prove an establishment of a standing Army; *but would give it to the King to be employed as he thought fit* [that is without mentioning the Forces, the service for which the money was intended: and so avoiding the semblance of giving a Parliamentary sanction to a standing Army]. At the last 700,000*l.* was named and granted to the King. In this debate the usefulness of a standing Army (till the rebellion or rather the ferment of it was perfectly quieted) was much insisted upon on one side; the danger of it and the inconveniences (especially considering the unruliness and insolence of soldiers, their ill example in the country and the burthen of free quarters) on the other. But all this was compromised in the declared intention of the House to make the Militia more useful, until which time it was agreed as a thing necessary that the Army ought to be kept up" (*Commons Journals*, Vol. IX, p. 758; Reresby, p, 346).

Accordingly on the morning of the following day, Nov. 17, the Commons went into Committee of Supply to decide on what funds to raise this sum of 700,000*l.* It was decided in the main to raise it by 400,000*l.* on East India and French linens and stuffs and brandies and that the duties already granted thereon should be prolonged for another five years from 1690, July 1, and by 300,000*l.* on French wines.

Having reached this point, the Houses adjourned to attend the King at Whitehall for his reply to their address.

The reply was quite as injudicious and much more ungracious than the original speech, which had stirred distrust in the breast of the Commons, "I did not expect such an address from this House of Commons." James absolutely refused to recede from his position.

Still, as far as the Commons were concerned, the position was not hopelessly lost for the King. On their reassembling on the following day, Nov. 18, Mr. John Cooke of Derbyshire, a gentleman of an estate of 3,000*l. per an.*, stood up in his place and said, "We are Englishmen and we ought not to be frighted out of our duty by a few high words." The House resented the words as an indecent reflection on the King and ordered the Serjeant at Arms to conduct Cooke to the Tower. Nay more: at the next sitting (Nov. 19) it actually returned to the question of supply, ordered the engrossing of the Bill on the lines abovesaid and with the insertion of a credit clause or borrowing power clause. Even at the last moment, therefore, the House of Commons still showed itself servile enough to vote a large supply without any explanation or justification as to its necessity, without any guarantee as to its application and in the face of a direct and deliberate affront from the King.

The Commons were, however, saved from draining the dregs of their own servility by the spirit of the Lords. On the same day, Nov. 19, on which the Commons had tamely resumed discussion of supply the Lords had taken up the consideration of the King's speech and of the employment of Popish officers. The debate was very warm and the King, who was present, as usual with him, was much concerned at the plainness of speech employed in it. The debate was adjourned until the following Monday (Nov. 23) and all the Lords in and about town were ordered to attend then under penalty. There is no doubt that the opposition was urged on by Louis XIV from a fear of the military force which James was developing and from a consequent wish to stir up domestic strife again in England. But James intervened. Rather than

undergo the humiliation of a hostile vote in the Lords he preferred to sacrifice the supply of 700,000*l.* which was already nearly perfected for him. On the following day, Nov. 20, he prorogued the Parliament and it never sat again. By five successive prorogations it was continued until 1687, Nov. 22, and it was finally dissolved on the 2nd July, 1687 (*Lords' Journals*, Vol. XIV, p. 88; *Dalrymple*, Vol. I, p. 87).

As far as English monetary legislation or grants of supply is concerned, there is probably nowhere in our history a more ludicrous instance of complacent subservience to the Court than is revealed in the above rapid sketch of the financial dealings between James and his only Parliament. Without the King's confiding in them at all, without his submitting an estimate to them, without the slightest justification for any or for all of his demands, the Commons met his wishes, voted supply in inconsidered and precipitate haste, exacted no guarantee as to the application of the money, inserted no appropriation clause, nor ever raised the question of accountability.

Such was the price which England paid for the reaction from the Popish Plot.

Before turning to the investigation of the figures of the revenue enjoyed by James II as a result of the above detailed legislation, and before describing the uses to which he applied that revenue, it is necessary to characterise the part he played in this Parliamentary transaction. For had the Commons known the extent of his duplicity they would not have been so servile and so precipitate in their grants to him.

On Feb. 18 [$=\frac{18}{8}$], two days after his accession, he sent Rochester to Barillon to explain that he would be dependent on the French King's subsidies and that he hoped for his help in order to be independent of Parliament —help which he said would engage him still more not to depart from the road which he used to think Charles II should have kept with regard to France. Before he heard

of this request Louis had already sent a present of 500,000 livres [40,640*l.* sterling] to James through his Ambassador Barillon. James's expressions of gratitude were unkingly in their fulsomeness. But this donation only whetted the English King's appetite. He sent (Feb. $\frac{24}{14}$) Rochester, Sunderland and Godolphin to Barillon to represent the necessity of his, James's, affairs and how much it imported him to receive supplies in the beginning of his reign. In the interview, Rochester appears to have aimed at obtaining a promise of renewal of the subsidy of 2,000,000 livres or 1,500,000 livres which Louis XIV had promised to Charles II in the last years of his reign. Failing to obtain any satisfactory assurance, James sent Lord Churchill to Paris (Feb. $\frac{17}{27}$) to request from Louis a present and considerable supply, and when Churchill failed, the King and his three ministers turned again upon Barillon (Mar. 10–15).

Our interest in this diplomatic wrangle lies not so much in the matter of the subsidy as in the revelation it throws upon the working of James's mind. It was represented to Barillon that a subvention from Louis was absolutely essential to enable him to meet his Parliament with firmness, and to resist the imposition of any conditions prejudicial to his authority which would undoubtedly be proposed when the House came to renew the grant of Charles II's revenue—especially any condition of time limit if there should be a disposition to grant the Customs etc. only for a year or for a certain period instead of for the King's life. Such a condition the King would resent so deeply that he would be prepared to break the Parliament and maintain himself by force in the enjoyment of the hereditary revenue ; and in order to this James looked for a subsidy from Louis, and so on and so on. Thus spake James through his ministers when he addressed Barillon.

When, a week later, he met the newly elected Parliament he addressed them as follows :—"I cannot doubt that I shall fail of suitable returns from you with all imaginable duty and kindness on your part and particularly in what

relates to the settling of my revenue and continuing it during my life as it was in the time of the King my brother. I might use many arguments to enforce this demand, from the benefit of trade, the support of the Navy, the necessity of the Crown and the well-being of the Government itself which I must suffer not to be precarious. But I am confident your own consideration of what is just and reasonable will suggest to you whatsoever might be enlarged upon this occasion. There is one popular argument which I foresee may be used against what I ask of you from the inclination men have for frequent Parliaments; which some may think would be the best secured by feeding me from time to time by such proportions as they shall think convenient. And this argument, it being the first time I speak to you from the throne, I will answer once for all; that this would be a very improper method to take with me and that the best way to engage me to meet you often is always to use me well. I expect, therefore, that you will comply with me in what I have desired and that you will do it speedily."

If the Commons showed no resentment of these extraordinary words, if they complied with servile alacrity in carrying out the King's wishes beyond even his expectations, it was only because they had not fathomed the depths of his duplicity and of his unfitness for rule. They did not know what he had said to Barillon.

It remains now to see what James's revenue was and what use he put it to.

In estimating his revenue we have two parallel sources of information which are set out in full in the following pages: the one source derived from the Exchequer Declarations gives in effect the net revenue: the other source, compiled by William Lowndes, gives both the gross and net revenue. There is in existence a third computation which was made for the Revolution Parliament in 1689. This latter statement (*Commons' Journals*, Vol. X, pp. 37–8) is as follows:—

	Per an. l.	s.	d.
The old Customs	577,507	12	10¼
Logwood, coal farm, salt farm etc.	19,500	0	0
Four and a Half *per cent.*	12,119	4	4
Excise	610,486	10	9
Hearthmoney, about	200,000	0	0
Post Office, about	55,000	0	0
Small branches of the revenue, about	26,350	15	5½
	£1,500,964	3	4¾
New impositions :—			
Wine and vinegar	172,901	10	8¾
Tobacco and sugar	148,861	8	0
Linen and brandies	93,710	8	1½
	£1,916,437	10	3

For the purposes of the above statement the yield of the new impositions is taken from the year 1687, Michaelmas, to 1688, Michaelmas ; and the yield of the old Customs and Excise is the average of the four years as follows :—

	l.	s.	d.
Old Customs, anno 1685	532,143	9	6½
,, ,, 1686	595,688	7	10½
,, ,, 1687	630,700	15	0½
,, ,, 1688	551,497	18	11¾
Yearly average	£577,507	12	10¼
Excise, anno 1685	567,064	12	7½
,, ,, 1686	581,664	4	8¼
,, ,, 1687	623,891	1	7½
,, ,, 1688	636,358	12	8½
Yearly average	£610,486	10	9

The more authentic and detailed net account of the revenue and expenditure as stated in the Exchequer half yearly Declarations (Auditors and Pells) is as follows :—

Table I.—Table of Exchequer Income.

	1685, Easter, to Michaelmas.			1685, Michaelmas, to 1686, Easter.			1686, Easter, to Michaelmas.	1686, Michaelmas, to 1687, Easter.	1687, Easter, to Michaelmas.			1687, Michaelmas, to 1688, Easter.			1688, Easter, to Michaelmas.			1688, Michaelmas, to 1689, Easter.		
	l.	*s.*	*d.*	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*			*l.*	*s.*	*d.*	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*
Customs	200,586	4	8	253,624	11	0	Account missing.	Account missing.	292,664	11	9	234,879	1	7	309,543	7	10	115,528	0	7½
Excise	235,022	7	3½	248,528	4	7			290,084	17	4	277,864	15	2	263,660	6	1	195,821	10	7½
Hearthmoney	39,489	18	2	49,318	19	0			121,836	19	9½	134,671	10	10	105,131	9	0	71,569	2	7½
Hearthmoney arrears	175	9	4	5	1	0														
Letter Office	28,638	6	3	31,280	3	10			29,617	2	2	31,910	4	5	30,723	14	2	23,000	1	0
Wine Licences	..			6,920	10	11½			1,825	0	0	3,825	0	0	367	18	0	1,453	10	6
Duchy of Cornwall	2,127	2	4	1,279	10	0			3,000	0	0	3,100	0	0	5,500	0	0	..		
Receivers General	..			..					29	10	0	..			201	12	3	..		
Duty on French linens etc.	5,868	4	11½	75,663	12	11			91,389	16	1	55,352	7	0½	41,422	8	10	40,884	0	7
Duty on wine and vinegar	934	2	3½	71,731	10	0½			81,725	6	0½	96,800	6	10	76,457	19	1	87,481	12	6
Duty on tobacco and sugars	6,618	13	2	54,906	2	2			115,755	19	8½	29,644	17	5½	123,156	17	5½	27,061	11	8½
First Fruits	..			1,500	0	0			500	0	0	1,250	0	0	250	0	0	1,450	0	0
Tenths of clergy	2,131	1	7	1,500	0	0			2,013	19	9	3,890	18	0	2,576	2	2	1,288	9	0
Fines of alienations	300	0	0	..					300	0	0	350	0	0	..			400	0	0
Rents reserved on various concessions	950	0	0	1,134	6	8			3,082	0	0	3,839	13	4	235	0	0	2,516	13	4
Fines of leases	402	0	0	27	6	10			288	17	1	42	9	8	5	11	8	8,503	8	4
Fines of alienations	..			260	0	0														
Sheriffs of counties	451	3	0½	715	18	11			572	6	3½	478	17	8	617	10	0	227	0	1
Sheriffs of cities and bailiffs of liberties	69	5	11	43	0	11			49	14	9	75	10	11	46	6	4	24	2	11
Fines etc. in Exchequer Court	1,400	14	5	4,587	12	4½			1,910	14	8½	3,113	10	3	2,864	2	7	998	6	11
Compositions in Exchequer Court	48	4	0	26	3	8			12	14	1	15	17	8	22	2	0	..		
King's Bench fines	133	6	8	1,074	8	10			570	0	0	280	6	6	..			131	4	6
Recusants	2,024	2	5	1,016	19	2½			48	8	1	40	0	0	..			..		
Rents of forfeited lands	229	13	6	146	16	8			..			..			..			..		
Forfeitures for treason	..			..					71	11	0	1,322	19	2	325	0	0	50	15	0
Lord Grey's lands	2,100	0	0	2,950	0	0			..			1,300	0	0	486	12	0	..		
Sale of woods	800	0	0	600	0	0			300	0	0	2,502	1	11	500	0	0	775	0	0
Profits of coinage of farthings	2,080	4	4	2,039	9	0			574	5	8½	..			1,800	0	0	..		
East India Company's present	10,750	0	0	..					..			..			..			..		
Loan money	2,000	0	0	27,500	0	0			..			..			..			..		
Loan on the Hearthmoney	18,000	0	0	5,200	0	0			..			..			..			15,000	0	0
Loan on the Excise	..			..					..			..			..			225,675	0	0
Loan on the French linen duty (afterwards on linen and tobacco combined)	149,303	0	0	56,523	0	0			85,570	0	0	129,800	0	0	51,138	6	9	44,900	0	0

Table of Exchequer Income—*cont.*

	1685, Easter, to Michaelmas.	1685, Michaelmas, to 1686, Easter.	1686, Easter, to Michaelmas.	1686, Michaelmas, to 1687, Easter.	1687, Easter, to Michaelmas.	1687, Michaelmas, to 1688, Easter.	1688, Easter, to Michaelmas.	1688, Michaelmas, to 1689, Easter.
	l. *s.* *d.*	*l.* *s.* *d.*			*l.* *s.* *d.*	*l.* *s.* *d.*	*l.* *s.* *d.*	*l.* *s.* *d.*
Loan on the Aid (1 William and Mary)	..	..	Account missing.	Account missing.	..	..	..	1,600 0 0
Arrears of the first part of the First Disbanding Act (30 Car. II, c. 1)	30 0 0	..			60 0 0	..	..	304 19 6
Ditto of second part of same	33 16 4	325 13 9			200 0 0	100 0 0	..	272 7 5
Ditto of second Disbanding Act (31 Car. II, c. 1)	..	..			434 10 9	..	..	..
In part payment of Sir W. Doyly's debt	245 0 0	..			100 0 0	104 7 9	..	..
Arrears of Poll	..	150 0 0			..	..	..	..
Fine on Richard Young	..	1,200 0 0			..	..	..	..
Fine on William Leake	..	266 13 4			..	..	..	..
Lands seized	..	0 13 4			537 13 9	..	..	..
Rent of lands	..	2 3 4			788 18 9½	22 16 8	37 4 6½	767 18 6½
Redemption of lands	..	..			..	100 0 0	..	..
Payments into the Exchequer by order of the King	..	15,000 0 0			2,700 0 0	..	..	..
The King's dividend in the Royal Africa Company	..	322 10 0			322 10 0	..	..	322 10 0
Ditto in the East India Company	..	750 0 0			..	750 0 0	2,500 0 0	..
Ditto in Hudsons Bay Company	..	..			..	..	..	150 0 0
Queen Dowager's dowry	..	23,630 0 0			..	..	..	..
Coinage duty	..	3,890 2 0½			10,300 0 0	11,000 0 0	7,012 10 0	6,600 0 0
Four and a Half *per cent.* duty in Barbados and the Leeward Islands	..	3,478 10 8			5,000 0 0	..	1,062 0 0½	7,500 0 0
Payment by Roger Whitley (Post Office defalcations)	..	7,630 15 4			..	..	..	..
Received out of the revenue of Ireland	..	10,000 0 0			14,254 15 5	..	10,944 4 8	..
Voluntary benevolence or collection for redemption of captives in Barbary	..	..			1,038 0 0	..	..	..

Table of Exchequer Income—*cont.*

	1685, Easter, to Michaelmas.	1685, Michaelmas, to 1686, Easter.	1686, Easter, to Michaelmas.	1686, Michaelmas, to 1687, Easter.	1687, Easter, to Michaelmas.	1687, Michaelmas, to 1688, Easter.	1688, Easter, to Michaelmas.	1688, Michaelmas, to 1689, Easter.
	l. *s.* *d.*	*l.* *s.* *d.*			*l.* *s.* *d.*	*l.* *s.* *d.*	*l.* *s.* *d.*	*l.* *s.* *d.*
King's part of recovery from the Hispaniola wreck ..	..	..	Account missing.	Account missing.	20,872 10 7	..	4,000 0 0	9,021 18 6
Receipts from the revenue of Barbados	..	..			450 0 0	..	..	800 0 0
Sede vacante temporalities of the archbishopric of York	..	..			1,106 13 11½	1,000 0 0	984 19 11½	230 0 0
Payment by Lord Ossulston (Post Office defalcations).	..	..			4,000 0 0	4,000 0 0	..	..
Fine on George Speke ..	..	..			1,000 0 0	..	..	..
Fine on Thomas Gouldsmith	..	..			100 0 0	..	..	..
Fine on divers persons ..	..	..			..	7,121 4 6½	351 6 8	..
Paid in by Henry Guy ..	..	..			300 0 0	..	1,089 0 0	..
Imprests repaid	..	..			13 7 9	..	1 12 2	..
Issues of jurors	..	..			8 0 0	6 3 4	4 10 0	..
Arrears of subsidy (1671) ..	..	..			133 6 8	..	..	..
Arrears of Poll [? 1677 or 1666]	..	..			410 0 0	175 1 0	..	..
Arrears of Royal Aid ..	..	..			200 0 0	260 0 0	..	..
Arrears of Additional Aid .	..	..			..	140 0 0	..	..
Arrears of Eleven Months' Assessment	..	..			30 0 0	..	62 8 3	..
Arrears of Seventeen Months' Assessment	..	..			..	..	..	1,247 7 7
King's private revenue as Duke of York before his accession	..	..			..	900 0 0	331 15 0½	800 0 0
Forfeiture of a ship	..	..			..	3,161 0 2	..	..
Payments by Hackney Coaches Commissioners (*redd' cur' aurigationum*).	..	..			..	166 13 4	..	198 11 3
Sale of lands	..	..			..	..	200 0 0	..
Sale of fee farms	..	..			..	..	..	29 6 4
Sale of stores	..	..			..	..	251 12 3	..
Conscience money	..	..			..	..	..	200 0 0
	713,037 19 4½	1,017,189 15 2½			1,188,154 2 0	1,045,065 15 2½	1,054,865 9 9½	924,784 9 4¾

Table II.—Table of Expenditure.

	1685, Easter, to Michaelmas.			1685, Michaelmas, to 1686, Easter.			1686, Easter, to Michaelmas.	1686, Michaelmas, to 1687, Easter.	1687, Easter, to Michaelmas.			1687, Michaelmas, to 1688, Easter.			1688, Easter, to Michaelmas.			1688, Michaelmas, to 1689, Easter.		
	l.	*s.*	*d.*	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*			*l.*	*s.*	*d.*	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*
Privy Purse	9,750	0	0	16,200	0	0	Account missing.	Account missing.	13,000	0	0	15,500	0	0	18,000	0	0	6,755	0	0
Cofferer of the Household	22,100	0	0	30,500	0	0			47,998	10	1	44,540	3	4	35,000	0	0	19,419	15	9¼
Master of Robes	..			1,780	4	3			1,250	0	0	2,850	0	0	1,250	0	0	625	0	0
Great Wardrobe	..			2,000	0	0			15,912	7	9½	11,614	6	4	7,000	0	0	4,196	0	0
Treasurer of the Chamber	7,558	10	0	14,311	17	5			32,165	17	1	20,522	8	1½	21,606	4	8½	6,749	15	0
Stables	..			4,700	0	0			8,420	18	1¼	11,100	0	0	4,587	9	0	1,850	0	0
Works	10,145	7	10½	13,997	12	1½			9,507	12	7½	12,562	17	3	11,631	13	4	5,590	14	2½
Navy	176,882	17	5	178,521	12	11			235,774	0	1¼	234,206	0	10¼	213,976	0	11	232,068	0	1
Ordnance	36,800	0	0	35,000	0	0			51,500	0	0	49,775	16	7	62,551	13	2	58,354	16	11½
Lieutenant of Tower	..			551	4	0			521	8	2	474	8	5	231	9	4	..		
Band of Gentlemen Pensioners	..			6,000	0	0			3,153	12	9	4,500	0	0	2,998	0	0	..		
Mint	4,000	0	0	2,234	15	8			9,937	10	0	11,462	10	0	6,787	10	0	6,262	10	0
Lord President of Privy Council	750	0	0	375	0	0			750	0	0	1,125	0	0	375	0	0	375	0	0
Lord Privy Seal	724	0	0	736	0	0			900	0	0	1,100	0	0	364	0	0	..		
King's Jeweller	5,000	0	0	7,000	0	0			1,000	0	0	1,500	0	0	4,000	0	0	900	0	0
King's Goldsmith	5,500	0	0	4,587	0	0			4,000	0	0	7,363	17	0	..			..		
Ambassadors	10,912	10	5	13,656	3	10			11,508	17	6	18,527	5	5	15,368	9	1	6,502	0	0
Secret Service (Secretaries of State)	5,450	0	0	11,549	13	0			10,650	0	0	3,000	0	0	1,500	0	0	5,140	0	0
Army	224,498	8	11*	296,600	11	1			308,900	0	0	238,465	9	9½	321,135	4	8¾	621,426	9	11
Tangier	17,125	15	0	7,000	0	0			..			..			..			..		
Governor of St. Christopher	..			3,478	10	8			..			..			..			..		
Governor of Barbados	..			815	6	7½			..			..			..			..		
Secret service, rewards etc.	50,036	13	2¼	61,534	16	3½			56,337	17	3½	70,362	14	8¾	53,774	0	8	13,661	7	5
Extraordinaries	32,612	1	10	33,538	0	0			9,063	13	10¾	11,180	5	11¼	16,693	3	2¾	..		
Repayments of loan money and interest and gratuity thereon	55,043	13	1	86,202	13	4½			151,931	2	4	130,107	6	7	167,786	5	7¾	82,364	17	10½
Liveries of Exchequer	1,415	18	9	899	3	9			230	5	3	1,754	14	5	338	16	5¼	257	4	7
Annuities and fees, by privy seal	3,191	5	5	19,895	11	9			22,269	16	3¼	21,046	4	2¼	15,840	0	0	4,895	0	0

* *Sic* ? 237,998*l.* 8*s.* 11*d.*

Table of Expenditure—*cont.*

	1685, Easter, to Michaelmas,	1685, Michaelmas, to 1686, Easter.	1686, Easter, to Michaelmas.	1686, Michaelmas, to 1687, Easter.	1687, Easter, to Michaelmas.	1687, Michaelmas, to 1688, Easter.	1688, Easter, to Michaelmas.	1688, Michaelmas, to 1689, Easter.
	l. *s.* *d.*	*l.* *s.* *d.*			*l.* *s.* *d.*	*l.* *s.* *d.*	*l.* *s.* *d.*	*l.* *s.* *d.*
Annuities and Fees, by debentures	20,351 6 $8\frac{1}{2}$	47,720 12 $11\frac{1}{2}$	Account missing.	Account missing.	75,334 9 $5\frac{1}{4}$	67,974 16 $10\frac{1}{2}$	42,861 7 $10\frac{1}{4}$	18,896 14 $9\frac{1}{4}$
Messengers of Exchequer and Chamber	1,075 0 0	651 2 8			343 10 8	508 2 8	745 4 8	138 11 4
Payments on Second Disbanding Act	150 3 7	10 15 11			435 0 0	..	..	..
Prince of Wales	..	..			..	..	3,000 0 0	..
	700,079 0 $1\frac{1}{2}$	901,949 17 $5\frac{1}{2}$			1,082,796 9 $4\frac{1}{4}$	1,093,124 8 6	1,029,402 9 $4\frac{1}{4}$	1,096,428 17 11
Assignations on divers branches of the revenue..	38,761 19 $10\frac{1}{2}$	22,778 8 4			29,320 6 11	21,721 19 5	16,613 13 10	210,379 3 $3\frac{1}{2}$*

* Of which 202,175*l.* represented loans repaid to the city and to C. Duncombe.

Table III.—Statement of Income and Expenditure according to the Exchequer Declaration.

	1685.	1686.	1687.	1688.
	l. *s.* *d.*		*l.* *s.* *d.*	*l.* *s.* *d.*
Income	1,730,227 14 7	Account.	2,233,219 17 $2\frac{1}{2}$	1,979,649 19 $2\frac{1}{4}$
Expenditure (not including the Assignations)	1,602,028 17 7	missing.	2,135,920 17 $10\frac{1}{4}$	2,125,831 7 $3\frac{1}{4}$

Only a close acquaintance with the forms of Exchequer accounting will enable a proper use to be made of the above last two preceding tables (which are of course similar in form and in origin to the tables of revenue and expenditure consistently printed throughout in the introductions to the successive volumes of the present Calendar). Certain forms or items of revenue never reached the Exchequer at all, being arrested half way and diverted into issues or payments by means of tallies of anticipations. Also the payments into the Exchequer from the Customs and Excise and Hearthmoney represent not only net receipts (that is after deducting salaries and expenses of management), but even represent those net receipts still further diminished by tallies of *pro*. For instance, certain annuities (to the Duke of York, to the Queen Dowager and the bankers' debt interest) were paid at the Excise Office by tallies of *pro* or assignation and these payments should be added to the total Exchequer receipts in calculating the full actual yield or receipt from the Excise. And so for the Customs etc. It is very fortunate that for the whole of the reign of James II we possess a quite independent contemporary computation of the revenue. This was made by William Lowndes, who during this period was a Treasury clerk, but subsequently became Secretary to the Treasury. He is well known for his Essay for the amendment of the silver coin 1695 etc., and was manifestly a master of national finance.

For some purpose which is not yet clear, Lowndes compiled a yearly account of the revenue and expenditure from 1679 onwards, and after an eventful history the manuscripts containing these valuable accounts now repose safely in the Bodleian. On account of the fact that they represent quite a different statement and method of computing the national revenue, they are here printed in abstract for the period covered by the present volume. It will be noticed that under each head of Departmental revenue Lowndes gives (1) the cash balance in hand at

the opening of each half year; (2) the receipts classified according to the respective accounts or years or half years to which they belonged. It is therefore abundantly clear that he must have had access to the books of each of these Departments, for this information and classification could not have been drawn from the Weekly Certificates or from the half yearly Declarations. It is this fact which gives such value to these statements by Lowndes, for some of the material on which they were based is no longer existent. These statements, for James II's reign, are as follows :—

Mich., 1684, to 6 Feb., 1684–5, under Treasury Lords,
and
6 Feb., 1684–5, to Lady day, 1685, under Treasurer Rochester.

	l.	*s.*	*d.*	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*
Customs—						
Remains	8,166	1	1¾			
Receipts proper to the account of the year ended 1684, Sept. 29	52,370	3	8			
Receipts proper to current year	112,523	2	9¼			
				173,059	7	7
Receipts, account Feb. to March				76,808	5	7
Excise—						
Remains	9,371	14	6¼			
Receipts proper to year ended at 1684, Midsummer	1,976	10	8			
Receipts proper to year from Midsummer, 1684	196,675	11	7¼			
				208,023	16	9½
Feb.–Mar. account				79,504	8	4¾

	Remains. *l.* *s.* *d.*	*Receipts.* *l.* *s.* *d.*	*Receipts. Feb.–Mar.* *l.* *s.* *d.*
Hearthmoney	*nil.*	38,410 13 9	24,879 10 9

	Remains. *l.* *s.* *d.*	*Receipts.* *l.* *s.* *d.*
First Fruits	8 5 2½	500 0 0
Tenths		765 16 5
Ditto Feb.–Mar.		140 3 0

	Remains. *l.* *s.* *d.*	*Receipts.* *l.* *s.* *d.*	*Receipts. Feb.–Mar.* *l.* *s.* *d.*
Divers small branches—			
Compositions	38 5 4½	17 3 10	1 3 4
King's Bench fines	22 6 0	1,249 6 3	..
Recusants' money	6 0 0	410 2 4	84 6 8
Proffers	18 12 7½	747 11 9½	71 5 11
Coinage duty	1,186 0 7	..	..
Fine on Daniel Gate	..	100 0 0	..
Rent of Recusants' lands	..	200 0 0	..
Wine licences	..	2,600 0 0	..

	Remains.	*Receipts.*	*Receipts.* Feb.–Mar.
	l. *s.* *d.*	*l.* *s.* *d.*	*l.* *s.* *d.*
Goods seized	..	1,837 1 0½	445 19 8
Cornwall Duchy	..	2,234 2 2½	..
Fines of alienations	..	350 0 0	..
Lands seized	..	0 13 4	..
Rent of lands	..	2 3 4	..
Rent of lighthouses	..	26 13 4	..
Sea coal (4*s.* duty)	..	500 0 0	..
Fines of leases	..	7 5 2	0 18 10
Sale of wood (woods)	..	600 0 0	1,200 0 0
Rent of Bombay	..	10 0 0	..
Unwrought wood	..	450 0 0	..
4½ *per cent.* duty	..	600 0 0	..
Rents of Lord Grey's lands	..	3,000 0 0	..
Export of woollen cloth	..	..	1 0 0
	1,271 4 7	16,213 7 2½	1,804 14 5

	Remains.	*Receipts.*	*Receipts, Feb.–Mar.*
	l. *s.* *d.*	*l.* *s.* *d.*	*l.* *s.* *d.*
Casual money	8,816 10 0¼	3,203 17 4½ (Redemption of captives; Doyly's debt; imprests repaid.)	400 0 0

	Remains.	*Receipts.*	*Receipts, Feb.–Mar.*
	l. *s.* *d.*	*l.* *s.* *d.*	*l.* *s.* *d.*
Arrears of Taxes—			
Twelve Months' Tax	47 16 11	100 0 0	..
Second Disbanding Act	153 9 6	200 0 0	..
Loans	*nil.*	67,000 0 0 (Duncombe, E. Sheldon, T. Hall, Lord Churchill.)	20,000 0 0 (Duncombe.)

Receipts and Payments made by Tallies [of pro].

	To Feb. 6.	*From Feb.* 6.
	l. *s.* *d.*	*l.* *s.* *d.*
First Fruits	2,500 0 0	..
Tenths	2,087 10 0	..
Profits, Alienation Office	500 0 0	..
Profits of Hanaper	10 0 0	27 4 7
	5,097 10 0	

Expenditure.

	To Feb. 6.	*From Feb.* 6.
	l. *s.* *d.*	*l.* *s.* *d.*
Navy	67,018 16 7	32,869 6 6
Ordnance	29,000 0 0	3,000 0 0
Forces	85,500 0 0	32,500 0 0
Tangier	18,656 2 9	..
Household	28,800 0 0	5,000 0 0

Expenditure—cont.

	To Feb. 6. l.	s.	d.	From Feb. 6. l.	s.	d.
Treasurer of Chamber	5,687	16	9¼	200	0	0
Wardrobe and Mr. Knight	1,809	2	0		..	
Robes	1,500	0	0		..	
Works	11,356	7	2		..	
Foreign ministers	5,390	9	6		..	
Stables	3,598	11	1			
Sundry fees and salaries	14,025	18	2	330	2	8¾
Pensions in respect of places	5,518	1	0	..		
Pensions in lieu of diets	1,236	0	0	..		
Other pensions and annuities	34,922	8	0	19,175	7	7
Band of Pensioners	146	0	7½		..	
Bounties in gross sums	3,200	0	0		..	
Secret services	19,137	19	0	2,300	0	0
Management of Customs	12,716	0	8½	8,800	10	4½
Management of Excise	8,813	4	0	3,655	0	0
Privy Purse and Healing gold	6,723	17	0½		..	
Mint	1,000	0	0		..	
Loan repayments, principal, interest and discount	122,670	14	0½	50,531	15	0
Redemption of captives	4,060	0	0		..	
Jewels and plate	231	18	3		..	
Contingencies not reducible to foregoing heads	5,245	12	4½	147	16	11

Lady day, 1685, *to Midsummer*, 1685.

	l.	s.	d.	l.	s.	d.
Customs—						
Remains	14,837	3	2¾			
Receipts	169,726	2	11½			
				184,563	6	2¼
Excise—						
Remains	17,917	1	11½			
Receipts	362	14	6*			
Receipts (current quarter)	156,459	2	2¾			
				174,738	18	8¼
Hearthmoney—						
Remains	10,790	4	6			
Receipts on half year due Mich., 1684	34,532	2	4½			
Receipts on half year due at Lady day, 1685	12,398	10	3			
Receipts (Arrears)	135	14	1			
				57,856	11	2
Letter Office—						
Receipts (arrears due before 1685, Lady day)	7,446	15	3			
Receipts (current quarter)	11,115	3	4			
				18,561	18	7
First Fruits—						
Remains	15	3	0			
Receipts	750	0	0			
Tenths	2,482	16	3			
				3,232	16	3

* Proper to the account of the preceding year ended 1684, June 24.

	Arrears.			*Receipts.*			*Total.*		
	l.	*s.*	*d.*	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*
Divers small branches—									
Compositions on Exchequer	56	12	6½	5	14	0			
Goods seized	259	3	8	701	14	5½			
Cornwall Duchy	60	0	0	1,100	0	0			
Recusants' money	284	6	8	236	0	6			
4½ *per cent.*	600	0	0	..					
Sale of woods	1,200	0	0	1,300	0	0			
Coinage (Doyly)	1,186	0	7	..					
Coinage of tin farthings	..			4,448	5	5			
Wine licences	..			2,184	13	11			
Fines of leases	..			20	0	0			
Unwrought wood	..			225	0	0			
Proffers	..			410	17	2½			
Sea coal (4*s.* duty farm rent)	..			500	0	0			
Lord Grey's rents	..			2,600	0	0			
Profits of alienation, per tall[y]	..			250	0	0			
	3,646	3	5½	13,982	5	6	17,628	8	11½

Casual money—	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*
Remains	7,131	13	4			
Forfeiture for treason	229	13	6			
				7,361	6	10

	Remains.			*Receipts.*			*Total.*		
	l.	*s.*	*d.*	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*
Arrears of Taxes—									
Second Disbanding Act	26	14	5½	186	18	8½			
Second part of First Disbanding Act	..			33	16	4			
				220	15	0½			

Loans—	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*			
Remains	9,200	8	9½			
Receipts (W. Harbord)	2,000	0	0			
				11,200	8	9½

[*Expenditure.*]

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Navy	89,347	12	11
Ordnance	21,000	0	0
Forces	76,500	0	0
Tangier arrears	1,125	15	0
Household	15,100	0	0
Treasurer of Chamber	2,083	0	0
J. Knight for provisions	5,000	0	0
Works	9,711	19	8
Foreign ministers	15,434	17	2
Sundry fees and salaries paid at the Receipt	11,098	9	10¾
Pensions in respect of places	1,250	0	0
Pensions in lieu of diets	610	0	0
Other pensions and annuities paid at the Exchequer	14,604	18	9½
Bounties in gross	12,136	0	6
Secret services—			
Guy	12,774	9	11
Sunderland	1,000	0	0
Middleton	500	0	0
Management of Post Office	569	3	0
Management of Customs	9,323	6	4¼
Management of Hearthmoney	2,202	0	0
Management of Excise	6,360	17	11¼
Privy Purse	[*nil. Sic.*]		
Mint	,,		

[*Expenditure—cont.*]

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Jewels and plate	2,000	0	0
Loan repayments, principal and interest	65,221	7	0*
Ditto current—			
(on the Customs)	6,679	7	10
(on the Excise)	9,879	11	1
(on the Hearths)	2,920	0	0
(on the other small branches)	4,948	5	5
(on the arrears of taxes)	146	3	7
Redemption of captives	1,000	0	0
Contingents	3,245	15	2

* "Paid in further part of the debt of 549,747*l.* 9*s.* 0¼*d.* which was due by tallys on the three great branches on the 6th of Feb., 1684–5."

1685, *Midsummer, to* 1685, *Michaelmas.*

	l.	*s.*	*d.*	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*
Customs—						
Remains				18,135	19	10
Receipts				135,411	13	6
						153,547 13 4
French linens—						
London	2,626	8	1			
Outports	473	8	1			
				3,099	17	11½
Brandies—						
London	4,263	0	0			
Outports	42	7	1¾			
				4,405	7	1¾
						7,505 5 1¼
Wine and vinegar—						
London				938	6	1
Outports				29	16	2½
						968 2 3½
Tobacco and sugar—						
London				12,652	10	6½
Outports				760	0	0
						13,412 10 6½
Excise—						
Remains				31,563	15	9½
Receipts, arrears for year to 24 June, 1684				170	19	5
Receipts, arrears for year to 24 June, 1685				91,265	10	6½
Ditto (current quarter)				68,583	3	2
						191,583 8 9
Hearthmoney—						
Remains				2,252	8	4
Receipts				55,831	15	4
				161	0	0
						58,245 3 8
Letter Office—						
Remains				4,380	9	8
Receipts due before 1685, June 24				2,546	2	3
Receipts (current)				14,939	1	11
						21,865 13 10

	Remains.			*Receipts.*			*Total.*		
	l.	*s.*	*d.*	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*
First Fruits	72	19	3	750	0	0			
Tenths		..		3,910	15	4			
	72	19	3	4,660	15	4			
							4,733	14	7

	Remains.			*Receipts.*			*Total.*		
	l.	*s.*	*d.*	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*
Divers small branches—									
Compositions in Exchequer	62	6	6½	42	10	0			
Goods seized	724	0	3½	789	9	3			
Duchy of Cornwall	489	3	8	2,027	2	4			
Recusants' money	434	6	8	1,788	1	11			
Wine licences	2,084	13	11	..					
Proffers	42	13	9¼	109	11	9			
Coinage (Doyly)	1,186	0	7	..					
Sale of tin farthings	..			2,080	4	4			
King's Bench fines	..			133	6	8			
Fines of leases	..			402	0	0			
Fines of alienations	..			300	0	0			
Wood farm	..			225	0	0			
Lord Grey's rents	..			400	0	0			
Profits of alienations, per tally	..			250	0	0			
	5,023	5	5¼	8,547	6	3			
							13,570	11	8¼
Casual money—									
Benevolence money for redemption of captives	5,731	13	4	..					
Sir W. Doyly's debt	200	0	0	245	0	0			
Moneys forfeited for high treason	229	13	6	..					
East India Company's present	..			10,750	0	0			
	6,161	6	10	10,995	0	0			
							17,156	6	10
Arrears of taxes—									
Second part of First Disbanding Act	33	16	4	..					
Second Disbanding Act	67	9	7	..					
First part of First Disbanding Act	..			30	0	0			
	101	5	11	30	0	0			
							131	5	11
				l.	*s.*	*d.*	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*
Loans—									
Remains				3,916	13	9½			
Receipts on French linen				149,303	0	0			
Receipts, several (T. Hall, on Hearth-money, etc.)				18,000	0	0			
							171,219	13	9½

Expenditure.

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Navy	115,119	6	6
Ordnance	20,800	0	0
Forces	161,498	8	11
Tangier	16,000	0	0
Household	7,000	0	0
Treasurer of Chamber	6,878	0	0
Wardrobe	4,000	0	0
Works	4,720	7	10½
Foreign Ministers	8,119	6	2
Fees and salaries paid at the Exchequer	6,070	15	4
Pensions in respect of places	4,200	0	0
Pensions in lieu of diets	614	0	0
Pensions and annuities paid at the Exchequer	16,528	10	5½

Expenditure—cont.

	l.	s.	d.
Bounties in gross sums	13,500	0	0
Secret services (Guy, Fox and Sunderland)	33,344	1	4
Management of Customs	10,884	6	7¾
Management of Excise	6,230	0	0
Management of Hearthmoney	886	4	4
Management of Post Office	1,951	0	11
Privy Purse and Healing gold	9,750	0	0
Mint	4,000	0	0
Jewels and plate (Rosse and Vyner)	8,500	0	0
Loan repayments—			
Principal and interest in further part of debt of 549,747*l.* 9*s.* 0¼*d.* as in preceding statement (*l.* 65,500 0 0)			
Ditto (current) (*l.* 21,653 2 0)			
	87,153	2	0
Redemption of captives	1,615	3	0
Contingencies	3,109	10	5

1685, *Mich.*, *to* 1686, *Lady day.*

	l.	s.	d.	l.	s.	d.
Customs—						
Remains	20,074	17	10¼			
Receipts (preceding account)	48,796	0	3¼			
Receipts(current)	241,280	11	10¾			
				310,151	10	0¼
Wine and vinegar—						
Remains	968	2	3½			
Receipts (preceding account)	419	1	7			
Receipts (current account)	70,256	12	9			
				71,643	16	7½
Tobacco and sugar—						
Remains	13,412	10	6½			
Receipts (preceding account)	10,105	15	10½			
Receipts (current account)	37,337	0	6½			
				60,855	6	11½
French linens—						
Remains	2,957	10	2¼			
Receipts (preceding account)	1,841	18	8½			
Receipts (current account)	47,085	2	11¼			
Brandies	13,995	8	4½			
				65,880	0	2½
Excise—						
Remains	20,175	0	10½			
Receipts (preceding account)	179	8	8½			
Receipts (preceding account)	7,104	16	7¼			
Receipts (current account)	279,083	17	10¼			
Receipts over payments	1,230	12	8½			
Receipts not yet credited	4,000	0	0			
				311,773	16	9
Hearthmoney—						
Remains	7,840	15	10			
Receipts (arrears)	400	11	0			
Receipts (arrears)	1,273	2	8			
Receipts (arrears)	34,746	16	9			
Receipts (arrears)	5	1	0			
Receipts (current)	70,601	14	1			
				114,868	1	4
Letter Office—						
Remains	5,449	7	8			
Receipts (arrears)	3,730	18	7			
Receipts (current)	34,257	12	6			
				43,437	18	9

Expenditure—cont.

	l.	*s.*	*d.*	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*
First Fruits—									
Remains				763	2	1			
Receipts	1,000	0	0						
Receipts (per tallies) ..	3,159	4	0						
Tenths—									
Receipts (cash)	1,939	4	10						
Receipts (per tallies) ..	4,265	16	0						
				10,364	4	10			
							11,127	6	11

	Remains.			*Receipts.*			*Total.*		
Divers small branches—	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*
Compositions in Exchequer	104	16	6½	26	3	8			
Goods seized	198	1	8	4,347	18	8½			
Recusants' money ..	2,222	8	7	1,016	19	2½			
Wine licences	2,084	13	11	4,624	12	10½			
Proffers	0	6	3¼	758	19	10			
King's Bench fines ..	133	6	8	1,407	15	6			
Fines of leases	402	0	0	27	6	10			
Coinage (Doyly) ..	1,186	0	7	..					
Coinage duty		..		3,890	2	0½			
Sale of tin farthings ..		..		2,039	9	0			
Lands seized		..		0	13	4			
Wood farm		..		450	0	0			
Rent of Bombay ..		..		10	0	0			
Ulnage of cloth		..		4	10	0			
Duchy of Cornwall (revenue)		..		230	0	0			
4½ *per cent.* duty ..		..		3,478	10	8			
Rent of lands		..		2	3	4			
Profits of alienations in money		..		260	0	0			
Profits of alienations in per tallies of pro ..		..		750	0	0			
Sale of woods		..		600	0	0			
Coal (4*s.* duty)		..		500	0	0			
Coal (1*s.* duty)		..		2	13	4			
Rent of lighthouses ..		..		6	13	4			
Rent of Carolina ..		..		93	6	8			
Rent of export of woollen cloth		..		0	10	0			
Profits of Hanaper (per tallies)		..		37	4	7			
King's Bench fine (R. Young)		..		1,200	0	0			
Lord Grey's rents ..		..		2,950	0	0			
	6,331	14	2¾	28,715	12	11			
							35,047	7	1¾

	l.	*s.*	*d.*	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*
Casual money—									
Remains	15,541	3	10						
Receipts—									
Paid in by the King, per W. Shaw ..		..		10,000	0	0			
R. Whitley (award).		..		7,630	15	4			
Estates forfeit for treason		..		146	16	8			
King's East India Co. dividend ..		..		1,072	10	0			
Revenue of Ireland		..		10,000	0	0			
Queen Dowager's portion		..		23,630	0	0			
				52,480	2	0			
							68,021	5	10

	Remains.			*Receipts.*			*Total.*		
	l.	*s.*	*d.*	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*
Arrears of taxes—									
First part of First Disbanding Act	30	0	0	..					
Second part of First Disbanding Act ..	33	16	4	325	13	9			
Second Disbanding Act	63	9	7	..					
	127	5	11	325	13	9			
							452	19	8

	l.	*s.*	*d.*	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*
Loans—									
Remains	7,825	15	1½						
On French linen			..	105,223	0	0			
Kingdon (fictitious)			..	27,500	0	0			
Hall			..	4,000	0	0			
Ernle			..	1,200	0	0			
							145,748	15	1½

Expenditure.

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Navy	162,663	14	1
Ordnance	28,500	0	0
Forces	279,125	18	10
Tangier	7,000	0	0
Household	30,500	0	0
Treasurer of Chamber	14,311	17	5
Wardrobe	1,000	0	0
Robes	1,780	4	3
Works	13,997	12	1½
Stables	4,200	0	0
Foreign ministers	13,881	3	10
Sundry fees and salaries paid at the Exchequer	26,310	4	4½
Pensions—Complete list: ([Exchequer] Customs, Excise, Post Office, First Fruits (tallies), Tenths (tallies), Alienation Office, Hanaper)	79,636	9	1½
Band of Pensioners	3,000	0	0
Bounties in gross	19,250	0	0
Secret services (Guy, Middleton, Fox, Sunderland, Preston) ..	71,272	5	3½
Management of Customs	21,939	5	9½
Management of Excise	9.758	0	0
Management of Hearthmoney	1,310	0	0
Management of Post Office	4,259	14	10
Privy Purse and Healing Gold	16,200	0	0
Mint	2,234	15	8
Jewels and plate	10,587	0	0
Loan repayments—			
Principal, interest and discount, in part of 549,747*l.* 9*s.* 0¼*d.* [*ut supra*]	129,617	16	3
Ditto (current)	85,336	14	11
	214,954	11	2
Redemption of captives	1,000	0	0
Bills of impost	96	12	0
Contingencies of divers natures	9,606	9	8

End—rest blank.

Lady day, 1686, to *Michaelmas*, 1686.

	l.	*s.*	*d.*	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*
Customs—						
Remains	10,344	1	8¾			
Receipts	358,746	3	9			
	9	0	11			
				369,099	6	4¾

	l.	*s.*	*d.*	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*
French linens—						
Remains	5,714	16	1½			
Receipts	56,409	4	10¾			
Brandies	20,298	14	1½			
				82,422	15	1¾
Wines and vinegar—						
Remains	30,558	12	9½			
Receipts	68,563	18	8¾			
	2	0	0			
				99,124	11	6¼
Tobacco and sugar—						
Remains	60,855	6	11½			
Receipts	116,949	12	6			
				177,804	19	5½
Excise—						
Remains	12,414	2	8			
Receipts	325,465	6	4½			
				337,879	9	0½
Hearthmoney—						
Remains	7,849	17	5			
Receipts	105,368	13	0			
				113,218	10	5
Letter Office—						
Remains	1,453	10	0			
Receipts (arrears)	321	12	8			
Receipts (current)	37,970	2	9			
				39,745	5	5
First Fruits—						
Receipts	1,205	0	0			
Receipts (per tallies)	425	0	0			
Tenths—						
Receipts	3,121	18	2½			
Receipts (per tallies)	2,500	0	0			
				7,251	18	2½

	Remains.			*Receipts.*			*Total.*		
	l.	*s.*	*d.*	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*
Divers small branches—									
Goods seized	128	13	5½	3,117	14	7			
Coinage money or duty	1,655	6	4½	6,000	0	0			
Coinage money (Doyly's debt)	1,186	0	7		..				
Recusants' money	546	9	3½	289	0	8			
King's Bench fines	815	19	1½	8,397	0	0			
Compositions in Exchequer	9	5	0½	33	15	0			
Rent of lands	0	6	8		..				
Fines of leases	7	0	6		..				
Proffers	21	4	9¾		..				
Wine licences		..		2,295	18	1			
Duchy of Cornwall (revenue)		..		4,466	6	6½			
4½ *per cent.*		..		3,278	10	8			
Wood farm		..		450	0	0			
Proffers		..		551	1	7½			
Coal (4*s.* duty)		..		500	0	0			
Fines of leases		..		7	2	2			
Lord Grey's estate		..		2,500	0	0			
Rent of lighthouses		..		320	0	0			
Fines of alienations		..		500	0	0			
Fines of alienations, per tally of pro		..		250	0	0			
Ulnage of cloth		..		12	0	0			
	4,370	5	10¼	32,968	9	4			
							37,338	15	2¼

	Remains. l.	s.	d.	*Receipts.* l.	s.	d.			
Casual money—									
East India Co.'s present	1,250	0	0	10,750	0	0			
King's East India Co. dividend	750	0	0	750	0	0			
King's Africa Co. dividend	322	10	0	..					
Queen Dowager's portion	12,000	0	0	..					
Redemption of captives	316	10	4	..					
Col. Whitley	7,630	15	4	7,630	15	4			
Irish revenue	6,880	0	0	..					
Sir W. Doyly's debt ..	15	0	0	..					
Paid by the King into Exchequer	..			8,676	18	3			
Baronet fee	..			1,095	0	0			
Paid in by H. Guy for the King	..			667	16	7½			
Imprest repaid	..			300	0	0			
	31,964	15	8	29,870	10	2½			
							61,835	5	10½

	Remains. l.	s.	d.	*Receipts.* l.	s.	d.	*Total.* l.	s.	d.
Arrears of taxes—									
First part of First Disbanding Act	30	0	0	..					
Second part of First Disbanding Act ..	54	12	1	660	0	0			
Second Disbanding Act	52	13	8	..					
Poll (1666)	..			30	2	0			
Last Poll (1677) ..	..			950	0	0			
	137	5	9	1,640	2	0			
							1,777	7	9

	Remains. l.	s.	d.	*Receipts.* l.	s.	d.	*Total.* l.	s.	d.
Loans	24,939	8	11	..					
On linen	..			86,714	0	0			
On tobacco	..			29,000	0	0			
	24,939	8	11	115,714	0	0			
							140,653	8	11

Expenditure.	l.	s.	d.	l.	s.	d.
Navy							205,071	3	5
Ordnance							36,500	0	0
Forces	314,400	13	4						
To Fox for arrears	14,500	0	0						
To Stapleton for Leeward Islands	2,778	10	8						
							331,679	4	0
Tangier for arrears							23,424	0	0
Household							30,300	0	0
Treasurer of Chamber							13,102	0	3
Wardrobe							8,000	0	0
Robes							2,500	0	0
Works							15,080	0	0
Stables							3,500	0	0
Foreign ministers							11,482	12	2
Sundry fees and salaries paid at the Exchequer							31,585	4	3½
Arrears of late King's servants							92,911	12	6¼
Pensions: full list							73,794	12	1½
Band of Pensioners							4,500	0	0
Bounties in gross							4,196	16	8

Expenditure—cont.

	l.	s.	d.
Secret service	51,498	15	4¾
Management of Customs	24,126	3	10¾
Management of Excise	11,139	10	0
Management of Hearthmoney	1,693	3	11
Management of Post Office	3,589	0	3
Privy Purse and Healing gold	11,000	0	0
Mint	7,205	6	4½
Jewels and plate	5,400	0	0
Loan repayments—			
Principal, interest and discount, in part of 549,747*l.* 9*s.* 0¼*d.*, as before	53,108	5	9
Ditto (current)	138,436	15	10
	191,545	1	7
Redemption of captives	2,000	0	0
Contingencies	11,120	5	11½

Michaelmas, 1686, *to Lady day*, 1687.

	l.	s.	d.	l.	s.	d.
Customs—						
Remains	12,504	12	6½			
Receipts (arrears)	49,523	10	0			
Receipts (current)	221,328	16	2¾			
				283,356	18	9¼
French linens—						
Remains	3,618	9	4¾			
Receipts (arrears)	7,007	14	7½			
Receipts (current)	34,254	3	0¼			
Brandies	22,135	8	3½			
				60,008	0	8½
				[67,015	15	4]
Wine and vinegar—						
Remains	9,191	12	1¼			
Receipts (arrears)	11,755	12	9¼			
Receipts (current)	90,861	6	9			
	23	0	0			
				111,831	11	7½
Tobacco and sugar—						
Remains	90,558	3	6¼			
Receipts (arrears)	13,682	4	6¼			
Receipts (current)	37,748	15	7¾			
				141,989	3	8¼
Excise—						
Remains	26,987	14	9			
Receipts	306,474	5	2			
				333,461	19	11
Hearthmoney—						
Remains	12,992	2	1			
Receipts	104,084	6	7			
	16	3	0			
	162	3	7			
				117,254	15	3
Post Office—						
Remains	3,154	13	6			
Receipts	37,612	9	4			
				40,767	2	10
First Fruits—						
Remains		..				
Receipts	840	0	0			
Receipts (by tallies of pro)	2,500	0	0			
Tenths—						
Receipts	3,359	0	11½			
Receipts (tallies of pro)	3,425	0	0			
				10,124	0	11½

	Remains.			*Receipts.*			*Total.*		
	l.	*s.*	*d.*	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*
Divers small branches—									
Goods seized	23	13	1½	4,291	12	9			
King's Bench fines ..	2,742	13	9½	2,233	18	9			
Compositions in Exchequer	9	1	8	817	10	2			
Recusants' money ..	89	0	8	925	10	2½			
Cornwall Duchy ..	12	11	2	302	0	2			
Coinage duty (Doyly) .	1,186	0	7	..					
Coinage duty	..			8,950	0	0			
4½ *per cent.* duty ..	..			4,982	0	0			
Wine licences	..			3,309	11	0			
Coal (4*s.* duty)	..			500	0	0			
Coal (1*s.* duty)	..			1	6	8			
Sheriffs' proffers ..	..			663	16	2			
Unwrought wood ..	..			450	0	0			
Fines of leases	..			166	7	6			
Rent of lands	..			9	13	4			
Rent of Carolina ..	..			13	6	8			
Rent of lighthouses ..	..			46	13	4			
Rent of Bombay ..	..			10	0	0			
Sale of woods	..			800	0	0			
Issues of jurors	..			6	0	0			
Lands seized	..			0	13	4			
Lord Grey's rents ..	..			1,000	0	0			
Export of woollen cloth	..			1	10	0			
Sale of tin farthings ..	..			5,500	0	0			
York archbishopric temporalities	..			1,000	0	0			
Alienation fines (in money)	..			350	0	0			
Alienation fines (in tallies)	..			500	0	0			
Profits of Hanaper (by tallies of pro) ..	..			37	4	7			
	4,063	1	0	36,868	14	7½	40,931	15	7½

	Remains.			*Receipts.*			*Total.*		
	l.	*s.*	*d.*	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*
Casual money—									
East India Co. (present)	10,750	0	0	..					
East India Co. (King's dividend)	750	0	0	..					
Queen Dowager's portion	9,483	15	6	..					
Redemption of captives	1,116	10	4	304	2	0			
Col. Whitley	8,865	6	9	..					
Paid in by the King's command	2,378	4	6	..					
Out of the Irish revenue	6,880	0	0	6,000	0	0			
King's dividend in the Royal Africa Co. ..	..			322	10	0			
A wreck on the coast of Scilly	..			1,524	19	10½			
Product of a bar of silver	..			198	4	0			
In part of Doyly's debt	..			100	0	0			
	40,223	17	1	8,449	15	10½	48,673	12	11½

	Remains.			*Receipts.*			*Total.*		
	l.	*s.*	*d.*	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*
Arrears of taxes—									
Second Poll (1666) ..	30	2	0	2	3	0			
Last Poll	290	0	0	468	16	11			
First part of First Disbanding Act	30	0	0	200	0	0			
Second Disbanding Act	6	8	9	354	14	10			
Second part of First Disbanding Act ..		..		4,480	0	0			
Eighteen Months' tax (1661)		..		103	3	6			
	356	10	9	5,608	18	3			
							5,965	9	0
	l.	*s.*	*d.*	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*
Loans—									
Remains	..			55,122	11	1			
Receipts—									
On French linen ..	28,600	0	0						
On French linen and tobacco jointly ..	39,090	0	0	..					
				67,690	0	0			
							122,812	11	1

Expenditure.

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Navy	239,734	1	5
Ordnance	50,404	11	$2\frac{1}{2}$
Forces (Ranelagh)	295,805	2	10
Forces, Fox (arrears)	6,775	0	0
Household	35,856	15	$8\frac{3}{4}$
Treasurer of Chamber	13,425	2	4
Wardrobe	6,600	0	0
Robes	1,250	0	0
Works	10,205	0	0
Foreign ministers	20,965	6	6
Fees and salaries paid at Exchequer	29,278	2	2
Arrears to late King's servants	110,865	13	$7\frac{1}{4}$
Pensions and annuities paid at Exchequer	85,115	10	$2\frac{1}{4}$
Tangier arrears	3,450	5	0
Band of Pensioners	4,500	0	0
Bounties in gross sums	10,716	14	$10\frac{1}{2}$
Secret services	52,992	17	$10\frac{1}{2}$
Management of Customs	26,403	17	$10\frac{1}{2}$
Management of Excise	10,747	10	0
Management of Hearth	1,715	12	6
Management of Post Office	5,048	2	5
Privy Purse and Healing gold	16,300	0	0
Mint	7,950	0	0
Jewels and plate	5,000	0	0
Loan repayments—			
Principal and interest in further part of 549,747*l.* 9*s.* $0\frac{1}{4}$*d.*, as before	104,559	18	7
Ditto (current)	78,559	18	7
Redemption of captives	1,011	19	0
Bills of impost	96	12	0
Contingencies (detailed)	18,923	9	$5\frac{3}{4}$

Lady day, 1687, *to Michaelmas*, 1687.

	l.	*s.*	*d.*	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*
Customs—						
Remains	11,231	0	$1\frac{3}{4}$			
Receipts	377,909	1	$7\frac{1}{2}$			
				389,140	1	$9\frac{1}{4}$
Wines—						
Remains	13,045	5	$8\frac{1}{2}$			
Receipts	82,038	6	10			
				95,083	12	$6\frac{1}{2}$

	l.	*s.*	*d.*	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*
French linens—						
Remains	4,589	13	2½			
Receipts	69,568	6	0½			
Brandy	22,393	4	3¼			
				96,551	3	6¼
Tobacco and sugar—						
Remains	25,026	17	0			
Receipts	121,012	10	3¾			
				146,039	7	3¾
Excise—						
Remains	12,575	15	8½			
Receipts	349,876	15	4			
				362,452	11	0½
Hearth—						
Remains	3,994	9	9¼			
Receipts	138,157	4	0¼			
				142,151	13	9½
Post Office—						
Remains	3,031	9	4			
Receipts	38,571	16	8			
				41,603	6	0
First Fruits—						
Remains	13	12	2½			
Receipts	500	0	0			
Receipts (tallies)	1,250	0	0			
Tenths—						
Receipts	2,013	19	9			
Receipts (tallies)	3,175	0	0			
				6,952	11	11½

	Remains.			*Receipts.*			*Total.*		
	l.	*s.*	*d.*	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*
Divers small branches—									
Goods seized	149	1	4¼	1,910	14	8½			
Compositions (in Exchequer)	6	7	10	12	14	1			
Fines of leases	15	14	3½	288	17	1			
Wine licences	1,000	0	0	1,825	0	0			
Sale of woods	500	0	0	300	0	0			
York (archbishopric temporalities)	500	0	0	1,106	13	11½			
Profit of tin farthings	4,000	0	0	574	5	8½			
Coinage Duty	550	0	0	10,300	0	0			
Coinage (Doyly)	1,186	0	7						
Sheriffs' proffers				622	1	0½			
Coal (4*s.* duty)				500	0	0			
Rent of lighthouses				30	0	0			
Rent of lands				788	18	9½			
Issues of jurors				8	0	0			
4½ *per cent.* duty				5,000	0	0			
Receivers General				29	10	0			
Recusants' money				48	8	1			
Lands seized				207	13	9			
King's Bench fines				2,000	0	0			
Wood farms				450	0	0			
Ulnage of cloth				2	0	0			
Cornwall Duchy				3,000	0	0			
Rent of a lottery				2,100	0	0			
Profits of Alienation Office in money				300	0	0			
Profits of Alienation Office (by tallies of pro				500	0	0			
	7,907	4	0¾	39,812	1	3¼			
							47,719	5	4

	Remains.			*Receipts.*			*Total.*		
	l.	*s.*	*d.*	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*
Casual money—									
East India Co. present	10,750	0	0	..					
East India Co. King's dividend	322	10	0	..					
Queen Dowager's portion	9,483	15	6	..					
Col. Whitley	8,265	6	9	..					
Paid in by King's command	2,378	4	6	..					
Irish money	8,559	2	6	..					
Irish Revenue	..			2,700	0	0			
Product of a bar of silver	198	4	0	..					
Redemption of captives	920	12	4	1,038	0	0			
King's dividend, Royal Africa Company ..	..			322	10	0			
Lord Ossulston (award)	..			4,000	0	0			
Paid in by Guy from Frowde	..			300	0	0			
Barbados revenue ..	..			450	0	0			
King's part of wreck at sea	..			20,872	10	7			
Arrears of farm of Great Branches, Ireland	..			14,254	15	5			
Forfeitures for treason	..			71	11	0			
Sir W. Doyly's debt ..	..			100	0	0			
	40,877	15	7	44,109	7	0			
							84,987	2	7

	Remains.			*Receipts.*			*Total.*		
	l.	*s.*	*d.*	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*
Arrears of taxes—									
Second Poll (1666) ..	2	3	0	..					
Last Poll	17	18	0	410	0	0			
First part of First Disbanding Act	72	0	0	60	0	0			
Second part of First Disbanding Act ..	140	0	0	200	0	0			
Second Disbanding Act	0	9	3	434	10	9			
Subsidy (1671)	..			133	6	8			
Royal aid	..			200	0	0			
Eleven Months' assessment	..			30	0	0			
	232	10	3	1,467	17	5			
							1,700	7	8

	l.	*s.*	*d.*	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*
Loans—						
Remains				10,330	7	3
Receipts (linen and tobacco)				85,570	0	0

Expenditure—cont.

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Foreign ministers	11,888	17	6
Fees and salaries paid in Exchequer	30,117	8	8¾
Arrears of late King's servants	55,536	19	2½
Pensions and annuities paid at Exchequer	82,111	5	7½
Band of Pensioners	1,500	0	0
Bounties in gross	4,279	10	0
Secret services (Guy, Fox, Aldworth, Sunderland, Middleton)	61,362	15	7¾
Management of Customs	33,383	5	8
Management of Excise*		..	

* Rest of book torn out bodily.

Michaelmas, 1687, *to Lady day*, 1688.

	l.	*s.*	*d.*	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*
Customs—									
Remains	..			45,270	7	11¼			
Receipts (arrears)	43,376	15	5¾		..				
Receipts (current)	153,774	9	10¼		..				
	3,500	0	0		..				
	150	0	0		..				
				200,801	5	4			
							246,071	13	3¼
Wines—									
Remains				26,871	2	6½			
Receipts (arrears)				13,688	7	1½			
Receipts (current)				68,247	19	10½			
							108,807	9	6½
French linen—									
Remains				15,433	4	3¼			
Receipts (arrears)				9,452	3	11¼			
Receipts (current)				13,101	10	0			
Brandies—				26,445	12	4¾			
							64,432	10	7¼
Tobacco and sugar—									
Remains				24,218	3	10¾			
Receipts (arrears)				4,700	19	9			
Receipts (current)				15,401	10	5¼			
							44,320	14	1
Excise—									
Remains				25,163	8	9			
Receipts				316,551	11	3			
				161	12	8½			
							341,876	12	8½
Hearthmoney—									
Remains				23,249	14	5¾			
Receipts				108,284	8	7			
							131,534	3	0¾
Post Office—									
Remains				10,786	9	4			
Receipts				37,746	2	2			
							48,532	11	6
	l.	*s.*	*d.*						
First Fruits—									
Remains	..			307	1	7½			
Receipts	1,000	0	0		..				
Receipts (tallies)	2,000	0	0		..				
Tenths—									
Receipts	3,890	18	0		..				
Receipts (tallies)	3,525	0	0		..				
				10,415	18	0			
							10,722	19	7½

	Remains.			*Receipts.*			*Total.*		
	l.	*s.*	*d.*	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*
Divers small branches—									
Goods seized	334	10	9	3,019	19	11			
Sale of woods	65	0	0	2,102	1	11			
Archbishop of York's temporalities	1,106	13	11½	1,000	0	0			
Product of tin farthings	3,574	5	8½	..					
Proffers	4	16	0¾	554	8	7			
4½ *per cent.* Duty ..	3,100	0	0	..					
King's Bench fines ..	900	0	0	7,261	12	2½			
Rent of lotteries ..	2,100	0	0	2,100	0	0			
Duchy of Cornwall ..	3,000	0	0	3,100	0	0			
Lands seized	157	13	9	..					
Profits of alienations..	300	0	0	..					
Coinage duty	800	0	0	7,200	0	0			
Coinage money (Doyly)	1,186	0	7	..					
Rent of lighthouses ..	..			16	13	4			
Rent of lands	..			17	16	8			
Coal (4*s.* duty)	..			500	0	0			
Wood farm	..			450	0	0			
Wine licences	..			2,825	0	0			
Lord Grey's estates ..	..			1,300	0	0			
Fines of leases	..			43	13	0			
Issues of jurors	..			6	3	4			
Recusants' moneys ..	..			40	0	0			
Compositions in Exchequer	..			15	17	8			
Coal (1*s.* duty)	..			1	6	8			
Lands seized (Earl of Macclesfield's) ..	..			138	5	6			
Salt farm rent	..			8	0	0			
King's revenue when Duke	..			900	0	0			
Rent of Bombay ..	..			10	0	0			
Rent of Hackney coaches	..			166	13	4			
Fines of alienations [money]	..			350	0	0			
Fines of alienations in tallies of pro	..			500	0	0			
Profits of Hanaper ..	..			37	4	7			
	16,648	10	3¼	33,664	16	8½	50,313	6	11¾

	Remains.			*Receipts.*			*Total.*		
	l.	*s.*	*d.*	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*
Casual money—									
Benevolence (redemption of captives) ..	1,958	12	4	..					
East India Co. (present)	10,750	0	0	..					
East India Co. (King's dividend)	645	0	0	750	0	0			
Queen Dowager's portion	9,483	15	6	..					
Col. Whitley	7,265	6	9	..					
Paid in by the King's command	2,378	4	6	..					
Irish revenue	8,559	2	6	..					
Arrear of farm of great branches, Ireland ..	14,254	15	5	..					
Forfeitures for treason	71	11	0	..					
Hispaniola wreck ..	20,872	10	7	..					
Sir W. Doyly's debt ..	..			104	7	9			
Forfeitures for treason	..			1,298	4	2			

	Remains. l. s. d.	*Receipts.* l. s. d.	*Total.* l. s. d.
Brought forward ..			
King's share of forfeited ship *Andalusia* an interloper	..	3,161 0 2	
Lord Ossulston	..	4,000 0 0	
"Money paid for redemption of lands"	..	100 0 0	
	76,238 18 7	9,413 12 1	85,652 10 8

	Remains. l. s. d.	*Receipts.* l. s. d.	*Total.* l. s. d.
Arrears of taxes—			
Poll	224 6 0	175 1 0	
First part of First Disbanding Act	132 0 0	..	
Second part of First Disbanding Act ..	340 0 0	100 0 0	
Royal Aid	200 0 0	260 0 0	
Eleven Months' tax ..	30 0 0	..	
Subsidy (1671)	133 6 8	..	
Additional Aid	..	140 0 0	
	1,059 12 8	1,734 13 8	2,794 6 4

	l. s. d.	l. s. d.
Loans—		
Remains	39,873 1 5	
(Linen and tobacco)	107,350 0 0	147,223 1 5

Expenditure.

	l. s. d.
Navy	192,414 5 $6\frac{1}{2}$
Ordnance	41,775 16 7
Forces	277,000 0 0
Tangier	16,200 0 0
Treasurer of Chamber	15,905 9 11
Wardrobe	9,157 12 0
Robes	1,250 0 0
Works	10,806 19 5
Stables	11,100 0 0
Foreign ministers paid at the Exchequer	16,200 5 5
Fees and salaries paid at the Exchequer	35,026 12 $11\frac{1}{2}$
Pensions and annuities paid at the Exchequer	81,646 5 $5\frac{1}{2}$
Late King's servants	5,928 0 $7\frac{1}{4}$
Band of Pensioners	4,500 0 0
Bounties in gross sums	18,962 0 0
Secret service	46,270 2 $10\frac{3}{4}$
Management of Customs	25,188 15 $10\frac{1}{4}$
Management of Excise	13,334 19 0
Management of Hearths	1,720 5 7
Management of Post Office	4,917 9 7
Privy Purse and Healing gold	13,000 0 0
Mint	7,775 0 0
Jewels and plate	8,733 18 2

	l. s. d.	l. s. d.
Loan repayments—		
Principal and interest in part of 549,747*l.* 9*s.* $0\frac{1}{4}$*d.*, as before	18,000 0 0	
Ditto (current)	126,234 8 $4\frac{1}{4}$	144,234 8 $4\frac{1}{4}$
Contingencies (detailed)		36,979 6 $2\frac{3}{4}$

Departmental Accounts.—(1) Customs Accounts.

1685, Sept. 29, to 1686, Sept. 29.

GENERAL ACCOUNT.

CHARGE.

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Arrears	68,927	3	8¼
Receipts (London, exports)	41,497	13	6
Ditto (London, grand receipt)	183,523	10	6
Ditto (London, wine and vinegar)	144,933	11	11
Ditto (London, Plantation goods)	153,324	16	4
Ditto (outports)	257,400	2	5½
Ditto (Plantations)	2,893	12	5½
Overpayments	4,808	14	11
	857,261	15	9¼

DISCHARGE.

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Charged in Cash Account	723,618	2	11¼
Collectors' overpayments	1,638	5	0¼
Outport (salaries)	19,160	13	9
Ditto (incidents)	14,040	14	1½
Repayments of half subsidy etc.	55,224	14	10¼
Repayments of damage	2,724	0	5
	816,406	11	1¼

CASH ACCOUNT.

CHARGE.

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Arrears	17,563	9	8
Receipts (London, grand receipt)	220,590	7	10½
Ditto (London, wine & vinegar)	144,935	11	11
Ditto (London, Plantation goods)	143,920	19	5½
Ditto (London, exports)	41,497	13	6
Ditto (outports)	161,624	7	8¾
Ditto (Plantations)	1,049	2	5½
	741,181	12	7¼

DISCHARGE.

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Salaries (London)	21,542	16	7
Ditto (patent officers, London)	3,964	10	0
Ditto (patent officers, outports)	1,810	15	10
Pensions	8,300	12	9
Rent etc.	2,247	2	4
Exchequer fees	1,190	0	2
Incidents	17,284	0	7¼
Repayments of damage, portage and half subsidy	67,316	8	2
Ready money paid into the Exchequer	596,787	15	8½
	720,444	2	1¾

NEW DUTIES ON WINE AND VINEGAR.

(1685, June 24, to 1686, Sept. 29.)

CHARGE.

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Arrears (first account)		*nil*	
Receipts (London)	133,961	12	2½
Ditto (outports)	38,556	11	6¼
	172,518	3	8¾

DISCHARGE.

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Repayments of damago and overentries	1,422	7	9½
Ready moneys paid into the Exchequer	151,988	8	8
Due on bonds	19,107	7	5¾
	172,518	3	11¼

NEW DUTIES ON TOBACCO AND SUGARS.

(1685, June 24, to 1686, Sept. 29.)

CHARGE.

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Arrears (first account)		*nil*	
Receipts (London)	125,943	18	11½
Ditto (outports)	71,540	11	5
	197,484	10	4½

DISCHARGE.

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Repayments on re-exports	4,540	18	2
Ready money paid into the Exchequer	191,487	4	1½
Due on bonds	1,456	8	1½
	197,484	10	5

Customs Accounts—*cont.*

NEW DUTIES ON SILKS, LINEN AND CALICO.

(1685, July 1, to 1686, Sept. 29.)

Charge.	l.	s.	d.
Arrears (first account) ..	*nil*		
Receipts (London) ..	95,787	10	10
Ditto (outports)	21,673	2	5¾
	117,460	13	3¼

Discharge.	l.	s.	d
Ready money paid into the Exchequer	115,420	19	2
Repayments for re-exports and damaged goods etc.	2,039	14	3½
	117,460	13	5½

COINAGE DUTY.

(1685, Aug. 1, to 1686, Sept. 29.)

Charge.	l.	s.	d.
Arrears (first account)..	*nil*		
Receipts (London) ..	12,374	3	9
Ditto (outports)	4,380	2	7¼
Overpayments by collectors	82	0	3
	16,836	6	7¼

Discharge.	l.	s.	d.
Money charged in cash account of coinage duty	14,168	1	8
Grants to officers for collecting	286	1	6
Depending on collectors.	2,381	13	5¼
	16,836	6	7¼

COINAGE DUTY: CASH ACCOUNT.

(Date as above.)

Charge.	l.	s.	d.
Receipts (London) ..	11,750	0	0
Ditto (outports)	2,418	1	8
	14,168	1	8

Discharge.	l.	s.	d.
Repayments on re-export	7	2	5½
Ditto on damaged goods	7	15	9
Allowance	472	5	4
Ready money paid into the Exchequer	13,590	2	0½
	14,077	5	7

NEW DUTIES ON WINE AND VINEGAR.

Charge.	l.	s.	d.
Arrears (bonds)	23,535	11	7
Receipts (London) ..	139,202	13	11
Ditto (outports)	41,556	17	1¼
	204,295	2	7¼

Discharge.	l.	s.	d.
Surplus	0	0	3½
Repayments for damaged goods etc.	3,136	2	11
Ready money paid into the Exchequer	164,211	4	0
	167,374	7	2½

NEW DUTIES ON TOBACCO AND SUGARS.

Charge.	l.	s.	d.
Arrears (bonds)	2,175	7	1
Receipts (London) ..	119,960	2	2
Ditto (outports)	46,131	1	3
	168,266	10	6

Discharge.	l.	s.	d.
Surplus	15	1	2¾
Repayments for damaged goods and re-exports.	11,953	9	2
Ready money paid into the Exchequer	155,172	9	0
	167,140	19	4¾

Customs Accounts—*cont.*

NEW DUTIES ON SILKS, LINEN AND CALICO.

CHARGE.

	l.	s.	d.
Arrears		*nil.*	
Receipts (London)	16,084	10	3
Ditto (outports)	21,556	8	3
	37,640	18	6

DISCHARGE.

	l.	s.	d.
Surplus	0	0	2¼
Ready money paid into the Exchequer	37,640	18	6½
	37,640	18	8¾

1686, Sept. 29, to 1687, Sept. 29.

GENERAL ACCOUNT.

CHARGE.

	l.	s.	d.
Remains		*nil.*	
Arrears	40,860	4	9
Receipts (London, exports)	46,570	10	7
Ditto (London, grand receipt)	224,601	10	9
Ditto (London. Plantation goods)	156,714	16	10½
Ditto (London, wine & vinegar)	159,022	19	0
Ditto (outports)	295,681	14	5
Ditto (Plantations)	2,368	8	8
Overpayments by collectors	3,197	14	2½
	929,013	19	2½

DISCHARGE.

	l.	s.	d.
Money charged in Cash Account (below)	740,949	3	1
Discompted to collectors for overpayments	4,758	14	11
Outports (salaries)	18,890	2	5½
Ditto (incidents)	13,632	8	8
Repayments of half subsidy etc.	95,797	5	10¼
Allowance for damaged goods etc.	5,175	13	9
Portage money allowed to merchants	753	8	7¼
Allowances by privy seal	3,678	10	2½
	883,635	7	6½

CASH ACCOUNT.

CHARGE.

	l.	s.	d.
Arrears	21,296	5	10½
Receipts (London, grand receipt)	224,825	9	0½
Ditto (London, wine and vinegar)	152,969	1	3½
Ditto (London, Plantation goods)	136,728	16	1
Ditto (London, exports)	46,570	10	7
Ditto (outports)	154,855	12	5½
Ditto (Plantations)	933	6	7½
	740,949	3	1

DISCHARGE.

	l.	s.	d.
Surplus	558	15	5
Salaries (London)	21,097	14	10¾
Ditto (patent officers, London)	13,630	11	8
Ditto (patent officers, outports)	2,086	4	5
Pensions	7,785	19	9
Rent	4,572	1	4
Exchequer fees	1,305	1	8
Discount on bonds	27	17	10
Incidents	18,733	4	4¾
Repayments (half subsidy etc.)	98,584	12	5
Ready money paid into the Exchequer	572,990	15	10½
	741,372	19	8

NEW DUTIES ON WINE AND VINEGAR.

CHARGE.

	l.	s.	d.
Remains		*nil.*	
Due on bonds	19,107	7	5¾
Receipts (London)	146,321	3	3
Ditto (outports)	46,166	10	8¼
	211,595	1	5

DISCHARGE.

	l.	s.	d.
Surplus	0	0	2½
Repayments for damaged goods	1,467	4	8½
Discount of bonds	4	5	0
Ready money paid into the Exchequer	186,588	0	2½
Due on bonds	23,535	11	7
	211,595	1	8½

Customs Accounts—*cont.*

NEW DUTIES ON TOBACCO AND SUGARS.

Charge.	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*
Arrears		*nil.*	
Due on bonds	1,456	8	1½
Receipts (London)	123,920	7	1
Ditto (outports)	57,888	8	1¼
	183,265	3	3¾

Discharge.	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*
Payments on re-exports	17,608	15	7
Discount of bonds	47	1	7
Ready money paid into the Exchequer	163,449	0	3½
Due on bonds	2,175	7	1
	183,280	4	6½

NEW DUTIES ON SILKS, LINEN AND CALICO.

Charge.	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*
Remains		*nil.*	
Receipts (London)	80,069	10	11½
Ditto (outports)	26,197	7	5
	106,266	18	4½

Discharge.	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*
Surplus	0	0	2¼
Ready money paid into the Exchequer	106,266	18	4½
	106,266	18	6¾

COINAGE DUTY.

Charge.	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*
Arrears	2,381	13	5¼
Receipts (London)	14,216	4	6
Ditto (outports)	4,841	15	10¾
Overpayments by collectors	338	0	11
	21,777	14	9

Discharge.	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*
Charged in Cash Account (as below)	20,272	6	1¾
Allowance to officers for collecting	332	17	8
Defalcations and overpayments	82	0	3
	20,687	4	0¾

COINAGE DUTY: CASH ACCOUNT.

Charge.	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*
Arrears	90	16	1
Receipts (London)	13,812	11	11
Ditto (outports)	6,459	14	2¾
	20,363	2	2¾

Discharge.	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*
Repayments on re-exports	153	11	11½
Repayments on damaged goods	9	0	10½
Officers' allowance	675	14	10
Ready money paid into the Exchequer	19,350	0	0
	20,187	7	8

From 1687, Sept. 29, to 1688, Sept. 29.

GENERAL ACCOUNT.

Charge.	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*
Arrears	66,674	17	5
Receipts (London, exports)	41,529	2	9½
Ditto (London, grand receipt)	173,196	19	10½
Ditto (London, Plantation goods)	142,093	9	9
Ditto (London, wine & vinegar)	151,016	2	8
Ditto (outports)	274,151	7	8½
Ditto (remitted from Ireland by J. Price)	3,500	0	0
Ditto (Plantations)	2,732	6	4
Collectors' overpayments	9,403	10	8½
	864,297	17	3

Discharge.	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*
Charged in Cash Account (below)	654,720	9	3¾
Collectors' overpayments	3,198	14	2¼
Outport (salaries)	20,331	6	5½
Ditto (incidents)	15,366	3	10¼
Repayments of half subsidy etc.	86,416	0	9¾
Allowance for damaged goods etc.	5,470	13	7
Portage	1,095	12	7½
	786,599	0	10

Customs Accounts—*cont.*

CASH ACCOUNT.

Charge.	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*
Remains	22,210	0	11
Receipts (London, grand receipt)	176,428	9	9
Ditto, (London, wine and vinegar)	146,962	3	9
Ditto (London, Plantation goods)	122,487	6	6
Ditto (London, exports)	41,529	2	9½
Ditto (London, bonds)	22,133	5	7
Ditto (outports)	145,941	5	2¾
Ditto (Plantations)	669	14	3½
Ditto (remitted from Ireland by J. Price, Receiver General)	3,500	0	0
	681,861	9	9¾

Discharge.	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*
Surplus	423	16	7
Salaries (London)	15,026	8	5
Ditto (patent officers, London)	7,160	13	4
Ditto (patent officers, outports)	2,690	18	2
Pensions	8,008	5	0
Rent	2,845	7	1
Exchequer fees	1,171	1	0
Incidents	21,690	4	8½
Allowance for damage, portage, debenture	84,748	0	6½
Ready money paid into the Exchequer	510,769	13	0
	654,534	7	10

COINAGE DUTY.

Charge.	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*
Arrears	1,090	10	8¼
Receipts (London)	14,605	16	2½
Ditto (outports)	4,370	8	2¼
Overpayments	216	7	6
	20,277	2	7

Discharge.	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*
Charged in Cash Account (below)	17,746	0	5
Paid to officers for collecting (in the outports)	329	12	5
Repayments for damaged goods	17	5	9
Overpayments	338	0	11
	18,413	13	9

COINAGE DUTY: CASH ACCOUNT.

Charge.	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*
Remains	174	14	6¾
Receipts (London)	14,964	14	4
Ditto (outports)	2,781	6	1
	17,920	14	11½

Discharge.	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*
Repayments for re-exports	183	16	1½
Repayments for damaged goods	33	7	8½
Allowances to officers [London port]	591	10	8
Ready money paid into the Exchequer	17,112	10	0
	17,921	4	6

From 1688, Sept. 29, to 1689, Mar. 25.

GENERAL ACCOUNT

(*Not extant*).

CASH ACCOUNT.

Charge.	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*
Remains	186	1	5¾
Bonds	27,141	0	6
Receipts (London, grand receipt)	57,916	14	11
Ditto (London, wine and vinegar)	53,814	15	0
Ditto (London, Plantagoods)	15,821	14	3

Discharge.	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*
Salaries (London)	9,349	1	1
Ditto (patent officers, London)	3,358	16	8
Ditto (patent officers, outports)	982	3	3
Pensions	3,408	0	0
Rent etc.	1,677	6	6
Incidents (London port)	8,887	19	8

Customs Accounts—*cont.*

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Ditto (Plantation bonds)	2,148	17	10
Ditto (London, exports)	15,226	3	0
Ditto (outports)	26,182	8	$6\frac{3}{4}$
	198,437	15	$6\frac{1}{2}$

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Allowances for damage etc.	1,994	0	$4\frac{1}{2}$
Ditto for portage	876	0	6
Ditto for half subsidy ..	28,099	9	10
Ditto for silk debentures	5,197	0	10
Ready money paid into the Exchequer	113,726	0	$1\frac{1}{2}$
Interest on loan money .	522	14	0
Bonds delivered to Successor Cashier	19,387	10	2
Ready money paid into the Exchequer to balance this account.	971	12	$6\frac{1}{2}$
	198,437	15	$6\frac{1}{2}$

NEW DUTIES ON WINE AND VINEGAR.

CHARGE.

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Remains		*nil.*	
Bonds (supers)	36,920	15	10
Receipts (London) ..	46,749	2	$5\frac{1}{3}$
Ditto (outports)	5,247	11	$11\frac{1}{4}$
	88,917	10	$2\frac{3}{4}$

DISCHARGE.

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Surplus	0	0	$5\frac{1}{4}$
Repayments for damaged goods	635	0	7
Ready money paid into the Receipt	83,537	14	$4\frac{1}{2}$
	84,172	15	$4\frac{3}{4}$

NEW DUTIES ON TOBACCO AND SUGARS.

(*No account extant.*)

NEW DUTIES ON SILKS, LINENS ETC.

CHARGE.

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Remains		*nil.*	
Receipts (London) ..	13,531	7	8
Ditto (outports)	6,447	2	$3\frac{3}{4}$
	19,978	9	$11\frac{3}{4}$

DISCHARGE.

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Surplus	0	0	$2\frac{3}{4}$
Ready money paid into the Exchequer	19,978	10	0
	19,978	10	$2\frac{3}{4}$

COINAGE DUTY: GENERAL ACCOUNT.

CHARGE.

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Arrears		*nil.*	
Receipts (London) ..	5,969	0	$11\frac{1}{2}$
Ditto (outports)	2,146	0	1
	8,115	1	$2\frac{1}{2}$

DISCHARGE.

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Surplusage	0	9	$6\frac{1}{4}$
Repayments for goods re-exported	64	10	$11\frac{1}{2}$
Repayments for goods damaged	2	3	9
Payments to outports officers for collecting .	270	10	0
Ready money paid into the Receipt	7,700	0	0
	8,037	14	$2\frac{3}{4}$

COINAGE DUTY: CASH ACCOUNT.

(*No account extant.*)

(2) Excise Accounts.

1684. June 24, to 1685, June 24.

GENERAL ACCOUNT.

Charge.	l.	s.	d.	Discharge.	l.	s.	d.
Arrears	75,233	8	3	Salaries [country]	51,718	17	7
Reeeipts (eounties)	425,616	19	7¾	Ditto (eountry)	9,496	12	5½
Ditto (Wales and four Northern Counties)	50,833	17	5¼	Ditto (Wales)	1,861	5	8
Ditto (London)	182,617	14	5¼	Ditto (London)	23,186	14	4
				Paid for exported beer	890	5	5
				Overeharged	13	1	1¾
				Royal bounty	5	10	11
				Coffee offieers	229	14	0
				Ready money reeeived and aeeounted for separately [in Cash Account as below]	594,915	4	7
	751,248	10	7¼		682,317	7	1¼

CASH ACCOUNT.

See Introduetion to *Treasury Calendar*, Vol. VII, p. xlviii.

From 1685, June 24, to 1686, June 24.

GENERAL ACCOUNT.

Charge.	l.	s.	d.	Discharge.	l.	s.	d.
Remains and supers depending	68,831	3	6¼	Salaries (country)	52,895	1	8
Whole produee of Exeise	673,516	14	11¼	Ditto (Wales and four Northern Counties)	10,143	18	4
				Ditto (London)	21,813	1	10½
				Ditto (imported liquors)	1,005	1	3
				Overeharged	13	18	10¼
				Defaleation for exported beer	607	9	8
				Royal bounty	205	14	2¾
				Ready money accounted for separately [in Cash Aecount as below]	614,006	15	1½
	742,347	18	5½		700,691	1	0

CASH ACCOUNT.

Charge.	l.	s.	d.	Discharge.	l.	s.	d.
Remains	12,001	5	1½	Salaries	18,946	0	0
Arrears	65,573	19	4½	Rent	250	0	0
Receipts (to aceount of previous years)	108,152	3	10¼	Repairs and incidents	2,375	6	0
Current receipts (London, beer and ale)	129,946	15	1	Queen Dowager	12,209	15	2
Ditto (London, imported liquors)	23,445	4	11	Prinee and Prineess of Denmark	27,000	0	0
Ditto (London, eoffee & strong waters)	3,100	0	0	Patentee, perpetual interest	1,152	6	3½
Ditto (Wales and four Northern Counties, beer and ale)	31,202	0	7	Bankers' perpetual interest	3,199	19	0
Ditto (ditto, imported liquors)	323	1	2½	Ditto assignees' perpetual interest	12,647	14	8½
Ditto (rest of England, beer and ale)	311,311	18	11¾	Tallies of assignation	13,441	0	0
Ditto (ditto, imported liquors)	5,022	9	0½	Loan money repaid	41,500	0	0
				Interest	825	15	7½
				Payments by special warrant	955	0	0
				Ready money paid into the Exchequer	479,321	14	4½
	674,408	17	8½		613,829	11	1½

Excise Accounts—*cont.*

From 1686, June 24, to 1687, June 24.

Charge.	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*
Arrears	41,756	17	5½
Receipts (counties) ..	467,787	0	6
Ditto (Wales and the four Northern Counties)	56,081	2	8½
Ditto (London)	182,769	17	5½
Ditto (imported liquors).	11,674	17	10
	760,069	15	11½

Discharge.	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*
Salaries (counties and Wales)	63,681	15	9¾
Ditto (London)	22,425	4	5
Ditto (imported liquors).	1,271	15	5½
Overcharged	5	4	2¾
Allowance	141	0	0
Ready money accounted for separately [in Cash Account as below] ..	647,220	10	7¾
	734,745	10	6¾

CASH ACCOUNT.

Charge.	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*
Arrears	60,579	6	7
Receipts (to accounts of previous years) ..	106,746	16	0¾
Ditto (London, beer and ale)	130,027	6	0½
Ditto (London, imported liquors)	30,429	9	9
Ditto (London, coffee and strong waters)	3,150	0	0
Ditto (Wales and four Northern Counties, beer and ale)	34,893	9	10
Ditto (ditto, imported liquors)	1,081	17	6¼
Ditto (rest of the country, beer and ale)	336,761	18	0¾
Ditto (ditto imported, liquors..	6,065	9	0¾
Disallowed in previous account	805	5	0
	709,541	17	11½

Discharge.	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*
Salaries (London)	19,404	13	0
Rent	100	0	0
Repairs and incidents ..	1,089	10	0
Queen Dowager	12,209	15	2
Prince and Princess of Denmark	32,500	0	0
Patentees' perpetual interest	529	8	1
Goldsmiths' or bankers' perpetual interest ..	4,678	15	2
Bankers' assignees' perpetual interest	8,491	16	9
Repayments of loan money	31,000	0	0
Interest	535	4	7¾
Yarmouth fishery ..	160	0	0
Ready money paid into the Exchequer ...	536,521	7	10
	647,220	10	7¾

From 1687, June 24, to 1688, June 24.

GENERAL ACCOUNT.

Charge.	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*
Arrears	25,324	5	4¾
Receipts (counties and Wales)	526,563	6	10¾
Ditto (London)	195,289	14	5¼
Ditto (imported liquors)	10,610	16	0¼
Allowed for salaries of head office in last four years	89,250	7	1
Overallowed for brewers and victuallers in London	48	5	8¼
	847,086	15	6¼

Discharge.	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*
Salaries (England and Wales)	64,490	8	1¾
Ditto (imported liquors).	205	17	11
Incidents	1,214	7	0
Allowances to brewers .	303	15	1¾
Ready money Accounted for separately [in the Cash Account as below]	646,830	19	6½
	713,045	7	9

Excise Accounts—*cont.*

CASH ACCOUNT.

Charge.	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*
Remains	7,943	8	0¾
Arrears	53,572	14	3
Receipts (proper to previous years' accounts)	108,938	19	7
Ditto (London, beer and ale)	131,891	11	8¼
Ditto (London, imported liquors)	38,047	7	1
Ditto (London, coffee & strong waters)	3,400	0	0
Ditto (Wales and the four Northern Counties, beer and ale)	34,393	10	0½
Ditto (ditto, imported liquors)	648	3	11½
Ditto (rest of England, beer and ale)	329,590	7	6½
Ditto (ditto, imported liquors)	5,620	3	1¾
Arrears depending	805	5	0
	715,365	3	2¾

Discharge.	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*
Salaries	23,536	4	9
Rent	300	0	0
Repairs and incidents	3,415	14	8
Queen Dowager	12,209	15	2
Prince and Princess of Denmark	48,000	0	0
Patentees' perpetual interest	664	19	5
Goldsmiths' or bankers' perpetual interest	1,415	8	5½
Bankers' assignees' perpetual interest	11,668	2	3
Yarmouth fishery	160	0	0½
Loan money repaid	21,000	0	0
Ready money paid into the Exchequer	524,460	14	11½
	646,830	19	8½

From 1688, June 24, to 1689, June 24.

GENERAL ACCOUNT.

Charge.	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*
Remains	134,041	7	9¼
Receipts (the Counties and Wales)	540,741	4	10
Ditto (London)	216,607	5	11¾
Ditto (imported liquors)	12,906	16	9½
	980,296	15	4½

Discharge.	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*
Salaries (England and Wales)	66,287	0	8
Ditto (imported liquors)	280	11	1
Allowance for damage	1	9	4
Allowance to distillers	31	10	9¼
Separately accounted for in the Cash Account [as below]	669,107	14	9½
	737,043	0	3

CASH ACCOUNT.

Charge.	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*
Remains, supers and arrears	54,377	19	3
Receipts (proper to the account of preceding year	117,011	7	0¾
Ditto (London, beer and ale)	133,827	18	10¾
Ditto (London, imported liquors)	53,948	15	8
Ditto (London, coffee and strong waters)	2,850	0	0
Ditto (Wales and the four Northern Counties, beer and ale)	33,842	2	1¼
Ditto (ditto, imported liquors)	336	2	5
Ditto (rest of England, beer and ale)	323,614	18	0
Ditto (ditto, imported liquors)	5,350	14	2
	739,316	1	9½

Discharge.	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*
Salaries	20,127	16	5
Rent	100	0	0
Repairs and incidents	1,382	1	4
Commissioners' incidents	1,881	16	0
Queen Dowager	12,209	15	2
Prince and Princess of Denmark	30,000	0	0
Loan money repaid	80,000	0	0
Interest	605	9	5
Yarmouth fishery	160	0	0
Perpetual interest (bankers)	160	4	7
Perpetual interest to bankers' assignees	287	4	4
Ready money paid into the Exchequer	521,943	7	6½
	668,857	14	9½

(3) Wine Licences Accounts. *

From 1685, Mar. 25, to 1686, Mar. 25.

Charge.	l.	s.	d.
Remains		*nil.*	
Supers depending	13,897	7	9
Surcharge	150	0	0
Receipts	12,779	17	5
	26,827	5	2

Discharge.	l.	s.	d.
Surplus	782	7	3¼
Salaries	2,150	0	0
Interest	653	4	10¼
Reward	208	14	9
Principal repaid	4,000	0	0
Ready money paid into the Exchequer	5,650	0	0
	13,444	6	10½

From 1686, Mar. 25, to 1687, Mar. 25.

Charge.	l.	s.	d.
Remains		*nil.*	
Supers depending	14,009	5	1
Receipts (this year)	12,539	19	6
Ditto (proper to account of preceding year)	353	12	6
	26,902	17	1

Discharge.	l.	s.	d.
Surplus	626	6	9½
Salaries etc.	2,150	0	0
Interest, reward and principal repaid	4,363	15	4
Ready money paid into the Exchequer	5,650	0	0
	12,790	2	1½

From 1687, Mar. 25, to 1688, Mar. 25.

Charge.	l.	s.	d.
Remains		*nil.*	
Supers depending	14,968	19	8
Receipts (this year)	12,442	14	11
Ditto (proper to account of preceding year)	110	10	0
	27,522	4	7

Discharge.	l.	s.	d.
Surplus	856	4	8½
Salaries	2,150	0	0
Interest, reward and principal repaid	5,513	15	4½
Ready money paid into the Receipt	4,312	18	0
Money allowed in repayment of advance money formerly omitted	2,320	2	9½
	14,476	14	4

From 1688, Mar. 25, to 1689, Mar. 25.

Charge.	l.	s.	d.
Remains		*nil.*	
Supers depending	15,748	5	2
Receipts (this year)	11,659	5	5
Ditto (arrears)	74	15	0
	27,482	5	7

Discharge.	l.	s.	d.
Surplus	2,101	5	5½
Salaries	2,150	0	0
Interest, reward and principal repaid	5,348	15	1¼
Ready money paid into the Exchequer	2,992	16	2
	12,592	16	8¾

* There is a double series of accounts for Wine Licences, corresponding apparently to the system of General and Cash Accounts in the case of the Customs and Excise. The account here printed is probably the Cash Account. The parallel [? General] Account is very imperfect and impossible to give for the whole reign of James II.

(4) Navy Accounts.

From 1685, Dec. 31, to 1687, Mar. 25.
(Visct. Falkland, Treasurer.)

CHARGE.

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Remains	143,611	9	8¾
Supers depending	281,293	15	7
Money out of the Exchequer	521,128	0	2
Sale of old goods and provisions	904	19	8
Imprests made by former Treasurers and cleared by this Accomptant	5,356	15	9¼
Abatements on several persons' accompts detailed	1,368	2	4½
Ditto on several persons' bills and wages	1,155	5	7
Stores sold	397	6	5
Overpaid to several persons	91	0	11
	955,220	12	2½

DISCHARGE.

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Emptions & provisions	171,999	10	1¼
Salaries (Admiralty and Navy Office)	15,261	14	1
Travelling charges	635	2	6
Pilotage	709	12	0
Freight and transport of hired ships	3,470	12	4½
Rewards, royal bounty etc.	2,960	12	8
Interest on tradesmen's bills of store	426	5	5
Rent	1,261	16	10
Disbursements	14,103	3	1¼
Pensions	3,311	15	4
Half pay	666	4	6
Free gift (Barber Surgeons' Company for men on the *Oxford*)	48	10	0
Landcarriage	60	7	6
Bills of extraordinaries	318	16	5¼
Repairs and workmanship in the Yards	13,021	18	0½
Volunteers' diet	8,381	13	9½
Payments by assignments from the Commissioners appointed to examine and pass the old accompt :			
(1) Wages, commanders	6,787	15	1
(2) Ditto, ships	79,823	19	1
(3) Scraping & tarring ships	401	6	0
Payments by assignments from the Navy Commissioners on the current services :			
(1) Wages to ships	18,877	18	5
(2) Wages, dockyards	113,197	16	5
(Total, 455,721*l.* 9*s.* 8*d.*)			
Ordinary allowances	29	3	4
Accomptant's salary	5,033	2	4
On the Victualling Account :			
Emptions and provisions	22,269	17	0
Freight	696	9	6
Disbursements by the Victualling Agents at the outports, for sea provisions	15,837	5	4½
Ditto for bakehouse work etc.	1,631	13	0
Rent	259	0	0
Salaries (Victualling Commissioners and Office)	3,242	10	0
Repairs and incidents	1,124	15	1¼
(Total Victualling Account, 45,060*l.* 14*s.* 4*d.*)			
	505,844	9	8¾

Navy Accounts—*cont.*

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Remains	449,376	2	$5\frac{3}{4}$
Whereof supers	277,037	1	$11\frac{1}{2}$
Remains	172,339	0	$6\frac{1}{4}$

From 1686, Dec. 31, to 1687, Dec. 31.

CHARGE.

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Arrears (remains) ..	172,339	0	$6\frac{1}{4}$
Ditto (supers)	277,037	1	$11\frac{1}{2}$
Receipts (money out of the Exchequer)	428,188	5	$8\frac{1}{4}$
Imprest bills cleared within the time of this accompt	4,282	10	9
Old goods and provisions sold	870	11	0
Rent of Lordship Fields at Chatham	37	10	0
Sale of provisions ..	413	19	11
	883,168	19	10

DISCHARGE.

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Emptions & provisions .	133,399	8	$5\frac{1}{2}$
Salaries (Admiralty and Navy Office)	18,743	14	6
Interest on tradesmen's bills of store	227	4	0
Travelling charges ..	751	15	7
Pilotage	437	2	9
Volunteers' diets	944	10	6
Transport	1,599	12	9
Stores for Tangier and Gibraltar in 1680 ..	18,928	7	11
Rigging wages	113	16	5
Rewards and bounty ..	1,244	2	9
Half pay	586	6	9
Pensions	2,651	11	2
Rent	8,743	14	0
Wages (by assignments from the Commissioners for the old accompt)	22,059	1	5
Ditto (by assignments from the Navy Commissioners for the current year)	32,605	7	7
Dockyard wages	90,530	5	1
(Total, 333,561*l.* 1*s.* $7\frac{1}{2}$*d.*)			
Accomptant's salary ..	4,029	10	0
Ordinary allowances ..	23	6	8
The accompt of the Victualling :			
Emptions and provisions	28,554	7	$0\frac{3}{4}$
Freight	884	1	9
Disbursed by the Victualling Agents in the outports for provisions	8,125	3	6
Bakehouse, brewhouse etc.	2,107	18	5
Rent	208	0	0
Salaries (Victualling Commissioners and Office)	3,220	0	0
Repairs and incidents.	2,880	6	0
(Total of the Victualling 45,979*l.* 16*s.* $8\frac{3}{4}$*d.*)			
	383,593	15	$0\frac{1}{4}$

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Remains	499,575	4	$9\frac{3}{4}$
Whereof supers	274,065	17	$3\frac{1}{2}$
Remains	225,509	7	$6\frac{1}{4}$

Navy Accounts—*cont.*

From 1688, Mar. 25, to 1689, April 4.

CHARGE.

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Arrears: Remains ..	225,509	7	6¼
Ditto, supers depending.	274,065	17	3½
Money received out of the Exchequer	470,033	9	6
Ditto received towards the thirty ships' account	1,014	7	7½
Money received in imprest bills paid by former Treasurers and cleared within the time of this accompt ..	4,926	12	2
Old goods and provisions sold	13,003	18	7¼
Rent of the Lordship Fields at Chatham ..	7	10	0
On accompt of the Victualling;			
Money received by this Accomptant's Agent Mr. Sturt for the service of the Victualling	1,310	7	5
Overpayments	12	4	8

DISCHARGE.

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Emptions and provisions.	99,111	10	10
Salaries (Admiralty and Navy Office)	11,680	10	10
Pensions to several officers of ships and others	3,637	4	1
Rewards for extraordinary services	637	3	6
Disbursements of various natures	10,291	13	5¾
Travelling charges ..	768	3	6
Volunteers' diet charges.	317	16	0
Pilotage	2,528	13	6
Free gifts and medicines	477	6	5
Rebuilding and [contract] price of ships and lighters	10,894	1	10
Hire and freight for transport	3,973	2	7
House rent	1,357	2	3
Wages and entertainment of officers and seamen	94,507	6	1
Wages etc. in the dockyards and ropeyards ..	47,614	7	6
Short allowance money.	3,584	9	1
Bounty to widows and orphans of seamen slain in the service	55	0	0
Imprests cleared by succeeding Treasurers ..	46,205	4	0
(Total, 343,600*l.* 11*s.* 6¾*d.*)			
Payments pursuant to assignments by the Commissioners for the old account, viz. between 1687–8, *Jan.* 1, *and* 1689, *Mar.* 31:			
Emptions and provisions	8,020	4	9
Interest to tradesmen	478	8	11
Salaries (Admiralty & Navy Office)	2,362	15	7
Pensions to officers of ships and others ..	2,265	10	3
Rewards	557	12	5
Disbursements of various natures ..	7,519	8	4
Half pay	1,653	5	0
Hire and freight ..	167	0	0
Wages in rigging time	133	17	10
Travelling charges ..	684	18	6
Volunteers' victuals ..	3,245	0	9½
Pilotage	25	7	0
Necessary money ..	130	18	6
Wages of officers and men	20,517	10	0
Dockyard and ropeyard wages	6,858	4	8
Payments on lists of arrears to yards ..	1,725	18	10
Imprests cleared by succeeding Treasurers	24,390	13	8½

Navy Accounts—*cont.*

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Imprests cleared by a certificate from the Navy Board	12,796	1	1½
(Total, 93,532*l.* 16*s.* 2½*d.*)			
Payments on the account for the thirty ships :			
Emptions and provisions	13,796	0	4½
Interest	540	4	7
Carriage	64	19	9
Salary (storekeeper at Harwich Yard) ..	90	2	0
Gratuities	100	0	0
Disbursements	74	19	3
Freight and transport.	33	12	3
Travelling charges ..	33	13	10
Wages in the Yards and ropeyards ..	17,872	7	10
(Total, 32,605*l.* 19*s.* 10½*d.*)			
Payments on the account for the war with the French King :			
Emptions and provisions	132	5	7
Interest to tradesmen	3,373	10	6
Disbursements	262	11	6
Transport	1,815	9	8
Travelling charges ..	60	18	6
Victualling charges (pursers')	58	0	0
(Total, 5,702*l.* 15*s.* 9*d.*)			
Victualling accompt :			
Emptions and provisions	80,798	10	2¼
Hire and freight ..	2,171	10	1
Balances of (various Captains') victualling account	702	19	3½
Money disbursed by the agents in the outports and others for sea provisions ..	28,900	7	9¼
Sundry repairs and incidents	2,063	14	10¾
Rent	513	0	0
Salaries (Victualling Commissioners and Office)	4,345	0	0
Coopers' and labourers' work	4,392	10	6½
(Total, 123,887*l.* 12*s.* 9¼*d.*)			
Accomptant's salary ..	3,989	2	2¼
Ordinary allowances ..	30	0	0
Imprests vacated and cleared by succeeding Treasurers	208,059	19	10
Sundry allowances for services and payments	9,815	6	9½
Imprest bills paid by this Accomptant for the Victualling and charged on the Earl of Orford			

Navy Accounts—*cont.*

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
	989,883	14	9½

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
the succeeding Treasurer of the Navy ..	7,864	2	3½
Money paid over by this Accomptant to the Earl of Orford, his successor	1,600	0	0
	822,824	4	11¾

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Remains	167,059	9	9¾
Whereof supers dependent	139,447	19	4½
Leaving this Accomptant finally indebted	27,611	10	5

(5) Army Accounts.

From 1 Jan., 1684–5, to 31 Dec., 1685

(Charles Fox, Paymaster-General).

Charge.	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*
Remains		*nil.*	
Money out of the Exchequer	498,021	5	1
Deduction of 12*d.* per £ out of Army pay ..	7,972	17	8½
Deduction for bread delivered to the Forees on Hounslow Heath..	486	5	8
Money remitted out of Ireland	17,500	0	0

Discharge.	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*
Surplus	10,518	0	3¾
General officers	2,894	0	11
King's Own Troop of [Horse] Guards under the Duke of Albemarle	21,397	12	8
Second Troop of the King's Horse Guards (under successively Sir Philip Howard and the Duke of Northumberland, consisting of officers, 200 gentlemen Troopers and 1 Troop of Grenadiers)	20,669	2	8
Third Troop of the King's Horse Guards (under successively the Earl of Feversham and John Lord Churchill; composed *ut supra*) ..	20,639	2	8
Royal Regiment of Horse Guards (Earl of Oxford)	26,447	12	8
First Regiment of Foot Guards (Duke of Grafton)	35,067	4	0
Coldstream Regiment of Foot Guards (Earl of Craven)	18,009	17	8
Scotch Regiment [of Foot]	24,454	14	8
Queen Dowager's Regiment of Foot Guards (under Col. Piercy Kirke)	11,826	8	0
Prince of Denmark's Regiment [formerly Duke of York's] under Sir Charles Littleton..	14,136	2	6
Holland Regiment, with one Company of Grenadiers	13,003	10	6

Army Accounts—*cont.*

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Queen Consort's [formerly the Duchess of York's] Regiment of Foot Guards	11,739	17	4
King's Regiment of Dragoons (under successively Lord Churchill and Visct. Cornbury) .	14,408	6	8
Col. Strother's Troop of Dragoons	725	9	2
(Total for the Guards and Land Forces, 235,419*l.* 2*s.* 1*d.*)			
Garrisons :			
Berwick	1,197	12	8
Carlisle	1,116	5	4
Chepstow	278	0	0
Chester (officers, 50 soldiers and 3 gunners ; establishment dated 1685, July 1).	581	2	0
Calshot Castle	154	14	0
Cinque Ports	1,254	16	0
Dartmouth (1 master gunner & 1 gunner)	54	12	0
Guernsey	1,870	9	4
Gravesend and Tilbury	1,798	15	4
Hull	2,339	2	4
Holy Island	109	4	0
Hurst Castle	154	13	6
Jersey	1,243	13	4
Sir John Lanier's allowance	300	0	0
St. Mawes	54	12	0
Pendennis	838	16	5
Plymouth	2,325	16	0
Portsmouth	5,957	15	1
Scilly	1,240	12	4
Scarborough	91	0	0
Teignmouth and Clifford's Fort	1,613	18	8
Tower of London ..	1,782	11	2
Upnor, Gillingham and Calshot Wood ..	882	14	0
Windsor	963	10	0
Isle of Wight	2,306	9	0
York and Clifford's Tower (the Governor, a Company of Foot and a storekeeper). .	1,572	7	9
Yarmouth	109	4	0
Gunners in St. James's Park	136	10	0
Lord Colepeper's pension	598	7	6
(Total for the garrisons, 32,927*l.* 19*s.* 9*d.*)			
Army raised in 1685 *:*			
General officers	4,597	18	0
Recruits (10 men *per* Troop) added to the Earl of Oxford's 5 Troops of the Royal Regiment of Horse).	387	10	8

Army Accounts—*cont.*

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Ditto to the Duke of Grafton's 1st Regiment of Foot Guards	5,702	12	0
Ditto to the Coldstream Regiment	2,813	9	4
Ditto to Major Robert Douglas's Royal Regiment of Foot (disbanded)	1,112	10	0
Ditto to Col. C. Trelawney's Queen [Consort's] Regiment of Foot	666	1	8
Ditto to Col. P. Kirke's Queen Dowager's Regiment of Foot ..	518	5	4
Ditto to Sir C. Littleton's Prince George of Denmark's Regiment of Foot ..	713	2	8
Ditto to the Earl of Mulgrave's Holland Regiment of Foot .	758	15	10
Ditto to Lord Churchill's Royal Regiment of Dragoons	118	19	0
Ditto to Col. W. Strother's Troop of Dragoons	317	18	10
Ditto to Independent Companies under the Earl of Plymouth, Sir Christopher Musgrave, Col. Sackville Tufton, Sir J. Reresby, Capt. Thos. Cheeke, Capt. Peter Shakerley, George Lord Dartmouth, Earl of Bath, Earl of Gainsborough, Capt. Rich. Carter, Capt. Cornwallis	614	19	2
Ditto to ditto under Capt. Hy. Villiers, Capt. Charles Potts, Capt. Francis Godolphin, Sir Robt. Holmes	230	6	10
Ditto to ditto under Capt. Robert Myners	205	12	0
Sir J. Reresby for the officers of the Independent Company of Grenadiers under him	32	0	6
Christopher Lord Hatton, for recruits of an Independent Company of Foot under him to Sept. 1 ..	53	18	8
(Total pay for recruits, 14.062*l.* 1*s.* 10*d.*)			

Army Accounts—*cont.*

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
New raised Regiments and Troops of Horse :			
Queen's Regiment of Horse under Sir J. Lanier (9 Troops) ..	14,414	0	10
Earl of Peterborough's Regiment of Horse.	8,243	11	10
Earl of Plymouth's ditto	9,218	1	10
Henry Lord Dover's ditto	9,352	0	6
Earl of Thanet's (afterwards Col. Robert Werden's) ditto ..	9,112	19	7
James Earl of Arran's ditto	8,767	1	0
Charles, Earl of Shrewsbury's ditto .	9,101	16	8
Robert, Earl of Scarsdale's ditto	9,144	6	4
Visct. Lumley's ditto .	9,336	5	8
Troop of Horse under Capt. David Lloyd .	1,734	0	8
Ditto under Marquess of Worcester (to Oct. 31)	1,052	14	2
(Total for new raised Regiments etc. of Horse, 89,476*l.* 19*s.* 2*d.*)			
New raised Regiments of Dragoons :			
Five Troops of Dragoons added to the Royal Regiment of Dragoons late under Lord Churchill (to Sept. 1)	2,199	10	6
Two Troops of Dragoons to same Regiment under Visct. Cornbury from Sept. 1 under Wm. Culliford and Wm. Strother	1,452	0	0
Two Troops of the Queen Consort's Regiment of Dragoons under the Duke of Somerset ..	5,211	14	10
Princess Ann of Denmark's Regiment of Dragoons under Col. John Berkeley (six Troops complete) ..	6,099	10	4
Two Troops unmounted and four Troops mounted of the Regiment of Dragoons under Col. Rich. Hamilton (to Oct. 31)	3,981	7	2
(Total for the Dragoons, 18,944*l.* 2*s.* 10*d.*)			
Royal Regiment of Fusileers under George,			

Army Accounts—*cont.*

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Lord Dartmouth (to Dec. 25)	7,675	0	1
New Raised Regiments and Companies of Foot :			
Princess Ann of Denmark's Regiment of Foot under Robt., Lord Ferrers	5,931	6	2
Regiment of Foot under Col. Henry Cornwall	5,852	18	4
Ditto under Earl of Bath	5,431	12	10
Ditto under Duke of Beaufort and Marq. of Worcester successively	5,452	19	6
Ditto under Earl of Huntingdon	5,389	17	2
Ditto under Duke of Norfolk	5,525	19	10
Ditto under Sir Ed. Hales	5,653	5	6
Ditto under Sir William Clifton	5,547	17	6
Major-General Hugh Mackay, Commander in Chief of three Scotch Regiments of Foot that lately came from Holland (pay from June 5 to Aug. 3)	5,582	2	8
Sir Hy. Belasyse, Commander in Chief of three English Regiments of Foot that lately came from Holland (pay from June 30 to July 31)	2,938	8	0
Company of Foot under Richard, Lord Arundell of Trerice .	448	6	0
Ditto under Sir Tho. Huggerston	468	1	0
(Total pay of new raised Foot, 54,222*l.* 14*s.* 6*d.*)			
Horse, Foot and Dragoons raised and disbanded within the time of this account :			
Eleven Troops of Horse and one Troop of Dragoons	3,338	18	0
Two Troops under Capt. Baldwin Leighton & Capt. John O'Neile.	326	5	0
"Several" Independent Companies of Foot	1,629	7	10
(Total, 5,394*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.*)			
(Total pay of established Forces and of			

Army Accounts—*cont.*

	l.	*s.*	*d.*		*l.*	*s.*	*d.*
				Forces raised this year, 194,383*l.* 7*s.* 3*d.*)			
				Contingencies :			
				Pensions and allowances	2,345	1	3½
				Pay of several officers and others	2,401	19	11½
				Special services and royal bounty	1,478	13	0
				Fire and candle ..	1,067	0	4
				Medicaments	306	7	10
				Sundries	3,574	7	4
				Standards and colours	578	0	0
				Trumpets' liveries ..	1,058	12	5
				Smart money	235	5	0
				Annual allowances ..	1,450	16	8
				Reformed and disabled soldiers	3,108	12	9
				Loss of horses and accoutrement ..	2,455	2	6
				Payments ordered by Charles II and hire allowed	29,445	8	4
				Advanced by Accomptant to the Duke of Norfolk for levy money of the Earl of Thanet's Regiment	334	14	7
				Reformed officers and others under the warrant of 1686–7, Jan. 1	1,386	1	4
				Sundries	905	16	0
				Stationery	316	13	5
				Money lost in the hands of Thos. Price [by his failure], being for quarters in the Western Counties ..	4,203	17	0
				(Total of Contingencies, 54,307*l.* 8*s.* 5½*d.*)			
				Deduction of a day's pay *per an.* for the years 1684 and 1685 for Chelsea Hospital (777*l.* 6*s.* 10*d.* and 1,575*l.* 12*s.* 3*d.*)	2,352	19	1
				Accomptant's salary ..	364	0	0
521,380	8	5½			532,615	18	3

From 1685–6, Jan. 1, to 1686, June 30
(Earl of Ranelagh, Paymaster General).

Charge.	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*	Discharge.	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*
Arrears		*nil.*		Principal officers	7,479	3	5¾
Money out of the Exchequer	242,400	13	4	First Troop of Guards and Grenadiers (Earl of Feversham)	10,739	6	8
Money remitted out of Ireland	15,000	0	0	Second ditto	10,458	15	6

Army Accounts—*cont.*

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Deduction of 12*d.* per £.	5,155	4	8

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Third ditto	10,458	15	8
Royal Regiment of Horse Guards (Earl of Oxford: nine Troops) ..	14,943	1	2
Queen Consort's Regiment of Horse (nine Troops)	13,038	0	8
Regiment of Horse (six Troops)	8,875	0	8
Ditto under Earl of Plymouth	8,875	0	8
Ditto under Major-Gen. Robert Werden ..	8,847	11	8
Ditto under James, Earl of Arran	8,875	0	8
Ditto under Charles, Earl of Shrewsbury	8,875	0	8
Ditto, Princess Ann of Denmark's Regiment .	8,875	0	8
Ditto, Queen Dowager's	8,875	0	8
Ditto under Lord Dover	8,404	0	8
First Regiment of Foot Guards under Duke of Grafton (24 Companies, 1,920 soldiers).	21,983	14	8
Coldstream Regiment under Earl of Craven (12 Companies, 960 soldiers)	11,154	12	0
Royal Regiment of Foot Guards under Earl of Dumbarton (20 Companies, 1,000 soldiers and one Company of Grenadiers)	10,292	11	4
Queen Dowager's Regiment of Foot (10 Companies, 500 soldiers and one Company of Grenadiers)	5,948	17	4
Prince George of Denmark's Regiment of Foot (12 Companies, 600 soldiers)	6,950	8	0
Holland Regiment of Foot (same)	6,950	8	0
Queen Consort's Regiment of Foot (same). .	5,948	17	4
Princess Ann of Denmark's Regiment of Foot (10 Companies, 500 soldiers)	5,416	8	6
Marquess of Worcester's Regiment of Foot (same)	5,416	8	6
Duke of Norfolk's same .	5,416	8	6
Sir Edward's Hales's same	5,416	8	6
Earl of Huntingdon's same	5,416	8	6
Col. Cornewall's same ..	5,407	5	11
Late Sir William Clifton's, now Col. William Herbert's same	5,408	0	6
Earl of Bath's same ..	5,585	3	9
Royal Regiment of Fusiliers under Lord			

Army Accounts—*cont.*

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Earl of Shrewsbury's ditto	9,022	2	8
Princess Ann of Denmark's ditto	9,022	2	8
Queen Dowager's ditto .	9,022	2	8
First Regiment of Foot Guards	22,360	12	0
Coldstream ditto	11,339	9	8
Royal Regiment of Foot [? erratum for 10,620*l.* 9*s.* 4*d.*]	6,620	9	4
Queen Dowager's Regiment of Foot	6,010	14	4
Prince George of Denmark's ditto	7,007	0	0
Holland ditto	7,007	0	0
Queen Consort's ditto ..	5,991	10	8
Princess Ann of Denmark's ditto	5,450	4	0
Col. Hy. Cornwall's ditto	5,451	17	4
Marquess of Worcester's ditto	5,456	2	8
Earl of Lichfield's ditto	5,428	4	0
Earl of Huntingdon's ditto	5,458	4	0
Earl of Bath's ditto ..	5,948	0	0
Sir Edward Hales's ditto	5,451	4	8
Col. Herbert's ditto ..	5,449	8	8
Royal Regiment of Fusiliers	7,748	4	10
Royal Regiment of Dragoons (Visct. Cornbury)	9,314	3	8
Queen's ditto (Duke of Somerset)	7,237	6	8
Princess Anne of Denmark's ditto	7,237	6	8
Several Independent Companies of Grenadiers :			
Sir Tho. Huggerston (July 1 to Aug. 31)	170	5	4
Capt. Peter Shakerly, Sir Robert Holmes and Capt. Edw. Villiers (1 July to Oct. 31)	1,010	0	0
Earl of Gainsbro, Capt. Carter, Capt. Godolphin (same period)..	1,010	14	0
Christopher, Lord Hatton, and Thomas, Lord Jermin (same period)	673	13	4
Sir Christopher Musgrave (same period)	336	14	8
Capt. Sackville Tufton (same period) ..	336	19	4
Earl of Plymouth (same period)	337	0	0
Capt. Robt. Minors (same period) ..	287	14	0
Capt. Tho. Cheeke (same period) ..	395	6	9
Sir Jo. Reresby (same period)	358	3	2
Fourteen of the said Companies upon the			

Army Accounts—*cont.*

	l.	*s.*	*d.*		*l.*	*s.*	*d.*
				muster commencing Nov. 1 and ending Dec. 31	2,320	10	10
				(Total pay of the Guards and Land Forces, 289,638*l.* 5*s.* 9*d.*)			
				Garrisons :			
				List in substance, *ut supra*, p. lxxii, (but including two Companies of Foot in New England) ..	9,247	19	6½
				Contingencies :			
				Medicaments	1,566	2	2
				Fire and candle ..	2,155	3	6
				Carts and carriages ..	306	15	10
				Ferrymen	46	14	0
				Sundry allowances ..	457	2	0
				Stationery	223	10	4
				Clothes for recruits and hauboyes	1,995	7	8
				King's bounty and reward	2,454	12	2½
				Sundries	2,971	10	0
				Pay of several Scotch officers with several Companies of Scotch Guards :			
				Twelve Companies of the Earl of Dunbarton's Regiment upon the muster July 1 to Aug. 30 and 52 officers etc. in the Battalion of the Royal Regiment of Foot in Scotland more than were mustered in the Battalion of the Scotch Guards now in England	1,978	10	8
				Ditto upon the muster Sept. 1 to Oct. 31 ..	1,945	5	4
				Ditto upon the muster Nov. 1 to Dec. 31 .	1,951	12	0
				(Total, 5,875*l.* 8*s.* 0*d.*)			
				J. Shales, Commissary of Provisions	15,002	5	10
	375,702	12	8		379,421	2	10¾

From 1686–7, Jan. 1, to 1687, Dec. 31

(Earl of Ranelagh).

Charge.	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*	Discharge.	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*
Arrears		*nil.*		Surplusage	3,718	10	2½
Money out of the Exchequer	589,038	13	0	General officers	16,487	4	2
Money remitted out of Ireland	30,000	0	0	First Troop of Horse Guards (Earl of Feversham)	20,859	14	4

Army Accounts—*cont.*

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
One third of the deduction of 12*d.* per £ ..	10,243	17	8

	l.	*s.*	*d*
Second ditto (Duke of Northumberland) ..	20,293	19	4
Third ditto (Lord Churchill)	20,220	15	4
Fourth ditto (Lord Dover)	20,293	19	4
Royal Regiment of Horse (Earl of Oxford) ..	30,130	0	10
Queen Consort's ditto ..	26,292	3	4
Earl of Peterborough's ditto	17,809	8	10
Ditto under Earl of Plymouth and afterwards under Sir John Fenwick	17,878	8	4
Major-General Werden's ditto	17,893	5	10
Earl of Arran's ditto ..	17,897	3	4
Col. Rich. Hamilton's ditto	17,873	18	4
Princess Anne of Denmark's ditto	17,893	8	4
Queen Dowager's ditto..	17,862	3	2
First Regiment of Foot Guards	44,487	18	0
Second ditto (Coldstream)	22,587	18	2
Royal Regiment of Foot	13,106	10	10
Queen Dowager's Regiment of Foot	12,863	10	0
Prince George of Denmark's ditto	13,841	14	0
Holland ditto (Sir T. Oglethorpe)	13,860	17	0
Queen Consort's ditto (Col. C. Trelawney) ..	12,883	8	6
Royal Regiment of Fusiliers (Lord Dartmouth)	16,528	17	4
Princess Anne of Denmark's Regiment of Foot	10,796	1	7
Col. Cornwall's ditto ..	10,616	10	5
Earl of Bath's ditto ..	11,796	11	10
Marquess of Worcester's ditto	11,303	17	10
Earl of Lichfield's ditto .	11,283	19	2
Earl of Huntingdon's ditto	11,296	3	10
Sir Edw. Hales's ditto ..	10,977	18	8
Ditto under Col. Arthur Herbert and afterwards under Col. Sackville Tufton	11,381	16	6
Royal Regiment of Dragoons	18,687	3	4
Queen's ditto	14,356	13	4
Princess Anne of Denmark's ditto	14,364	6	10
Independent Companies :			
Peter Shackerley (Grenadiers)	828	4	0
Col. Sackville Tufton (ditto)	412	14	8
Capt. Hy. Villiers (ditto)	1,002	15	5
Thos. Lord Jermin (ditto)	494	14	8

Army Accounts—*cont.*

	l.	*s.*	*d.*

Army Accounts—*cont.*

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
(7) Received of Anthony Row towards the pay of Regiments detailed ..	3,837	6	8
(8) Money received as deduction from John Clancy, agent to Col. Mac Elliyott's Regiment	100	0	0

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Marquis de Miremont's ditto (6 Troops, 300 Troopers)	5,246	11	8
Charles, Lord Brandon's ditto (same ; disbanded 1688–9, Jan. 4) ..	4,891	3	0
James, Earl of Salisbury's ditto (same ; disbanded 1688–9, Jan. 7)			
Col. Hy. Slingesby's ditto (same; disbanded same)	3,377	6	2
Col. George Holman's ditto (same ; disbanded same)	2,314	12	0
Henry, Lord Delamere's ditto	6,784	0	0
William, Lord Cavendish's ditto	6,784	0	0
Sir Thomas Barton's Troop of Horse (disbanded 1688–9, Jan. 4)	477	19	0
First Regiment of Foot Guards (Duke of Grafton and then Hy., Visct. Sidney)	57,740	9	2
Second ditto Coldstream (Earl of Craven with four additional Companies)	34,035	4	6
Royal Regiment of Foot (Earl of Dumbarton and then Duke of Schomberg : with four new Companies and one Company of Grenadiers)	33,149	4	4
Queen Dowager's Regiment of Foot (with two Companies of Grenadiers added and 10 men to each Company	19,950	16	2
Prince of Denmark's Regiment of Foot (with 10 men added to each Company)	18,132	1	6
Holland Regiment of Foot (additions as above)	19,872	5	4
Queen Consort's Regiment of Foot (two Companies of Grenadiers added and 10 men to each Company)	19,838	18	7
Royal Regiment of Fusiliers (10 men added to each Company) ..	23,158	12	2
Princess Ann of Denmark's Regiment of Foot (with one additional Company and several recruits) ..	16,503	6	8
Col. John Cornwall's Regiment of Foot (with			

Army Accounts—*cont.*

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
10 men added to each Company)	18,274	5	0
Earl of Bath's Regiment of Foot (with two additional Companies and 12 added to each Company)	18,271	3	4
Regiment of Foot under the Earl of Montgomery and then Sir John Hanmore (with the like additions) ..	18,081	13	6
Ditto under Earl of Lichfield and then Col. Hy. Wharton (with like additions)	18,239	3	10
Ditto under Earl of Huntingdon and then Col. Ferdinand Hastings (with like additions)	18,472	8	6
Ditto under Sir Edw. Hales and then Col. William Beveridge (with like additions)	17,377	1	2
Ditto under Col. Sackville Tufton and then Sir James Leslie (with like additions)	18,322	13	4
Ditto under Col. John Hales (with like additions)	16,464	15	6
Ditto under Col. Roger Mac Elligott (raised 1688, May; disbanded 1688–9, Jan. 8)	9,390	8	2
Ditto under Col. Solomon Richards (raised in Oct., 1688)	8,578	13	8
Ditto under Col. Bevill Skelton: *ut supra* ..	8,719	15	10
Ditto under Sir John Guise (raised in Jan. [1688–9])	4,638	14	2
Ditto under Earl of Monmouth (same)	4,741	17	6
Ditto under Col. Francis Russell (same)	4,641	15	6
Ditto under Sir David Colyear: from 1688, Nov.	8,063	11	4
Ditto under Earl of Leven	4,648	17	10
Ditto under Henry, Duke of Newcastle (raised Oct., 1688; disbanded Dec.)	2,656	15	2
Ditto under Col. Hy. Gage (same)	1,844	12	2
Ditto under Col. John Carne: 1688, Nov., to 1688–9, Jan. 7	1,278	11	2
Ditto under Col. Robert Hodges (raised Oct., 1688)	8,691	18	2

Army Accounts—*cont.*

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Ditto under Col. Gustavus Hamilton, lately Sir Rob. Peyton (six Companies, 300 soldiers): from 1688, Nov. ..	3,161	18	0
Royal Regiment of Dragoons (with 10 additional to each Troop).	26,073	12	0
Queen Consort's ditto (same)	19,943	16	6
Princess Ann of Denmark's ditto (same) ..	20,069	0	0
Col. Francis Wahup's Regiment of Foot: from 1688, April, when they landed in Scotland, to the 24th of the same month, when they entered into Scots' pay	1,251	1	6
Scots' Horse and Foot:			
Troop of Scots Guards (Earl of Drumlanrig: 118 gentlemen) ..	4,768	12	10
Royal Regiment of Scots Horse (Earl of Selkirk: 294 privates)	7,191	7	6
Lieut.-Gen. James Douglasse's Battalion of Scots Guards according to the warrant of 1686, July 22 (13 Companies, 1,027 privates)	14,894	18	6
Col. Thomas Buchan's Regiment of Scots Foot (Scots Regiment of Foot) (same warrant: 13 Companies, 650 soldiers)	10,266	2	0
Sir Thomas Levingston's Regiment of Scots Dragoons (six Troops, 294 men) ..	6,606	10	0
(Total of Scots Horse and Foot in English pay, 43,727*l.* 10*s.* 10*d.*)			
Irish Foot and Dragoons:			
Duke of Ormonde: Battalion of Irish Foot Guards in England (six Companies and one Company of Grenadiers: Nov. 1 to Jan. 6)	1,212	5	6
Col. Anth. Hamilton's Regiment of Foot (12 Companies and one Company of Grenadiers: same date)	2,263	14	10

Army Accounts—*cont.*

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Sir John Edgworth (ditto: Nov. 1 to April 30)	6,927	15	6
Col. John Butler: Regiment of Irish Dragoons (10 Troops: Nov. 1 to Jan. 6) ..	3,481	10	6
(Total for Irish Foot and Dragoons in English pay, 13,885*l.* 6*s.* 4*d.*)			
Independent Companies:			
Sir J. Reresby	875	15	10
Sir R. Holmes	1,056	7	0
Capt. Peter Shackerly (until its incorporation with Sir E. Hales's Regiment, 1688, April 30) ..	330	14	8
Capt. Robt. Minors ..	1,134	0	0
Capt. Edw. Braughall (until its incorporation with Col. Bevil Skelton's Regiment, 1688, Dec. 1) ..	144	19	0
Capt. John Sibly (raised 1688, Oct.; disbanded 1688–9, Jan.)	193	4	4
Capt. William Gibbons (same)	207	1	4
Capt. Elias Beake (same)	72	2	8
Capt. Francis Ingolsby (same)	94	3	8
Capt. Morrice Flynn (same)	172	11	0
Capt. Math. Smith (same)	237	13	2
Capt. Anthony Power (same)	221	15	8
Capt. Hy. Davies (same)	253	7	4
(Total pay of Guards and Land Forces, 993,096*l.* 3*s.* 11*d.*)			
Garrisons:			
Berwick	1,098	1	1
Carlisle	387	10	0
Chepstow	72	18	0
Chester	340	4	0
Cinque Ports	1,838	8	10½
Calshot Castle	182	5	0
Dartmouth	54	18	0
Guernsey	194	8	0
Gravesend and Tilbury	1,456	9	6¼
Hull and blockhouse ..	1,314	16	11½
Holy Island	72	18	0
Hurst Castle	182	5	0
Jersey	243	0	0
Landguard Fort ..	243	0	0
St. Mawes	72	18	0
Pendennis	97	4	0
Plymouth	1,598	4	7½
Portland	222	15	0
Portsmouth	1,499	1	2¼
Sheerness	1,202	17	0

Army Accounts—*cont.*

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Scilly	243	0	0
Scarborough	142	15	3
Tynemouth and Clifford's Fort	777	12	0
Tower of London ..	2,434	2	8
Upnor etc.	534	12	0
Windsor	486	0	0
Isle of Wight	1,698	9	4½
North Yarmouth ..	145	16	0
Governor of York ..	501	6	10½
Lord Colepeper	601	12	3
Two Companies of Foot in New England ..	2,770	4	0
Gunners in St. James's Park	182	5	0
Gunners in the Medway	120	16	0
Additional gunners in the Medway	205	14	0
Gunners at Woolwich. (Total of garrison, 23,303*l.* 1*s.* 7¼*d.*)	84	14	0
Contingencies :			
Bounty and rewards..	3,525	18	2½
Medicaments	1,145	13	6
Fire and candle ..	2,259	19	6
Ferrymen at Fulham, Lambeth & Datchet	97	15	9
Stationery wares ..	487	7	6
Clothes and liveries ..	2,937	6	0
Repairs, Horse Guards	1,136	11	7
Sundry services ..	4,387	7	8
Sundries	14,544	7	10
(Total of contingencies, 30,522*l.* 7*s.* 6½*d.*)			
Paid to the Earl of Monmouth's and Col. Earle's (late Col. Luttrell's) Regiments	2,917	17	0
Paid upon account to be rendered only to his Majesty: Mr. Benlench, 1,000*l.*; Lord Dartmouth, 700*l.*; Henry Powle, 1,140*l.*; Monsieur Isaac, 6,000*l.*; Ann Vangolstein, 1,000*l.*; Jacob Vandercsch, 162,500*l.*	172,340	0	0
Money paid without accompt under warrant of 1689, April 10 ..	4,000	0	0
Remainder of 200*l.* advanced to Major O'Connor	142	1	0
Paid to reformed and disabled officers ..	4,686	0	0
	1,258,758	11	0¾
1,199,091 15 7¼			

The Accomptant further claims 4,398*l.* 11*s.* 5½*d.* as the remainder of 12,249*l.* 1*s.* 1*d.* by him paid to Commissary General Shales for Hounslow Heath encampment in 1687: towards which he has only deducted from Army pay 7,850*l.* 9*s.* 7½*d.*

(6) Ordnance Accounts.

From 1685, June 30, to 1686, June 30.

(C. Bertie, Treasurer and Paymaster.)

Charge.	l.	s.	d.
Arrears (remains) ..	3,774	17	2¼
Ditto (supers)	78,802	14	2¼
Money out of the Exchequer	70,800	0	0
Voluntary charge ..	4,892	8	6
	158,269	19	10½

Discharge.	l.	s.	d.
Wages etc. of principal officers, armourers, engineers, fireworkers, gunners etc.	13,231	17	6
Emptions and provisions, viz. of:			
Powder	655	10	0
Shot	701	0	9
Small arms and repairs.	10,923	16	10
Ship carriages and standing carriages	1,932	17	11½
Sundry provisions ..	15,056	19	7
Artificers and tradesmen	6,394	17	2
Repairs of castles and forts	13,847	5	10¾
Sundry disbursements ..	6,875	18	3½
Rewards	1,889	12	7
Land and water carriage	1,589	6	6
Salaries	827	5	10
Travelling charges ..	1,130	7	6
Rent of houses	550	2	6
Ordinary allowances ..	15	0	0
	75,622	5	6¾

From 1686, June 30, to 1687, June 30.

Charge.	l.	s.	d.
Arrears (remains) ..	256	18	10¼
Ditto (supers)	82,390	15	5½
Money out of the Exchequer	95,404	11	2½
Voluntary charge ..	1,806	17	4¾
	179,859	2	11

Discharge.	l.	s.	d.
Wages etc. *ut supra* ..	11,030	5	0
Emptions and provisions, viz. of:			
Powder	6,860	0	0
Shot	4,060	12	6¾
Ordnance	1,045	6	3
Tents	2,575	14	9
Carriage for ordnance ..	1,691	1	6¾
Small arms	13,412	19	7
Sundry provisions ..	14,254	15	10½
Land and water carriage	989	19	5
Sundry disbursements ..	6,784	14	11½
Reparations of castles and forts	26,370	0	8
Rent of houses	484	0	0
Rewards	1,953	14	0
Salaries	748	14	11
Travelling charges ..	1,830	9	5
Ordinary allowances ..	15	0	0
	94,107	15	7½

From 1687, June 30, to 1688, June 30.

Charge.	l.	s.	d.
Arrears (remains) ..	4,433	3	4
Ditto (supers)	81,318	3	11½
Money out of the Exchequer	97,827	9	9
Voluntary charge ..	2,173	16	7½

Discharge.	l.	s.	d.
Wages etc. *ut supra* ..	11,377	0	0
Emptions and provisions, viz. of:			
A mortar piece	80	0	0
Granado shot	3,423	6	6¾
Powder	4,515	0	0

Ordnance Accounts—*cont.*

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
	185,752	13	8

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Shot	1,037	1	8¼
Match	259	8	11
Tents and toils	2,818	8	3¼
Carriages for Ordnance	2,915	16	3
Small guns and small arms	16,865	16	4
Sundry provisions	11,975	10	3¾
Reparations of castles and forts	25,862	2	5
Land and water carriage	1,941	16	6
Sundry disbursements	8,144	6	9¼
Rent of houses	556	5	0
Rewards	1,737	14	2½
Salaries	1,267	3	6
Travelling charges	4,136	18	8½
Ordinary allowances	15	6	8
	98,929	2	1¼

From 1688, June 30, to 1689, June 30.

CHARGE.

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Arrears (remains)	2,113	17	7¼
Ditto (supers)	84,709	13	11½
Money out of the Exchequer	127,506	10	1½
Voluntary charge	1,526	8	11½
	215,856	10	7¾

DISCHARGE.

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Wages etc. *ut supra*	7,923	12	6
Emptions and provisions, viz. of:			
Powder	5,110	14	9½
Shot	2,609	10	2½
Ordnance	1,061	3	9¼
Carriages	2,093	3	5
Tents	2,222	1	5½
Small arms	8,217	18	11
Sundry provisions	5,814	19	5½
Sundry artificers and tradesmen	22,178	17	3
Repairs of castles and forts	21,685	8	11½
Sundry disbursements	4,235	13	0¼
Rewards	1,785	4	10
Land and water carriage	4,689	8	0
Salaries	1,691	8	2
Travelling charges	916	15	3
Rent of houses	452	0	4
Ordinary allowances	15	6	8
	92,703	7	0

(7) Cofferer of the Household.

From 1685, June 30 (the day of the death of Henry, Visct. Brouncker, the previous Cofferer), to 1686, Sept. 30.

(Sir Peter Apsley.)

CHARGE.

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Remains (not charged)	——		
Ready money out of the Exchequer	66,800	0	0
Remains of provisions (not charged)	——		

DISCHARGE.

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Diet and maintenance of the Household and Stables	78,877	12	10½
Writing of this account	30	0	0

Cofferer of the Household—*cont.*

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Received of the executors of William Ashburnham, late Cofferer, and from William Whitmore & partners.	873	17	0
Beer etc. sold	83	2	4
	67,756	19	4

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Dr. William Holder, sub-almoner, for the King's daily alms	274	4	0
Diet and expense of the King at Windsor, Winchester, on progress etc.	10,453	18	10¼
Remains of provisions in the various offices of the Household etc. (not credited)	——		
	89,656	15	8¾

From 1686, Sept. 30, to 1687, Sept. 30.

Charge.

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Remains		*nil.*	
Money out of the Exchequer	76,118	6	6¾
Beer etc. sold	25	9	6¾
Remains of provisions etc. (not charged) ..	——		
	76,143	16	1½

Discharge.

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Surplusage	21,399	16	3¾
Diet and expense of the Household and Stables	63,398	17	7½
Writing of this account.	21	0	0
Auditor's fee	30	0	0
Dr. William Holder, for the King's daily alms	219	0	0
Divers tradesmen and creditors	11,980	4	3½
	97,048	18	3¾

From 1687, Sept. 30, to 1688, Dec. 31.

Charge.

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Money out of the Exchequer	124,322	18	2¾
Remains of provisions (not charged)	——		
Forinsec receipts (from Thomas Pechey, Thos. Neale and Hugh Mayo)	591	1	4
	124,913	19	6¾

Discharge.

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Surplusage	20,905	2	2¼
Diet and expenses of the Household & Stables .	81,957	14	1 3/8
Writing of this accompt	42	0	0
Auditor's fee	60	0	0
John, Bishop of Adramyti, the King's almoner, for the King's daily alms	274	16	0
To Sir Stephen Fox ..	110	0	0
Divers tradesmen and creditors	20,994	0	1½
Remains of provisions etc. (not credited) ..	——		
	124,343	13	3 1/8

(8) Treasurer of the Chamber.

From 1685, Michaelmas, to 1686, Michaelmas.

(Edward, afterwards Lord, Griffin.)

Charge.

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Arrears (not stated) ..	——		
Money out of the Exchequer	39,247	13	2

Discharge.

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
King's daily alms ..	565	14	1
Trumpeters	175	0	0
Musicians	1,560	0	0
Falconers	551	0	0

Treasurer of the Chamber—*cont.*

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Huntsmen of the Privy Buckhounds	1,320	0	0
Huntsmen of the fox-hounds	480	0	0
Huntsmen of his Majesty's harriers	800	0	0
Foresters or officers of the King's forests ..	36	10	0
Jewel House officers ..	382	5	0
Moletaker	8	1	8
Ratkiller	48	3	4
Cofferbearers	54	15	0
Grooms of the Chamber	400	0	0
Groom Porter	550	0	0
Yeomen ushers to the House of Peers	109	10	0
Yeomen ushers to the King	80	0	0
Yeomen hangers	60	0	0
Bedgoers to his Majesty.	20	0	0
Waiters on his Majesty's robes	20	0	0
Rich coat keepers ..	20	0	0
Pond keeper in St. James's Park	30	0	0
Theatre keeper	30	0	0
Gallery keepers	109	10	0
Housekeeper at Whitehall	650	0	0
Ditto at Windsor	250	0	0
Ditto at Hampton Court	300	0	0
Keeper of the house, gardens and wardrobe at Greenwich	225	0	0
Keeper of the Standing Wardrobe at Whitehall	200	0	0
Ditto of ditto at Windsor	160	0	0
Ditto of ditto and of the Privy Lodgings at Hampton Court ..	200	0	0
Ditto of the house at Audley End	250	0	0
Ditto of the house and wardrobe at Newmarket	200	0	0
Housekeeper and gardener at Richmond .	153	0	0
Signor Verrio, keeper of the Great Garden at St. James's Park ..	400	0	0
Gardener of St. James's house garden	91	5	0
Keeper of the gardens and bowling green at Hampton Court ..	73	0	0
Officers of the Removing Wardrobe	790	0	0
Clerk of the Wardrobes.	160	0	0
Yeoman of the Wardrobe at St. James's ..	110	0	0
Physicians of the King and Household	1,389	0	0
Apothecaries ditto ..	1,160	0	0
Chirurgeons ditto	1,094	8	4
Messengers	997	10	0
Pensions	320	0	0

Treasurer of the Chamber—*cont.*

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Total [not struck] ..	——		

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Watermen	210	0	0
Yeomen of the Guard ..	5,619	19	8
Payments on Counell warrants	136	13	4
Payments on Lord Chamberlain's warrants ..	[1,903	12	0]
Bills of allowanee	699	2	11
Watermen's bills	239	11	0
Ordinary allowance ..	63	6	8
Total [not struck] ..	——		

[Aceount not declared.]

From 1686, Mich., to 1687, Mich.

CHARGE.

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Arrears (not stated) ..	——		
Money out of the Exchequer	33,049	8	1

DISCHARGE.

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
King's alms	567	3	0
Serjeant trumpeter ..	160	0	0
Musicians for the violin.	1,560	0	0
Falconers	551	0	0
Huntsmen (privy buckhounds)	1,341	5	0
Ditto (foxhounds) ..	480	0	0
Ditto (harriers)	800	0	0
Offieers of the forest ..	36	10	0
Ditto of the Jewel House	382	5	0
Ditto of the Removing Wardrobe	950	0	0
Physicians of the King and Household	1,389	0	0
Apothecaries ditto ..	1,160	0	0
Chirurgeons ditto	1,381	18	4
Antonio Verrio, chief and first painter to tho King (two years on 200*l. per an.*)	400	0	0
Jeremy Gohory, daneing master to the late King	450	0	0
Moletaker	8	1	8
Ratkiller	48	3	4
Nurseryman and pond keeper	30	0	0
Theatre keeper	30	0	0
Gallery keepers	109	10	0
Rich coat keepers ..	20	0	0
Cofferbearers	54	15	0
Bedgoers	20	0	0
Waiters on the Robes ..	20	0	0
Messengers of the Chamber	997	10	0
Grooms of tho Chamber.	390	0	0
Groom porter	550	0	0
Repairer of bridges ..	45	0	0
Yeomen ushers of the House of Peers	109	10	0
Ushers and yeomen hangers attending the King	140	0	0
Annuities and pensions .	320	0	0
Clockmaker and watchmaker	450	0	0
Housekeepers, wardrobe keepers and gardeners	4,262	5	0

Treasurer of the Chamber—*cont.*

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Total (not struck) ..	——		

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Watermen	210	0	0
Officers and yeomen of the Guard of the Body	5,906	5	0
Issues by Council warrant	146	13	4
Ditto by Lord Chamberlain's warrant	4,893	16	3
Watermen's bills	636	1	9
Messengers' bills	2,136	2	4
Ordinary allowances ..	377	8	0
Total (not struck) ..	——		

[Account not declared.]

From 1687, Mich., to 1688, Christmas.

CHARGE.

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Arrears (not stated) ..	——		
Money out of the Exchequer	48,570	7	1½

DISCHARGE.

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
King's alms	568	12	1
Trumpeters	200	0	0
Musicians	1,600	0	0
Falconers	541	0	0
Huntsmen (privy buckhounds)	1,841	5	0
Ditto (foxhounds) ..	712	10	0
Ditto (harriers)	1,000	0	0
Foresters	27	7	6
Jewel House officers ..	382	5	0
Moletaker	8	1	8
Ratkiller	60	4	2
Cofferbearers	68	8	9
Grooms of the Chamber .	480	0	0
Groom porter	687	10	0
Repairer of bridges ..	15	0	0
Yeomen ushers to the House of Peers	136	17	0
Yeomen ushers to the King	95	0	0
Yeomen hangers	70	0	0
Bedgoers to the King ..	25	0	0
Waiters on the King's Robes	25	0	0
Rich coat keepers ..	22	10	0
Pond keeper	37	10	0
Theatre keeper	30	0	0
Gamekeeper	25	0	0
Gallery keepers	123	3	9
Clockmaker and watchmaker	250	0	0
Locksmith	63	17	6
Housekeepers, wardrobe keepers and gardeners	1,697	5	0
Officers of the Removing Wardrobe	1,097	10	0
Yeoman to the Wardrobe at St. James's	137	10	0
Physicians to the King and Household	1,596	5	0
Apothecaries ditto ..	1,325	0	0
Chirurgeons ditto	1,393	0	5
Verrio, chief painter ..	250	0	0
Messengers of the Chamber	1,271	16	3
Jeremy Gohory, dancing master	200	0	0

Treasurer of the Chamber—*cont.*

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Total (not struck) ..	——		

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Pensioner footmen and falconers	320	0	0
Watermen	259	7	6
Yeomen of the Guard ..	7,023	15	0
Duke of St. Alban ..	313	15	0
Payments by Council warrants	130	0	0
Ditto by Lord Chamberlain's warrant	7,499	17	5
Stationers	690	11	0
Watermen's bills	576	7	6
Messengers' bills	5,794	12	6
Ordinary allowances ..	213	6	8
Total (not struck) ..	——		

[Account not declared.]

(9) Works Paymaster.

Philip Packer's final account for extraordinaries, including the rebuilding the Privy Gallery at Whitehall.

From 1685, April 1, to 1686, Dec. 24.

CHARGE.

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Arrears		*nil.*	
Remains unpaid to sundry tradesmen ..	6,216	1	11½
Money out of the Exchequer	42,891	16	8
Value of provisions out of the stores	89	17	0
	49,197	15	7½

DISCHARGE.

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Surplusage	12,504	15	5½
Rebuilding the Privy Gallery at Whitehall .	29,358	16	11¾
Stable repairs at Newmarket	114	11	8
Money formerly charged as received and afterwards discharged by privy seal	2,476	18	11½
Money repaid into the Exchequer	3,061	6	0½
Ordinary allowances ..	107	0	0
	47,623	9	1¼

From 1685, April 1, to 1686, March 30.

[*Account missing.*]

From 1686, April 1, to 1687, Mar. 31.

(Thomas Lloyd, Paymaster.)

CHARGE.

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Arrears (first account) .		*nil.*	
Money out of the Exchequer	19,163	16	3
Value of provisions out of the stores	20	0	0

DISCHARGE.

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Payments on several former accounts of the late Paymaster	12,930	10	7½
Works etc. at the Tower	141	19	1¼
Ditto, Whitehall	1,821	9	10
Ditto, St. James's ..	305	11	5¼
Ditto, Westminster ..	57	7	4
Ditto, Hampton Court .	667	19	7¾
Ditto, Greenwich	210	6	10
Ditto, Newmarket ..	56	7	10
Ditto, Audley End ..	776	8	5½
Officers of the Works ..	1,152	12	5

Works: Paymaster—*cont.*

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
	19,183	16	3

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Extraordinary works at St. James's	227	6	11½
Exchequer fees etc. ..	68	10	6
Ordinary allowances ..	62	0	0
	18,478	10	11¾

From 1687, April 1, to 1688, Mar. 31.

CHARGE.

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Remains	705	5	3¼
Money out of the Exchequer	836	3	9
Value of provisions out of the stores	35	17	2
Received of the Paymaster of the Forces for building a sutlery at the main Guard in Scotland Yard	640	10	0
	2,217	16	2¼

DISCHARGE.

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Payments on several former accounts of the late Paymaster	14,394	6	7¾
Works etc. at the Tower	927	18	3¼
Ditto, Whitehall	3,308	12	5¾
Ditto, St. James's ..	335	19	2½
Ditto, Westminster ..	152	0	9¼
Ditto, Hampton Court .	1,555	1	5¾
Ditto, Greenwich	371	15	4½
Ditto, Newmarket ..	63	0	6
Ditto, Winchester ..	597	1	10
Officers of the Works ..	1,154	18	2
Extraordinaries :			
Guard Chamber at Whitehall	358	6	9½
Ditto at the Mews ..	312	17	6¾
Public paving	137	0	2
Chapel of the Tower of London	222	11	7¾
Chapel on Hounslow Heath	505	19	1½
Audley End	625	15	0½
King's progress ..	93	1	4
Queen's progress to Bath	98	2	6
Paid by virtue of Treasury warrants .	430	17	10
Ordinary allowances ..	62	0	0
	25,707	6	9¾

From 1688, April 1, to 1689, Mar. 31.

CHARGE.

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Remains		*nil.*	
Money out of the Exchequer	17,473	18	1
Value of provisions out of the stores	199	15	11
Value of timber sold ..	689	12	0

DISCHARGE.

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Surplus	23,489	10	7½
Works etc. at the Tower	212	16	0½
Ditto, Whitehall	2,664	6	8
Ditto, St. James's ..	445	18	10¼
Ditto, Westminster ..	418	12	7½
Ditto, Hampton Court..	1,634	3	7¼
Ditto, Greenwich	193	17	7
Ditto, Winchester ..	100	5	9
Ditto, Newmarket ..	67	8	8
Extraordinaries :			
Audley End	136	9	4
New-building the sutlery at Whitehall ..	641	11	4½
Fitting up Hampton Court for the Princess of Denmark ..	446	13	3
Paving	622	4	3¼

Works : Paymaster—*cont.*

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
	18,363	6	0

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Altering and fitting up the King's house at Richmond	1,813	16	0¾
Altering and fitting up Mr. Ronche's and Mr. Le Croy's lodgings at St. James's	694	7	7
New building for the guns at Whitehall adjoining the Privy Gallery	372	7	7½
Raising higher the butlery building in Whitehall	1,741	3	6¾
Reparations in the Mews	68	8	7¼
Repairing the dial in the Privy Garden ..	150	0	0
Officers of the Works .	1,207	2	6
Trees and plants bought of Signor Verrio	766	8	0
Votary keeper	56	13	4
Repairs in St. James's Park	289	5	8½
Ordinary allowances .	62	0	0
	38,295	11	8¼

(10) Wardrobe Accounts.

From 1685, Sept. 29, to 1686, Sept. 29.

(Visct. Preston, Keeper.)

CHARGE.

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Remains		*nil.*	
Money out of the Exchequer	13,369	4	8
	13,369	4	8

DISCHARGE.

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Emptions and necessaries by royal warrant ..	16,631	17	6½
Fees and wages	2,850	7	10
Annual liveries and payments	58	13	2
Usual allowances	10	19	0
	19,551	17	6½

From 1686, Sept. 29, to 1687, Sept. 29.

(*Account missing.*)

From 1687, Sept. 29, to 1688, Sept. 29.

(*Account missing.*)

From 1688, Sept. 29, to 1689, Sept. 29.

(Ralph, Earl Montague, keeper.)

CHARGE.

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Arrears		*nil.*	
Money out of the Exchequer	25,107	13	0

DISCHARGE.

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Surplus	23,789	15	7¼
Emptions and necessaries by royal warrant ..	17,446	12	10¼

Wardrobe Accounts—*cont.*

	l.	*s.*	*d.*		*l.*	*s.*	*d.*
				Payments by patent and by dormant warrant ..	478	13	4
				Liveries to officers of Exchequer and Wardrobe	173	8	6
				Fees and wages	629	15	2½
				Usual allowances	10	19	0
				Provisions and work for the Coronation of William and Mary ..	9,738	17	1¾
				Clerk of Wardrobe ..	20	0	0
	25,107	13	0		52,288	1	7¾

(11) Robes Accounts.

From 1685, Lady day, to 1686, Lady day.

(Arthur Herbert, Gentleman and Master of the Robes.)

Charge.	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*	Discharge.	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*
Remains		*nil.*		Suits, cloaks and other apparel for the King's wearing	821	6	4
Money out of the Exchequer	3,780	4	3	Silks, cloth, silver, work, point lace, gloves, ribbons, periwigs, hats, belts, swords, hose, shoes etc. for the king etc.	1,088	6	3
				House rent	30	0	0
				Payments by particular warrant	35	0	0
				Auditor's allowance ..	35	0	0
				Payments for royal robes for the Coronation ..	1,695	2	2
				Exchequer fees	27	16	0
	3,780	4	3		3,732	10	9

From 1686, Mar. 25, to 1687, Mar. 25.

Charge.	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*	Discharge.	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*
Remains	47	13	6	Robes and apparel for the King and several of his servants and other charges of the Office of Robes	2,256	9	10
Money out of the Exchequer	2,850	0	0	Ordinary allowance ..	603	10	0
				Money paid into the Exchequer to balance this account	37	13	8
	2,897	13	6		2,897	13	6

Robes Accounts—*cont.*

From 1687, Mar. 25, to 1688, Dec. 25.

(Lord Thomas Howard, Gentleman and Master of the Robes.)

Charge.	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*
Arrears		*nil.*	
Money out of the Exchequer	3,500	0	0
	3,500	0	0

Discharge.	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*
Necessaries and provisions for the King's robes etc.	3,532	0	7
House rent	52	10	0
Fees at the Exchequer and Treasury	107	19	9
Auditor's allowance ..	17	10	0
	3,710	0	4

The above tables of expenditure speak for themselves, and in doing so they afford the moral justification of the revolution of 1688. They show that the greater part of the additional revenue which James enjoyed was spent on the Army. In view of the statements which are widely made as to James's solicitude for the Navy and in view of James's own language on the subject when addressing his Parliament, we should have expected that whatever excess of revenue he received over and above that enjoyed by Charles II he would have spent on the Navy. The above tables do not bear out this idea at all.

It would be difficult to average Charles's naval expenditure, but roughly for the whole reign I should put it down at 400,000*l. per an.* James's expenditure on this head averages a little more, but not much.

On the other hand, James's expenditure on his Army shows an enormous increase. Charles's normal establishment for the Forces (Guards and Garrisons) was about 200,000*l. per an.*; James's establishment averages over 530,000*l. per an.*, even excluding the last half year (1688, Mich., to 1699, Easter). The almost stereotyped composition of the Land Forces under Charles (it will be understood, of course, that I am speaking only of the English establishment) was three Troops of Guards, one Regiment of Horse Guards, one Troop of Dragoons and

four Regiments of Foot Guards—in all not quite 4,500 men, not including officers. The garrisons numbered normally in all about 1,500 men. The total force, therefore, for both Guards and Garrisons was 6,000 men *plus* officers. This standing Army Charles never increased. The expeditionary Forces new raised for the intended war with the French King were raised by direct Parliamentary sanction and were disbanded in accordance with Parliamentary desires. The only apparent increase in the standing Army under Charles took place in the last year of his life, and this was not a real increase, but nominal only. It consisted simply in taking on to the English establishment the returning Garrison of Tangier when Tangier was abandoned (*see* the Introduction to the preceding Vol. VII of this Calendar, pp. lxvii–lxviii). These Tangier Regiments had been previously on the Irish establishment.

It is therefore an absolute fact that Charles never in his reign increased the standing Army.

Under James, however, an enormous increase took place. The full details of the increase will be found set out *supra*, pp. lxv *seq.* The increase consisted ultimately of a Fourth Troop of Guards, eight Regiments of Horse, twelve Regiments of Foot, three Regiments of Dragoons and fourteen Independent Companies of Grenadiers. At a very reasonable estimate James more than trebled Charles's standing Army. The pretext for the increase was of course furnished by Monmouth's rebellion, but the speciousness of that pretext need hardly be pointed out, for the greater part of the increase took place after the rebellion was over. In James's hands this disproportionate Land Force was a menace not to France but to the liberties of England, and what the Revolution of 1688 accomplished was simply the inversion of these terms. The increased Army which James had raised was not disbanded in 1689. By the harmonious action of William III and the Parliament the increased Army was maintained and was simply made a menace to France and thereby a protection to the

liberties of England. A careful study of the details of James's Army increase will show how efficiently though unintentionally he had prepared the ground or the machinery for the greater Army of William's campaigns and how enormously he thereby facilitated the establishment of William's Government by the elimination of such Parliamentary friction as would certainly have arisen over a new or *de novo* increase of the standing Forces.

WM. A. SHAW.

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LETTERS PATENT, PRIVY SEALS, ROYAL SIGN MANUALS AND WARRANTS, TREASURY WARRANTS, COMMISSIONS, ORDERS, LETTERS, MEMORIALS, REPORTS and other ENTRIES: all not of the nature of TREASURY MINUTES.

Date.	Nature and Substance of the Entry.	Reference.
1684–5. Feb. 7.	Royal constitution of Sir George Jefferys, kt. and bart. as Chief Justice of the King's Bench, during pleasure.	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 9.
	Same of Sir Thomas Jones, kt. and Serjeant at Law, as Chief Justice of Common Pleas: during pleasure.	*Ibid*, p. 10.
	Same of Sir Job Charlton, kt. and Serjeant at Law, as one of the Justices of Common Pleas: during pleasure. Sir Creswell Levins, kt. as a same. Sir Tho. Street, kt. as a same.	*Ibid.*
	Same of William Montagu, Sergeant at Law, as Chief Baron of the Exchequer with all the rights, privileges and emoluments as held by Sir Edward Turnor or any other: to hold during pleasure.	*Ibid*, pp. 10–11.
	Same of Sir William Gregory, kt. and Serjeant at Law, as one of the Barons of the Coyfo of the Exchequer, during pleasure. Sir Edward Atkyns, kt. as a same. Sir Robert Wright, kt. as a same.	*Ibid*, p. 11.
	Same of Sir Francis Wythens, kt. and Serjeant at Law, as a Justice of the King's Bench, during pleasure. Sir Richard Holloway, kt. as a same. Sir Tho. Walcott, kt. as a same.	*Ibid.*
	Henry Guy to the Customs Commissioners to send Mr. Dickinson and three or four more of the most knowing and ancient officers of the Customs to attend the Attorney and Solicitor General this afternoon.	*Out Letters (General)* VIII, p. 34.

Date.	Nature and Substance of the Entry.	Reference.
1684–5. Feb. 10.	Lotter under the royal sign manual to James, Duke of Ormonde, Lord Lieutenant of Ireland. We have resolved that from Dec. 25 last 30,000*l. per an.* shall be supplied out of the revenue in Ireland towards the paying of the Forees in England and that the [loss by] exchange thereon be likewise defrayed out of the Irish revenue. Thomas Price of London, goldsmith, has undertaken to pay to the Paymaster of the Forces in England for the aforesaid use 10,000*l.* for the first four months on said yearly sum, [he] having an allowance of 10 *per cent.* for the exchange thereof to which we have agreed. You are hereby to give warrant to the Receiver General of the Irish revenue to pay to Charles Fox. Paymaster of the Forces in England, 11,000*l.* upon account, viz. 10,000*l.* for the pay of the Forces in England and 1,000*l.* to be by him paid to said Price for said exchange. Said 11,000*l.* is to be paid as follows, viz. 5,500*l.* on Feb. 25 inst., 2,750*l.* on Mar. 25 and 2,750*l.* on April 25.	*Out Letters* (*Ireland*) IV, pp. 131–2.
	Henry Guy to Mr. Kingdon. When you were at the Treasury last about the surplus of the Hearthmoney you were ordered to attend the King on the following Monday with your positive answer. That meeting being hindred by the sad accident of the late King's illness the King expects your attendance on him at the Treasury on Thursday afternoon next with your final answer concerning that matter.	*Out Letters* (*General*) VIII, p. 34.
Feb. 12.	Same to the East India Company for an estimate or state of an aeeount of what Customs will be due to the King for the 5 East India ships that eame last in.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the offieers of the Works. Send to the Treasury Lords forthwith a list containing (1) the names of all the offieers of the Works who had any salaries or allowances due to them at the death of the late King ; (2) the names of their respective plaees ; (3) the said salaries or allowances ; (4) the sum due to each for arrears to Christmas last.	*Ibid*, p. 35.
	Same to the officers of the Greeneloth for the like list and details of all the servants of the late King payable by the Cofferer of the Household.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Griffin, Treasurer of the Chamber, for the like list and details of all the servants of the late King payable in the Office of the Treasurer of the Chamber.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Darey and Mr. Benyon for the like list and details of all the servants of the late King paid either liveries, wages or allowances out of the Office of the Great Wardrobe.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Sir Robert Howard, Auditor of the Receipt, for the like list and details of all the offieers and servants of the late King payable at the Receipt of the Exchequer either for salaries, wages or annuities ; with a statement whether their patents or privy seals were for life or otherwise.	*Ibid*, p. 36.
Feb. 16 [probably erratum for Mar. 16].	Royal warrant to the Attorney or Solieitor General for a privy seal for a discharge of the baronet fee of 1,095*l.* due to the King from Sir William Soames, bart. for the baronetcy conferred on him by the late King Charles II. (Treasurer Roehester's	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 44. *Money Book* VI, p. 63.

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1684–5.	warrant dated May 20 to the Roccipt for a tally of discharge accordingly. This warrant quotes the privy seal as dated April 30.)	
Feb. 16.	The like for discharge of the like fee due from Sir William Blacket of Newcastle for the like baronetcy. (Warrant dated May 5 to the Receipt *ut supra*, the privy seal being quoted as dated April 15.)	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 45. *Money Book* VI, p. 54.
	Henry Guy to the Auditor of the Receipt for a copy of the establishment (remaining in the Exchequer) of the Household of Charles I.	*Out Letters (General)* VIII, p. 36.
Feb. 17.	Royal warrant to the Attorney or Solicitor General for a great seal for a grant to Sir John Ernle of the office of Chancellor of the Exchequer: to be executed by himself or deputy during pleasure. Likewise for a great seal for a grant to him of the office of Under Treasurer of the Exchequer: to hold during pleasure.	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 5.
	Same to same for a same to [renew the Commission of the Customs viz. to] constitute Charles, Lord Cheyne, Sir Nicholas Butler, Sir John Buckworth, Sir John Werden, William Dickinson and Thomas Chudleigh to be Commissioners of Customs with 1,200*l.* *per an.* each: with John Sansom as their secretary with a salary of 400*l.* *per an.* but with a declaration that 300*l.* *per an.* of said salary is to be paid to Robert Bertie: and with John Lloyd to be agent and solicitor (as he was lately) to said Commissioners with a salary of 300*l.* *per an.* (Cancelled and replaced by the royal warrant of Feb. 20; the only difference between the two warrants being that in the latter tho Commission is to extend to the control of the Four and a Half *per cent.* Duty as well as to the Customs in England and Wales, and that the name of Werden as being a baronet is put before that of Butler.)	*Ibid*, pp. 5–6, 8–9.
	Same to the Clerk of the Signet for a privy seal for 100,000*l.* to Charles Bertie, Treasurer and Paymaster of the Ordnance, as imprest for land and sea service to be performed by the Office of Ordnance. (Money order dated Feb. 24 hereon. Money order dated Feb. 26 hereon.)	*Ibid*, p. 7. *Money Book* VI, p. 1. *Order Book* I, p. 1.
	Same to same for a same for 200,000*l.* to Anthony, Visct. Falkland, Treasurer of the Navy, as imprest for the service of the Navy and the Victualling thereof. (Money warrant dated Feb. 24 hereon. Money order dated Feb. 25 hereon.)	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 7. *Money Book* VI, p. 1. *Order Book* I, p. 1.
	Same to Lawrence, Earl of Rochester, Lord President of the Privy Council and Chief Ranger of New Park near Richmond, to cause such convenient parts in said park as are overgrown and run with moss, weeds, furrs [furze] or rushes to be forthwith ploughed and sown with corn for two or three years next ensuing and to be well dunged the last year and laid down again very smooth and level as well for the meliorating the feed of the said ground for the benefit of the deer, as for the better riding and evener going thereon: the King being informed that several parts of the meadow and other grounds there are so overrun with moss etc. and that the best way to kill same is by ploughing.	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 21.

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1684–5. Feb. 17.	Henry Guy to Sir Tho. Jenner. I have laid before the Lord Treasurer your certificate in behalf of Thomas Delawne. He must put his request into a petition and on a reference to you you are to make your certificate. *Appending:* said certificate dated Feb. 17. "Tho. Delawne convicted at the Old Bailey about 9 months since for printing a book against the Common Prayer, was fined 100 marks: hath layn ever since, being not worth anything: now desires to be put into the Newgate pardon, being sensible of his fault."	*Out Letters (General)* VIII, p. 37. IX, p. 1.
	Same to Mr. Trant, Mr. Bridges and Mr. Kingdon. Send to the Lord Treasurer forthwith all the books of the Hearthmoney for 1683, Michaelmas [half year], and such abstracts for that half year as have not been already delivered to Mr. [Auditor] Aldworth: and also all abstracts for 1684, Lady day [half year]. You are also to send this week the account of the produce of that revenue for the five years ended at 1684, Lady day, according to your promise to the King. (Same to same of same date. Send me word to-morrow what day you will send the said five years' account.)	*Ibid.* VIII, p 37. IX, p. 1.
	Same to the Customs Commissioners. You are to make no payments upon debentures. If there be any necessary occasion for making such payments you are to acquaint the Lord Treasurer therewith. (Same to same. If you think the above course prejudicial you may continue the said payments until [to-morrow Wednesday evening, when] you attend the Lord Treasurer therein.)	*Ibid.* VIII, pp. 37, 38. IX, p. 1.
	Same to Mr. Ashmole [Comptroller of the Excise] for a certificate of the arrears due at Christmas last upon the pensions of 24,000*l. per an.* granted out of tho Excise to his Majesty when Duke of York and of 12,209*l. per an.* to the Queen Dowager and of 10,000*l. per an.* to the Prince of Denmark.	*Ibid.* VIII, p. 38. IX, p. 1.
Feb. 19.	Same to the Customs Commissioners to order Mr. Phillips, a Customs officer, who has seized a box at Deal come in the *Jean Paon* from Dieppe and directed to Mr. Congnard father and son, merchants in London, to send said box to London. Give the Lord Treasurer notice as soon as it arrives. *Appending:* petition of said Congnard and note of the contents of said box being works on mathematics and engineering, "la fortification en Comte de Pagan, la fortification du Chr. [Antoine] de Ville, la fortification de Millet, son traité d'Euclide, traité en nivellement, l'exercise nouveau des mousqueraires," and mathematical instruments.	*Ibid.* VIII, p. 38. IX, p 2.
[?]	Treasurer Rochester to Mr. Fanshaw concerning the Queen Dowager's portion. The late Treasury Lords have communicated to me your letter of the 1st, which came to their hands before I received the staff. You inform therein that you have received the whole of the Queen Dowager's portion except about 10,000 crusadoes and it is ready to be remitted to England only you desire leave to retain some small part of it for your future payment in case tho King continue you in your employment. You are hereby directed to ship all the said money you have received (except some small part thereof as desired above) in the *Centurion*, Capt. Wrenn	*Ibid.* VIII, p. 39. IX, p. 2.

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1684–5.	commander, or in the *Tyger*, Capt. Wheeler commander, or in any his Majesty's frigates of the fifth rate or upwards that shall first touch at Lisbon for England. Take his receipt for the money and advise me by post.	
Feb. 19.	Henry Guy to the Customs Commissioners enclosing a book and letter [missing] written by Mr. Stockton. The Lord Treasurer thinks there are several matters therein worthy consideration, especially when the Parliament meets. Peruse same and send him your observations thereon.	*Out Letters (General)* VIII, p. 39. IX, p. 2.
	Same to Mr. Pepys for a copy of the estimate sent to you by the Navy Commissioners of the quantities of timber, hemp, pitch, tar and other materials and stores which will be needful to carry on the service of the Navy for this year.	*Ibid.* VIII, p. 40. IX, p. 3.
	Same to the Customs Commissioners to open at the Custom House and to deliver to the Resident of [from] Florence his household goods. *Appending:* inventory of said goods arrived on the ship *Antego Merchant* from Leghorn (including a little old damask bed with gold fringes, little red apples covered with wax, a suit of clothes cinament colour, an old suit of silk clothes with gold buttons, an old drugget suit of clothes, an old green hunting suit, 6 pair of linen stockings, night caps of several sorts, 12 old shirts, a waistcoat and a pair of drawers of incarnation taffety etc.).	*Ibid.* VIII, p. 40. IX, p. 3.
	Same to Mr. Kingdon, Mr. Trant and Mr. Bridges. In response to the order of the 17th inst., *supra*, p. 4, you have this day brought some of the books only very imperfectly, but none of the abstracts required. You are positively to forthwith bring all the said books and abstracts with inventories thereof for his Majesty's immediate service and you are from time to time to give notice to Mr. Aldworth when and where you proceed in stating the accounts of the produce of said revenue for 5 years to 1684, Lady day, with the respective receivers and collectors thereof; to the intent he may have inspection and assist you therein.	*Ibid.* VIII, p. 41. IX, p. 4.
Feb. 20.	Same to Mr. Pepys to send orders to such of the King's ships as shall touch at Lisbon to receive [from Mr. Fanshaw] the moneys of the Queen Dowager's portion, *ut supra*, pp. 4–5.	*Ibid.* VIII, p. 41. IX, p. 4.
	Same to the Customs Commissioners to send to the Duchess of Portsmouth's lodgings in Whitehall a trunk and a long case arrived in the Customs' warehouse for her.	*Ibid.* VIII, p. 41. IX, p. 4.
Nov. [*sic* erratum for Feb.] 20.	Same to Mr. Darcy and Mr. Bynion to send the Lord Treasurer an estimate for covering the floor and ceiling of the Queen Dowager's bedchamber with grey cloth, "to the end that matters may go in your [Wardrobe Office] business in that method they were lately put."	*Ibid.* IX, p. 5.
Feb. 20.	Same to Mr. Kent. Send the Lord Treasurer an account what money, if any, is owing to the East India Company on their own [East India goods'] Customs.	*Ibid.*

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1684–5. Feb. 20.	Henry Guy to the East India Company for an estimate or account what Customs will be due to the King for the 5 East India ships that came last in.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 5.
	Same to the Auditor of the Receipt. There is present occasion for the payment to me of 800*l.* for his Majesty's especial secret service and the privy seal and money warrant cannot be so speedily passed as the service requires. You are to send to the Teller in whose hands is the remain of the 50,000*l.* lent by Charles Duncombe on the credit of the Hearthmoney to advance me 800*l.* thereout on my acquittance, he detaining the Exchequer fees thereon. The privy seal and money warrant to authorise this payment will be sent you when ready.	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 1.
	Royal warrant for a great seal for renewing the Commission of the Customs. *See supra*, p. 3.	*King's Warrant Book* X, pp. 8–9.
	Royal letters patent constituting Henry, Earl of Clarendon, as Keeper of the Privy Seal with the fee of 365*l.* *per an.* payable out of the small Customs of the port of London: all *loco* George Marquess of Halifax whose patent of appointment of 1682, Oct. 27, is hereby vacated: all to hold as amply etc. as Henry late Earl of Bath, Henry late Earl of Manchester, John, Lord Robartes, Arthur, Earl of Anglesea, George, Earl of Halifax, or any other.	*Ibid*, pp. 51–2, 65–6.
	Treasury reference to Auditor William Aldworth of the account as follows: "his Majesty being this day present here [at the Treasury Chambers] was pleased to order that this account should be referred." *Prefixing:* an account of the revenue arising by firehearths and stoves in England and Wales for the 10 half years of Mr. Anthony Row and partners' management from Mich., 1679, to Lady day, 1684, according to the audits of the books of collection returned to the office and to the contracts made for the four Northern Counties and Wales: and [account likewise] of the rent to be paid by the said Rowe and partners and the allowance to be made them for management pursuant to their contract with the late King: together with the account of the surplus of the said revenue [which surplus was] farmed to Mr. John Geneu for the forementioned term.	*Reference Book* II, pp. 193–4. III, pp. 1-2.

[*Charge.*]

	l.	*s.*	*d.*	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*
Collected of the revenue due at Mich., 1679 ..	94,002	1	10			
ditto Lady day, 1680	96,905	10	9			
ditto Mich., 1680	109,645	1	6			
ditto Lady day, 1681	102,634	16	0			
ditto Mich., 1681	102,462	0	0			
ditto Lady day, 1682	105,645	19	9			
ditto Mich., 1682	104,906	16	6			
ditto Lady day, 1683	105,452	3	0			
ditto Mich., 1683	105,747	12	9			

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1684–5.		*l.*	*s.*	*d.*	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*	
	Collected of the revenue due at Lady day 1684	108,079	9	6				
					1,035,481	11	7	
	the Inns of Court and Chancery for the 5 years (which could not be regularly collected half yearly)				821	4	6	
	the surcharges upon officers are uncertain and the difficulty of proving them renders them impossible to be recovered, those that have been already allowed and accounted for amount to				425	10	0	
	total produce of said revenue				1,036,728	6	1	
	[*Discharge.*]							
	Rent to be paid by Antho. Row and partners and the allowance made to them for management: 188,000*l. per an.* ..				940,000	0	0	
	the poundage allowed the said Row and partners for collecting the surplus at 12*d.* the £				4,836	8	3	
	his late Majesty gave the people of Northampton the Hearth-money that should arise in that town for 7½ years of the term of said Row and partners				688	10	0	
					945,524	18	3	
	surplus for the above 5 years				91,203	7	10	
	for which [surplus] there is paid and to be paid for rent by Mr. Geneu				20,000	0	0	
	the charges and expenses of managing the surplus cannot be ascertained till all accounts are adjusted but are estimated at least at				15,000	0	0	
	the money remaining in arrear which cannot be certainly known till the officers have made up their accounts is estimated at				11,000	0	0	
					46,000	0	0	
	which being deducted from the gross surplus leaves net				45,302	7	10	
Feb. 21.	Patent under the great seal granting to Charles Fox the office and place of Receiver and Paymaster of the Guards, Garrisons and Forces, during pleasure: to be executed by himself or sufficient deputy to be approved by the King: together with the house now or late in his possession and the rooms used for the said office in the Tilt Yard adjoining the Horse Guards. In order to the preventing of frauds in the payment of said Guards etc. he is hereby to have the inspection, cheque and control of all accounts and payments to be made for said Guards etc. but not to be accountable for more money than shall come to his own proper hands:							*King's Warrant Book*, X, pp. 30–1.

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1684–5.	all with the wages, fee and allowance of 20*s.* a day.	
Feb. 21.	Henry Guy to Mr. Kingdon, Mr. Trant and Mr. Bridges enclosing (*a*) *infra*. There is no prejudice can happen to you thereby for when the collection of arrears is complete the sum arising thence will appear distinctly by the account. *Appending:* (*a*) order by Treasurer Rochester dated Feb. 21 to the Commissioners of Excise and Hearth-money to direct all the Hearthmoney collectors to return to the Cashier all the money that shall be collected upon that revenue either for arrears or for the growing duty: but in making such returns they are to keep these two items distinct as the Cashier is to keep an account of the arrears separate from that of the growing duty.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 5.
	Same to the Board of Greencloth. By my letter of the 12th inst. you were desired to send the late Treasury Lords an account of the moneys due at or before Christmas last to the late King's servants payable by the Cofferer of the Household. You are to send such account with all speed to the Lord Treasurer. The like notice to the Auditor of the Receipt for the like account as to the King's servants payable in the Exchequer: to Mr. Griffin, Treasurer of the Chamber, as to the King's servants payable by him: and to Mr. Darcy and Mr. Benyon [as to the servants and liveries payable in the Great Wardrobe]: and to the officers of the Works [*ut supra*, p. 2].	*Ibid.* p. 6.
	Treasurer Rochester to Mr. Price, [Receiver General of the Revenue of Ireland]. I am informed that you are entitled to 8,000*l.* which was made payable by the [Irish] establishment to the assigns of Roger late Earl of Orrery next after 3,000*l.* to Sir Timothy Tyrrell out of the 5,000*l. per an.* quit rents formerly assigned to the Duke of Ormonde. There is a grant made by the late King to the Earl of Sunderland which the King is now pleased to confirm and his Majesty is moved on behalf of said Earl to have your said 8,000*l.* transferred from the said fund in order that the payments due to said Earl may the sooner become payable. I am therefore to propose to you that said 8,000*l.* be made payable to you out of the fees of 6*d.* per 20*s.* which you have power to detain out of the moneys which you issue by virtue of your office and to be payable thereout next after the sums already charged thereon. This can be no disadvantage to you and I recommend you to accept it.	*Out Letters* (*Ireland*) IV, p. 133.
	Signature by Treasurer Rochester and Sir J. Ernle, Chancellor of the Exchequer, of the docquet of an *in custodiam* lease under the Exchequer seal to John Bowater, esq. of divers lands and tenements in Coventry, parcel of the estate of Sir William Jesson, kt. outlaw: at a rent of 9*s.* 5*d. per an.* and fine of 18*s.* 10*d.* The like of a like lease to Emma Mason, widow, of divers lands and tenements in Coventry part of said Jesson's estate at a rent of 31*s.* 1*d. per an.* and fine of 62*s.* 2*d.* The like of a like lease to Sir William Villiers, bart. of divers lands and tenements in co. Warwick,	*Warrants not Relating to Money* X, p. 43.

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1684–5.	part of said Jesson's estate: at a rent of 25*s.* 3*d.* and fine of 50*s.* 6*d.*	
Feb. 23.	Reference from Treasurer Rochester to William Harbord, Surveyor General of Crown Lands, of the petition of Sir William Bowes, kt. as referred from the King the 20th inst., "his Majesty being well assured of petitioner's loyalty." Said petition sets forth that the Earl of Carlisle, lately deceased, had a grant of the offices of Forester of the Forest and Chases within the Lordship of Barnard Castle and Ranger of the Forest of Teesdale and Chase of Marwood, co. Durham: that five or six of petitioner's ancestors have successively enjoyed said offices: therefore prays a grant thereof, petitioner being best able to execute same for that several of the said forests and chases are enclosed within or adjoining to his own estate.	*Reference Book* II, p. 194. III, p. 3.
	Same from same to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of Jno. Waller for a vacant noontender's place: he being in a necessitous condition and having a promise from the Lord Treasurer.	*Ibid.* II, p. 195.
	[The like reference] upon the petition of Jeremy Hayes late waiter and searcher at Harwich. [*Entry incomplete.*]	*Ibid.*
[?]	[A loose undated unsigned paper pinned into the Reference Book.] Money received of Mr. Harsnet when went out of town .. .. 3 6 0 received of Mr. Jeve .. .. .. 8 16 8 received of Mr. Keen .. .. 5 13 4 ——— 17 16 0 Paid for ditto [for Harsnet] charges, detailed, of passing patent .. .. 14 14 6 Mr. Dryden .. .. 1 10 0 Mr. Brandereth .. .. 2 16 0 Madam Becher .. .. 1 7 4 ——— 20 7 10 [leaving due] .. .. 2 11 10 My own expenses 0 2 9 £2 14 7	*Ibid.*
Feb. 23.	Treasurer Rochester's warrant to the Customs Commissioners for payment of the salaries of the Customs officers of the outports for last Christmas quarter (being 4,465*l.* 3*s.* 2*d.* established salaries and 581*l.* 5*s.* 0*d.* additional salaries: total, 5,046*l.* 8*s.* 2*d.*).	*Money Book* VI, p. 1.
	Same to Richard Kent, Customs Cashier, to pay the same quarter's salary bill of the Customs officers, London port (being 5,707*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.* for established salaries and 141*l.* 5*s.* 0*d.* for additional salaries).	*Ibid.*
	Henry Guy to the Excise Commissioners enclosing last week's disposition of the Excise cash as follows, viz.: *l.* to Charles Fox, Paymaster of the Forces.. 4,500 to the Cofferer of the Household 2,600	*Disposition Book* IV, pp. 1, 2.

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1684–5.	Treasurer Rochester directed this disposition the 17th inst. The said sums are to be paid and charged in the Receipt of the Exchequer. But if the Excise Cashier pay said moneys [direct] to said accountants he is to deliver to the Tellers the acquittances of said accountants in lieu of money and the Tellers will give him tallies therefor. (*See infra* under date Mar. 5.)	
Feb. 23.	Henry Guy to the Customs Cashier to issue as follows out of Customs money, viz. : *l.* to the Treasurer of the Navy, being intended for the dry dock .. .. .. 1,000 to ditto in further part of 12,000*l.* promised for the ordinary and some extraordinary repairs .. .. 1,000 to Philip Packer for the Works, being intended for Somerset House .. .. .. 300 £2,300 *Together with :* the like directions as above as to procedure. (Same dated Feb. 24 to the Auditor of the Receipt for the issue of the sums as in the above two letters of direction and further to direct the Tellers to charge themselves with the above moneys if tendered them [by the Excise Cashier or Customs Cashier] or upon the acquittances of the abovesaid persons [or offices]. The money [if so paid into the Receipt from the Excise or Customs] is to be advanced to the said persons for the said uses in manner *ut infra.*)	*Disposition Book* IV, pp. 1, 3.
	Same to the Auditor of the Receipt. It will be for his Majesty's service that the money arising from the several branches of the revenue be paid and charged in the Exchequer. But forasmuch as the same cannot from thence be issued without a great or privy seal which cannot be passed so speedily as in this case is necessary, and the Lord Treasurer thinking that the service will suffer very much unless some expedient be used for supplying the several public offices and other persons with ready money at this juncture when all privy seals and patents during the late King's pleasure for issue of money are voyd : you are to desire the Tellers to make issues by way of advance to accountants to his Majesty or to others as the service shall require and as the Lord Treasurer shall direct. The Clerk of the Pells is to take notice of such issues. The requisite privy seals and other warrants for the regular issuing the said money will be passed with all expedition.	*Ibid*, p. 2.
	Royal warrant to the Attorney or Solicitor General for a great seal for a new Commission of Excise, the new Commissioners to be Sir Denny Ashburnham, bart., Francis Parry, Charles Davenant, Dr. of Laws, John Freind, Felix Calverd, Nathaniell Hornby and Richard Graham : the late Treasury Lords (viz. Sidney, Lord Godolphin, Sir John Ernle, kt., Sir Stephen Fox, kt., Sir Dudley North, kt., and Henry Frederick Thynne, esq.) having on the 5th Feb. inst. in the late King's reign contracted with Sir Peter Apsley, kt., Sir Benjamin Bathurst, kt., and James Grahme, esq. for them to take the whole duty of Excise for 3 years from date of said contract at 550,000*l.* rent. The said Commissioners	*King's Warrant Book* X, pp. 12–20.

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1684–5.	to have power to give Commissions and appoint salaries to sub-commissioners and officers for the collecting said revenue in the several counties with the Lord Treasurer's approval and with the approbation of said Apsley, Bathurst and Grahme. The Commissioners are further to have power to reassume any farm for non-payment of rent or breach of covenant. They are to levy all fines, penalties and forfeitures, paying thereout the informers and churchwardens and overseers of the poor, in the locality concerned, the portion of such fines as appertains to them and paying the King's portion into the Receipt. Power given them to enter ships in port to search for brandy, strong waters or aquavitas and all other Exciseable liquors. Further said Commissioners are hereby to be chief Commissioners, officers, Collectors and Receivers of Hearthmoney (the revenue arising by firehearths and stoves) with all powers for collecting, receiving and managing thereof and also for viewing, surveying and numbering all chimney hearths, firehearths and stoves and for inspecting or copying all rolls or returns of former farmers, managers, collectors or receivers of said revenue: with like powers *ut supra*, for their appointing and removing sub-collectors, deputies or agents in the various counties etc. with such salary as the Lord Treasurer shall approve. The Commissioners to have power to administer oaths and to have a salary of 1,000*l.* *per an.* each, payable quarterly: and with the usual exemption from juries etc.: and with power to proceed in all causes left unfinished by the preceding Commission or Commissions.	
Feb. 23.	Henry Guy to the Auditors of Imprests for a certificate what accounts are lying before you unpassed and what ready to be passed.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 6.
	Same to the Commissioners of Excise and Hearthmoney to report on (*a*) *infra*. *Appending:* (*a*) letter dated Feb. 21 inst. to Henry Guy from Lemuel Kingdon, P. Trant and William Bridges. We employed several experienced officers on purpose to make discoveries and collect the arrears and they have made several considerable discoveries: yet do not go on in their collection in regard they are not assured of 10*s.* in the £ to be allowed them which we did agree with them for. "Much of the arrears will be lost and the improvements of the growing duty will be but very little by discoveries to what it would be if the method twas put in and the allowance we made were continued."	*Ibid*, p. 7.
	Same to Mr. Peregrine Bertie, Charles Bertie and Charles Osborne. Treasurer Rochester desires you to make a reconveyance to the King of the honors, manors and lands which were settled upon you in trust for the late Earl of Plymouth and which by his death without issue ought to return to the Crown.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Ashmole for a list of all the pensions payable out of the Excise with an account of what is due on [each of] them respectively.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Customs Cashier for the like account of pensions payable out of the Customs.	*Ibid.*

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1684–5. Feb. 23.	Henry Guy to Mr. Stephens to continue to send to the Lord Treasurer weekly certificates of the receipts and payments for the Navy "as you have used to do."	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 7.
	Same to the Auditor of the Receipt to admit Francis Villiers, now one of the Tellers, into the execution of his office: he having given security and taken the oaths.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Lord Dartmouth enclosing 5 Ordnance bills, *ut infra*, concerning which there has been so long a contest between Lady Clutterbuck and Signor Milanesi. If she assigns them to him can they be paid to him and is there money in the Ordnance Office to satisfy them or must other money be provided for that purpose? *Appending:* list of said bills, four to Jasper Clutterbuck for respectively 37*l.* 10*s.* 2*d.*, 419*l.* 18*s.* 3*d.*, 143*l.* 13*s.* 1*d.*, 87*l.* 1*s.* 3*d.*, and one to Charles Clutterbuck for 414*l.* 4*s.* 5*d.*	*Ibid*, p. 8.
	Same to Mr. Agar for a certificate what sums you have raised in Whittlewood and Salcey Forest towards the 12,000*l.* for the [Earl of Arlington] Lord Chamberlain; "and where the said money is."	*Ibid.*
Feb. 24.	Royal warrant to the Attorney or Solicitor General for a great seal for a grant to John Berkeley and William Shaw of the office of one of the two searchers at Gravesend, which office they have lately enjoyed, during pleasure, and as amply etc. as Henry, Earl of Clarendon, William Chiffinch and Martin Fowkes (in trust for Tho. Chiffinch, esq.) the other searcher there do now hold.	*King's Warrant Book* X, pp. 20–1.
	Same to same for a same for a grant to Henry Thornhill of the office of Receiver of Crown Revenues in Kent, Surrey and Sussex and cities of Canterbury, Rochester and Chichester, to wit, that office that he hath himself lately enjoyed: to hold, during pleasure: with the fee of 100*l. per an.*	*Ibid*, pp. 24–5.
	Treasurer Rochester's warrant to the Customs Commissioners to pay 80*l.* to Gyles Dowle for one year from 1684, Lady day, for his employment in destroying and suppressing the growth of tobacco in the counties of Gloucester, Worcester, Hereford and Warwick.	*Money Book* VI, p. 2.
	Henry Guy to the Earl of Arlington [Lord Chamberlain] to swear John Langwith as a messenger of the Chamber in ordinary to attend the Treasury "as he hath done some years last past."	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 8.
	Same to the Navy Commissioners to give order for the transmission to the Lord Treasurer of weekly certificates of the wages in the yards as are sent from time to time by the Clerks of the Cheque to the Navy Board: and also weekly certificates of the debt of the Navy as well as of the cash "in that form which was constantly used when the Earl of Danby was Lord High Treasurer: and that no new men (shipwrights or other workmen) may be employed in the yards to create a new charge to the King without your acquainting the Lord Treasurer therewith."	*Ibid.*

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1684–5. Feb. 24.	Henry Guy to the Attorney General to prepare and see executed the reconveyance to the Crown from Peregrine Bertie, Charles Bertie and Charles Osborne of lands conveyed to them in trust for the Earl of Plymouth.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 9.
	Same to Mr. Sturt. Send me the account mentioned in your petition as made up in your name only to which Jonathan Gauden pretends he ought to be made a party. The Lord Treasurer will hear you and Mr. Gauden on it.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Burton enclosing (*a*) *infra*. You are to acquaint Mr. Perry and Mr. Scott that the money and goods [*infra*] are to remain as they are until the Lord Treasurer be satisfied by the Attorney or Solicitor General whose right they are. *Appending :* (*a*) letter dated Jan. 24 last from Tho. Doyley [to Henry Guy]. There are 200*lb.* 95*oz.* of clippings in the hands of John Perry, Justice of Peace, and 400*l.* of plate and goods in the hands of Mr. Scott, bailiff of the liberty of Finsbury, same being found in the house of Mr. Caborne who was indicted the last sessions and since executed. The clippings remain in the hands of Perry until the trial of Mris. Bonnett, who was taken in the house and concerned in the clipping. She has an estate in houses at Westminster and her trial comes on to-morrow. Mr. Scott pretends a right to the moneys and goods, to which I conceive he has none. They ought to remain as they are till their ownership be settled.	*Ibid.*
	Treasurer Rochester to Visct. Brouncker. The Board of Greencloth informs me that you have received from Alderman Duncomb 2,600*l.* towards defraying the expense of the Household for Lady day quarter last and think yourself sufficiently authorised to issue any part thereof without some particular direction from me, "which they desire me to give for the payment of the said money according to the order of the Greencloth." I desire you to issue said sum according to such order of the Greencloth, "for which this is to be your warrant until the privy seal for the Household can be passed whereby the said money may be regularly charged in the Exchequer."	*Ibid*, p. 10.
	Warrant from Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners to employ Richard Garmson (Gramson) as a tidewaiter, Lynn Regis port *loco* Robt. Atwood lately dismissed. John Whittle (tidesman at Bristol) as surveyor, waiter and searcher at Beachley *loco* Michael Walford, who is to be surveyor of Lynn Regis. Sam Duglas (tidesman in fee, Bristol port), as a tidesman in fee, London port *loco* John Price, who has relinquished same. The like warrants for Andrew Kniveton and William Vickers. John Byker as a tidesman at Bristol *loco* John Whittle, moved to Beachley, *ut supra*. Humphrey Musgrave as a waiter and searcher at Whitehaven *loco* Levet Thompson, lately dismissed. William Turner as a tidesman at Liverpool *loco* Robert Mirfin, who resigns. Rich. Gyles, Fra. Major, Edw. Jones and William Tomkins as tidesmen and boatmen at Penzance	*Out Letters* (*Customs*) X, pp. 1, 2, 3.

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1684–5.	as by the Customs Commissioners' presentment of Sept. 24 last. Altham Gwynn as a waiter and searcher at Llanelly, a creek in Milford port *loco* Henry Dunnell, lately dismissed. John Cox as a tidesman at Minehead *loco* John Skipwith, who declines same. William Chappell and John Spriggs as tidesmen and boatmen at Looe at 10*l.* *per an.* each. Michael Walford (surveyor of Beachley) as surveyor of Lynn Regis *loco* John Fawcet, lately dismissed. Bartholomew Jones as a boatman at Rochester *loco* Rob. Legat, lately dismissed. John Woodhave as a tidesman at Newcastle *loco* William Ogle, formerly presented. Henry Lowder as a tidesman at Hull *loco* Sam. Dawes, lately dismissed.	
Feb. 24.	Warrant from Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners to return the duty of the goods lately imported from Siam, said duty amounting to 93*l.* 11*s.* 0½*d.*: the money having been brought to account by the Collector Inwards [London] whereby it cannot be discharged without the Lord Treasurer's order.	*Out Letters (Customs)* X, p. 3.
	Same by same to William Harbord, Tho. Agar, Tho. Newton, esqs. and Samll. Rolt, gent., to set out a convenient number of coarse trees and trees not fit for the Navy in Chambersale Coppice in Whittlewood Forest for the gating, posting and cabbening said coppice with a view to the cutting the underwood therein which is of 12 years' growth: all in accordance with the representation of Dec. 9 last from the Queen Dowager's Council, which desired such cutting of the underwood in order to preserve it from damage by carts passing through to carry off several timber trees which were directed to be cut down therein.	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, p. 2.
Feb. 25.	Henry Guy to the Customs Cashier enclosing the paper of the disposition of the Customs cash for the present week as follows:	*Disposition Book* IV, pp. 4, 6.

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
to the 12 Judges	3,000	0	0
to the Masters in Chancery	275	0	0
to the Welsh Judges	175	0	0
to the Masters of Requests	100	0	0
to the Attorney General	40	13	4
to the Solicitor General	35	0	0
to Sir Richard May	7	10	0
to me [Guy] for secret service ..	500	0	0
to the Treasurer of the Navy, intended for the dry dock at Chatham	600	0	0
to ditto for the [Navy's] weekly money	1,500	0	0
to ditto for the Victuallers for two weeks	1,200	0	0
towards the [London Customs officers' salary] quarterly bill for the quarter ended Christmas last in part of 5,845*l.* 15*s.* 0*d.* ..	1,500	0	0
	£8,933	3	4

(Same of same date to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue 3,633*l.* 3*s.* 4*d.* to the Judges etc. as above

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1684–5.	out of 7,433*l.* 3*s.* 4*d.* of Customs money which the Lord Treasurer has directed to be this week paid into the Exchequer. The remaining 3,800*l.* is to be advanced for the Navy and secret service *ut supra.* Same dated Feb. 26 to same for the Tellers to advance the abovesaid 3,633*l.* 3*s.* 4*d.*)	
Feb. 25.	Henry Guy to the Excise Commissioners forwarding the paper of the disposition of the Excise cash for the present week as follows: *l.* to the King, in part of the arrears due to him as Duke of York .. .. .. 6,000 to the Queen Dowager .. .. 3,000 to Prince George .. .. 1,500 to Mr. Toll in part of his debt .. .. .. 1,000 to Mr. Hornby in part of his debt .. .. 500 to Charles Fox for the Forces .. .. .. 4,500 [in part of the Excise Office salary] Michaelmas quarter bill .. .. .. 1,500 to me [Guy] for secret service .. .. .. 600 £18,600 (Same of same date to the Auditor of the Receipt to advance abovesaid items of 4,500*l.* for the Forces and 600*l.* for secret service out of such Excise money as is directed to be this week paid into the Exchequer. Same of date Feb. 26 to same directing that of the above 600*l.* for secret service only 500*l.* be advanced for secret service and that the other 100*l.* be issued to the Duke of Newcastle on his warrant.)	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 5.
Feb. 26.	Reference from Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of Thomas Fowler, shewing that being late landwaiter at Tangier he was one of those recommended by Lord Dartmouth for employment, but has waited for above 9 months although found fit, and particularly by Sir Dudley North who examined him.	*Reference Book* III, p. 3.
	Same from same to same of the petition of Robert Hall for the place of waiter and searcher of Hastings, co. Sussex, void by the death of John Randall.	*Ibid*, p. 4.
	Same from same to same of the petition of Robert Culliford for renewing his patent that he has had ever since 1663 as Comptroller of Customs at Southampton [port], "which patent became void by the death of the late King."	*Ibid.*
	Same from same to same of the petition of Richard Sprigg of London, merchant; petitioner shewing that he and his relations have been great sufferers for Charles I and II "at one of whose houses he [Charles I] lodged before the battle at Naseby" and petitioner had a ship which was bound for the Straits fetched out of the Downs and seized on which he wholly lost without coming to trial, being loaden with logwood, Coliators wood and cocoa nuts to the amount of 2,000*l.*: that being encouraged by the Customs Commissioners with a promise that he might be admitted to entor (which others have done) he has bought a parcel of Caliatours wood etc.	*Ibid.*

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1684–5.	to the amount of 2,000*l.* which has been shipped above 6 weeks and lies ready to be transported for England, but the Customs Commissioners refuse to take an entry: therefore prays that the goods being duly seized and appraised he may have liberty to strike a tally for the [King's] whole moiety, "paying your Majesty one tenth part of what it amounts to, which is more than the Custom."	
Feb. 26.	Reference from Treasurer Rochester to Auditor Aldworth of the accounts as follows: *Prefixing:* (*a*) particular of the contracts that have been made [by W. Harbord, Surveyor General of Crown Lands] for the lands and tenements purchased for his Majesty's use and to be taken in for the park near the Castle of Winchester. *l. s. d.* 1683-4, Jan. 11. Contracted with Rob. Forder for Painters Close Field, which he holds from Mr. Morley, the lessee of the Bishop of Winchester, at 30*l.* *per an.* rent and for a remaining term of ten years in the tithes of said field which he holds from the College of Winchester, he being permitted to sow it with barley this year and take off his crop .. .. 100 0 0 Jan. 11. Contracted with ditto for five pieces of arable land called the Forty Acres in St. Faith's Field, which he holds by lease from the Dean and Chapter of Winchester and the house he dwells in and several other lands called Priors Barton Farm. He is to acquit the King from the rent to the Dean and Chapter for said Forty Acres and is to be permitted to sow same this year .. .. .. 700 0 0 For the inconveniency of parting with this land, which is the best arable land of his farm, and the enclosing of the park will necessitate his going a great way about to and from the rest of his land he is to have as royal bounty .. 100 0 0 Jan. 12. Contracted with John Badger for one croft of four acres of land lying on the south side of the late Chapel of St. James's, called Butcher's Croft, which he holds by copy from the Dean and Chapter's manor of Barton for three lives .. .. 56 0 0 Jan. 17. Contracted with Alderman Tho. Wavell for a close of pasture of 1½ acres lying next Painters' Field .. .. 75 0 0 1684, Sept. 14. Contracted with Mr. Morley for said Painters' Field of which he has a lease for three lives from the Bishop of Winchester .. 450 0 0 Sept. 6. Contracted with the Dean and Chapter of Winchester for a lease for two lives in Thurmond's Farm to the use of his Majesty in	*Reference Book* III, pp. 6–9.

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1684–5.		*l.*	*s.*	*d.*	
	reversion after the death of Sir Henry Titchborn	720	0	0	
	(*b*) Account of the money disbursed by said William Harbord in satisfaction of said contracts:				
	1684, Sept. 27, paid to George and Thomas Taylor by Robert Forder's order	100	0	0	
	interest hereon to 1684–5, Jan. 27 ..	2	0	0	
	Sept. 16, paid to William Savage by Forder's order	400	0	0	
	paid to Richard Ross by same	100	0	0	
	interest *ut supra*	10	18	0	
	Oct. 1, paid to Richard Ross in full of 700*l.* by like order	200	0	0	
	interest *ut supra*	3	17	1	
	Oct. 10, 56*l.* was paid to John Badger by Alderman Taylor and repaid at London by his [Badger's] order to William Savage	56	0	0	
	interest *ut supra*	1	0	0	
	Nov. 18, 75*l.* paid to Mr. Savage by Alderman Taylor's order for Mr. Wavell	75	0	0	
	interest *ut supra*	0	17	2	
	Sept. 30, paid by his [Morley's] order to Francis Child	450	0	0	
	interest *ut supra*	8	16	4	
	Sept. 12, paid to Peter White by order from Mr. Markland, the Treasurer [of Winchester Cathedral]	50	0	0	
	Sept. 14, to Richard Deyrell by order of the Dean [of Winchester].. ..	150	0	0	
	to Hen. Kelsey by order of Dr. Pain, one of the Prebend[arie]s [of Winchester]	520	0	0	
	interest *ut supra*	14	9	1	
	Total interest	25	2	7	
	[gratuity of two-thirds]	16	15	1	
		£41	17	8	
Feb. 26.	Henry Guy to Mr. Tudor, Auditor for Wales, or his deputy to deliver to Sir Richard Mason and Mr. Fillingham a particular of what moneys have been levied by any high sheriffs in Wales upon the estate of Richard Gwynn as Receiver of Hearthmoney in several counties or as surety for Jno. Vaughan, another Receiver of Hearthmoney. The certificate is to set out the sheriff's name, the year, the sum and to whom same has been paid.				*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 10.
	Same to Sir Christopher Wren to attend the King at the Treasury Chambers on Tuesday afternoon next with an account of the expence requisite to make tight and preserve from damage the buildings at Winchester and to work up all the materials that lie ready there "as his Majesty was pleased to order you the last time you attended him."				*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Graham at Lord Dartmouth's to attend Treasurer Rochester on Saturday morning concerning the 325*l.* 13*s.* 9*d.* owing by Samuell Williams, late Receiver of the last Eighteen Months' Assessment for co. Southampton.				*Ibid.*

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1684-5. Feb. 26.	Henry Guy to Mr. Hosier at the Earl of Newport's to attend, *ut supra*, about the 195*l.* 16*s.* 8*d.* owing by you upon the last Six Months' Assessment for co. Salop.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 10.
	Same to Col. Stradling to attend, *ut supra*, about the money owing to the King by your brother Mansell [Stradling] and yourself.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Jno. Basier. You are without further delay to pass your accounts for the late Seventeen Months' Tax, Poll, Eighteen Months' Tax and Six Months' Tax for the four Northern Counties whereof you are Receiver General; all in order to the recovery of the arrear thereon; otherwise Exchequer process will issue against you.	*Ibid.*, p. 11.
	Same to Tho. Marsdon at Bolton, co. Lancs. There is about 32*l.* owing by you upon the last assessments (the last Six Months' Assessment) for co. Lancs. for which you were Receiver General. You are to forthwith pass your account or process will issue.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Auditor Phillips to attend Treasurer Rochester with the accounts of the Receiver of London and Middlesex for the late Seventeen Months', Eighteen Months' and last Six Months' Taxes which you were ordered to state from the duplicates given to you by Capt. Phill Howard, Receiver General [thereof].	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Customs Commissioners. Application is made to Treasurer Rochester for renewing several grants of places in the Customs which were held by patents during pleasure and are now void. You are to approve such persons before he will renew such patents.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Atterney General enclosing the Duchess of Cleveland's patent for 6,000*l.* *per an.* pension on the Excise. Send the Lord Treasurer your opinion thereon.	*Ibid.*
	Money warrant for 100*l.* to Henry, Duke of Newcastle, for one year to 1684, Christmas, on his fee as Chief Justice in eyre beyond Trent.	*Money Book* VI, p. 2.
	Treasurer Rochester's warrant to the Customs Cashier to pay 130*l.* to George, Marquess of Halifax, for 130 days, Sept. 29 last, to the 6th inst., on his fee as Lord Privy Seal, his patent for which office determined by the late King's death.	*Ibid.*
	Report from Treasurer Rochester to the King on the petition of Col. Berkeley and William Shaw. They have behaved faithfully in their office of one of the two searchers at Gravesend and the office may be re-granted them during pleasure.	*Warrants not Relating to Money* X, p. 43.
	Warrant from same to Sir Nathaniell Johnson and Sir Cornwall Bradshaw, kts., Anthony Rowe, Robert Nott and Tho. Duck to give order to the respective receivers and collectors employed by you in the collection of Hearthmoney throughout England and Wales during your management of the Hearthmoney, to forthwith attend Auditor Aldworth with all their accounts and vouchers as already stated between yourselves and them by Mr. Bridges or any other of your Comptrollers or	*Ibid.* XI, p. 3.

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1684–5.	Auditors and (where said accounts have not proceeded so far) with their original books and receipts and all acquittances and papers necessary to make good their charges and discharges. Also to direct your cashiers, accomptants and officers to permit said Aldworth to inspect all your books and papers. All by reason that said Aldworth has been instructed to examine the account of the produce of the Hearthmoney for five years to Lady day, 1684. In order hereto the King has ordered that all the books and papers lately brought by you to the Treasury Chambers (save those now in Aldworth's custody) be returned to you and placed each county or town by itself in such regular manner as to facilitate recourse thereto. If Aldworth desires it they are to be entirely delivered to him.	
Feb. 26.	Warrant from Treasurer Rochester to the Commissioners of Excise and Hearthmoney confirming the instruction of Dec. 10th last from the late Treasury Lords to allow 2*s.* 6*d.* per 1,000 names to the transcribers of the books for the collecting the Hearthmoney.	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, p. 4.
	Constitution and appointment by same of Antho. Segar, gent. to be the messenger to the Commissioners of Appeals in Excise with the allowance and fee as heretofore. The like of Henry Segar as doorkeeper to the said Commissioners during pleasure and as amply etc. as Walter White or any other doorkeeper attending them.	*Ibid.*
Feb. 27.	Privy seal dormant for 253,000*l.* *per an.* to Charles Fox, Paymaster of the Forces, from Jan. 1 last as imprest for the pay of the Guards, Garrisons and Land Forces and the contingencies thereof, and 775*l.* 6*s.* 10*d.* for one day's pay for every bissextile or leap year: to be paid or advanced to him as the Lord Treasurer shall think fit and to be by him paid out according to musters certified by the Commissary General of Musters and according to such warrants as he shall from time to time receive from the King or the General of the Forces for the time being. All such sums as the said Paymaster shall receive out of the revenue of Ireland on account of the 30,000*l.* *per an.* which has for some time past been supplied out of the revenue of Ireland are to be charged on said Paymaster in his respective accounts. These two sums are together to make up the 283,000*l.* *per an.* which is the present establishment for the said Guards, Garrisons and Land Forces. (Royal warrant dated Feb. 24 for said privy seal.)	*King's Warrant Book* X, pp. 21–2.
	Same dormant for 10,000*l.* to be paid in such proportions to such persons and for such uses and services as the King shall from time to time direct under his sign manual. (Royal warrant dated Feb. 23 for said privy seal.)	*Ibid*, p. 22.
	Royal warrant to the Attorney or Solicitor General for a great seal for a grant to Robert Squibb, junr., of St. Margarets, Westminster, gent. of the office of Receiver of the Revenue of First Fruits in England and Wales and also of all Tenths and arrears of Tenths installed in the Exchequer Court: to hold during pleasure with the fee of 100*l.* *per an.*; all	*Ibid*, p. 26.

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1684–5.	in as ample manner etc. as held by John Lawronce, deceased, late Receiver thereof.	
Feb. 27.	Royal warrant to the Clerk of the Signet for a privy seal for 1,500*l. per an.* to George, Marquess of Halifax, as Lord President of the Privy Council: 1,000*l.* thereof as in lieu of an allowance of diet of 10 dishes every meal formerly made to the Lord President of the Council; and 500*l.* thereof as royal bounty: to commence from Christmas past and to be payable quarterly.	*King's Warrant Book* X, pp. 26–7.
	Same to the Attorney or Solicitor Goneral for a great seal for a grant to Sir Philip Lloyd, kt. of the office of [Warden of the Mint or] Keeper of the Change and money within the Tower of London and Keeper of the Coinage of gold and silver within the said Tower and elsewhere within the kingdom of England: *loco* Philip Wharton esq. lately deceased: to hold by himself or deputy during pleasure with all fees and emoluments and in as ample manner etc. as held by Sir Anthony St. Leger, kt., Sir Thomas Wharton, the said Philip Wharton or any other.	*Ibid*, p. 27.
	Same to same for a same for a grant to William Mann of the office of auditor of all accounts of the revenue arising by Hearthmoney (to wit, that office that he himself hath lately enjoyed): to hold during pleasure, with the fee of 200*l. per an.* for himself and the allowance of 120*l. per an.* for keeping two clerks to be constantly employed under him in the said service.	*Ibid*, pp. 27–8.
	Same to same for a same for a grant to Charles Dering of the office of Comptroller of the accounts of the revenue of Hearthmoney with full power to inspect, examine and comptrol all the books, entries and accounts of tho Commissioners, Receiver, Receivers General, Cashiers and Collectors etc. of said revenue: to hold during pleasure: with a salary of 200*l. per an.* for himself and allowance of 120*l. per an.* for two clerks: with direction to him from time to time to give accounts to the Lord Treasurer of the produce of said revenue when required and weekly certificates of receipts and payments thereof.	*Ibid*, p. 28.
	Same to same for a privy seal to give power to the Lord Treasurer to issue out of unappropriated monoys in the Exchequer sums not exceeding 16,000*l.* as imprest to be by said Knight paid over in satisfaction for such goods, wares and provisions as Marmaduke Darcy, George Benyon and Robert Phillip shall (pursuant to warrants from the Lord Treasurer) buy or provide for the King's service [in the Great Wardrobe], or in payments for work done or any allowances, salaries, wages, liverios, rewards or other things as said Knight shall be ordered by said Darcy, Benyon and Phillips. The salary of 300*l. per an.* each is hereby to be allowed to said Darcy, Benyon and Phillips from Christmas last and tho salary of 120*l. per an.* to said Knight from Michaelmas last. Tho said Knight is to take caro that the proportion to each servico be no more than reasonable; to take the hands [receipts] for all goods delivered out; to take care of the weighing and measuring of fringes, stuffs etc. and the receiving them back again from the respective tradesmen; he to be allowed in respect thereof 50*l. per an.*	*Ibid*, pp. 29–30.

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1684–5.	from Michaelmas last and likewise to be allowed such sum as the Lord Treasurer think reasonable up to 60*l. per an.* for rent of a house to be made use of for his Majesty's serviee: he to pass his accounts in English.	
Feb. 28.	Reference from Treasurer Rochester to Sir Thomas Jenner, Recorder of the City of London, of the petition of Elinor Bonnett widow, as by a reference thereof from the King of Feb. 24 inst.: petitioner shewing that she stands indited as wife of Richard Caborne, who was executed the last sessions for clipping: that she was always loyal and honest till she became acquainted with said Caborne: therefore prays to be inserted in the next general pardon for convicts in Newgate.	*Reference Book* III, p. 5.
	Same from same to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of Christopher Warren shewing that he has been Customer of Plymouth port for 20 years and collector thereof since July last but his patent being only during pleasure determined by the death of the King: therefore prays a new patent for himself or his son Robert.	*Ibid*, p. 11.
	Same from same to Sir Robert Sawyer, Attorney General, of the petition of Adam Colclough, shewing that on a warrant lately granted him to be Surveyor of Greenwax his patent proceeded as far as the Secretary's office, where it now lies: therefore prays permission to go on with the patent; he being allowed as "fit to be employed in this revenue when upon several reports this was found to be the most proper and only legal mode of managing it."	*Ibid.*
	Same from same to same of the petition of the Company of Pinmakers of London shewing that on their late petition to the King (which is also hereby referred) concerning the many frauds and the want of a due regulation in the said trade (*ut supra, Calendar of Treasury Books*, Vol. VII, pp. 1521–2) the late King referred same to the late Treasury Lords, who referred same to the Attorney General, but said Attorney General is unwilling to make report without a fresh reference from the present Lord Treasurer.	*Ibid*, p. 12.
	Same from same to Brooke Bridges and Thomas Done, Auditors of Imprests, of the petition of Anthony Walker, Collector of Tenths under the late Archbishop of York, shewing that he petitioned the late King, *ut supra, Calendar of Treasury Books*, Vol. VII, p. 1330: that said petition being referred to the Treasury Lords was by them referred to John Lawrance, who died before he made any report thereon. Therefore prays a fresh reference thereof.	*Ibid*, p. 17.
	Same from same to Anthony Stephens [Cashier to the Treasurer of the Navy] of the petition of Sir John Wyborne for the sum of 437*l.* 12*s.* 3*d.* due to him for wages and disbursements in the ship *Happy Return.*	*Ibid*, p. 19.
Mar. 2.	Money warrant for 126,500*l.* to Charles Fox, esq. Paymaster of the Forces, as imprest for the Forces for half a year from Jan. 1 last to July 1 next. (Money order dated Mar. 3 hereon.)	*Money Book* VI, p. 3. *Order Book* I, p. 1.

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1684–5. Mar. 2.	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to the Commissioners for the Office of Master and Worker of the Mint of the petition of John and Henry Portlock for pardon, they having been accused of clipping: said petition being referred from the King Feb. 24 last.	*Reference Book* III, p. 10
	Recommendation from same to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of Anthony Meek for a vacant place of undersearcher, London port, he having for several years past served Mr. Chiffinch, keeper of the Closet to the late King.	*Ibid.*
	Same from same to same of the petition of Thomas Davis for a noontender's place, London port, he having served as a soldier both at sea and land and having been out of employment since the demolishing of Tangier.	*Ibid*, p. 11.
	Reference from same to same of the petition of Thomas Mytton shewing that by the order of the Treasury Lords of July last Hugh Mason was to officiate for six months as Deputy Comptroller of Customs at Hull in which time petitioner was to qualify himself for said office. This he has now done. Therefore prays that Mason may be accountable to him for the profits of this half year, reserving to himself the salary of 15*l*.	*Ibid*, p. 10.
	Same from same to the Excise Commissioners of the petition of Edwd. Wigg, for consideration of his case, he having had a reference upon a petition to the late Treasury Lords. The said Commissioners are to observe the order of Jan. 19 last by the late Treasury Lords and are to present him for employment on the first vacancy.	*Ibid*, p. 12.
	Same from same to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of Edward Nicholls for a landwaiter's place, London port; a certificate on his behalf being signed by [Duke of] Grafton, [Lord] Dartmouth, [Lord] Berkeley, [Sir] William Pritchard, [Sir] R. Haddock, [Sir] Jno. Narbrough and Antho. Sturt.	*Ibid*, p. 13.
	Same from same to William Harbord, Surveyor General of Crown Lands, of the petition of Tho. Strangewayes for a fresh grant of the office of steward of the King's manors of Fordington and Ryme, co. Dorset, parcel of the Duchy of Cornwall; of which he had a grant in June, 1678, during pleasure.	*Ibid.*
	Same from same to same of the petition of Charles Holloway for the like renewal of grant of his office of steward of the manor of Shippon, co. Berks, parcel of said duchy and as similarly granted to him 1668–9, Feb.; of Sir Willoughby Hickman's petition for the like of his office of steward of the manor and soke of Kirton in Lindsey, parcel of said duchy and granted him about three years since on the death of his father, Sir William Hickman, who had been steward thereof since the Restoration; of William Peisley's petition for the like of his office of steward of the manor of Kennington, parcel of said duchy and granted him in June. 1681.	*Ibid*, pp. 13, 14.
	Same from same to same of the petition to the King from Lawrence Carter, gent. of the borough of	*Ibid*, p. 15.

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1684–5.	Leicester, as referred from the King in Council Feb. 20 last: petitioner desiring liberty to erect a warehouse and cistern upon some convenient part of the waste ground within said town and within the Bishop's Fee, Honor and Castle of Leicester and to dig in the highways, streets and soils there for laying of pipes and placing engines for taking up and conveying water from the river Soar for the use and benefit of the inhabitants thereabouts and them to pluck down, amend and place others in their room as there shall be occasion.	
Mar. 2.	Reference from Treasurer Rochester to William Hewer of the petition of Manns Seurlogh, Tho. Watson, James Armstrong, Brian Crossby, Brian Mahoon, William Harvey, Robt. Harris, William Hampton, Francis Morris and Jno. Filkinson as referred Feb. 20 last from the King in Council: petitioners shewing that they had served the King at Tangier as soldiers in Col. [Capt.] Chantrell's and Capt. Talbot's Companies in Col. Kirke's Regiment for 22 years and after the demolishment of that place, being sent to Ireland, were there discharged by reason of age and sickness and having received some part of their pay since their coming hither they have applied same in payment of their debts so that now they have nothing left and are like to perish in the streets, being poor and aged.	*Reference Book* III, p. 16.
	Same from same to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of Morgan Powell for renewal of his patent of Comptroller of Customs at Milford, he being a very loyal man.	*Ibid.*
	Same from same to Col. Kirke of the petition of Maurice Flynn, late Ayd Major of Tangier, praying for his pay of 5*s.* a day out of the several town Major's pay [which is unpaid] ever since 12 Mar., 1681-2. The referee is to certify why he dismissed petitioner.	*Ibid*, p. 17.
	Same from same to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of Richard Browne, a tidesman, London port, praying for a land carriageman's place as the sea is very inconsistent with his health; of the petition of Adam de Cardonell for renewal of his patent as Customer and Collector of Southampton port, which he held during pleasure.	*Ibid*, p. 18.
	Same to William Harbord, Surveyor General of Crown Lands, of the petition of George Simpson for a grant of the place of Keeper in the Forest of Teesdale, co. Durham; the Earl of Carlisle, being then Bowbearer in the said Forest, having pretended a former grant [of said office to himself and thereupon] refused to allow petitioner the profits of said place [of Keeper]; but said Earl being now dead the said place is in the King's gift.	*Ibid.*
	Same from same to Sir Stephen Fox of the petition of Mary Quatremaine, widow and relict of Dr. William Quatremaine, late physician to the present King and physician in ordinary to the late King; petitioner shewing that said Dr. died in 1667 leaving a widow and two daughters; that in his sickness he applied by Sir Stephen Fox to the Earl of Clarendon, then Lord Chancellor, for a maintenance for his widow; that the Earl desired Fox to go	*Ibid*, p. 19.

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1684–5.	back to the Dr. and bid him die in quiet for he would take care for a sufficient maintenance for his widow and two children; but the said Earl soon after departing the kingdom no pension was procured till 1678, when by the favour of Sir Ste. Fox a pension of 60*l. per an.* granted: so that for 11 years petitioner was obliged to maintain herself out of her own fortune, for what the Dr. had saved was laid out in gaining a piece of land out of the sea on which he expended 3,000*l.* and turned to no account till these last three years and now brings in but 20*l. per an.* Therefore prays the benefit of her pension from 1667 to 1678 and [for said pension to be] continued to her and her children.	
Mar. 2.	Henry Guy to the Customs Commissioners to send from Dover to London and thence to the Duchess of Portsmouth's lodgings in Whitehall a box, trunk and long case directed to her.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 11.
	Same to the Commissioners of Excise and Hearthmoney to report on the following proposal of Felix Calverd. *Appending:* said proposal for the better settlement of the Hearthmoney. "That every Collector of Excise shall be General Receivers from the Collectors of the Hearthmoney within the limit that they are Collectors of the Excise, and [to] return their money distinctly as they do the Excise. (2) That every Surveyor or Supervisor of Excise shall survey and supervise the Collectors of the Hearthmoney as they do the gaugers of the Excise within that riding that they are Surveyors or Supervisors of the Excise."	*Ibid*, p. 12.
	[Same] to Mr. Darcy *et al.* to certify the Lord Treasurer whether the enclosed demand [missing] concerning things to be supplied in the next Maundy be the same that it was last year for that service.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. [Thomas] Dacoline. You are forthwith to pay into the Exchequer the 500 marks which you have received for the fine set upon William Burman for seditious words.	*Ibid.*
[?]	Report to the King from Treasurer Rochester on the petition of Eleanor Bonnett as by the reference dated Feb. 24 last from the King *ut supra, p.* 21. Petitioner was condemned this last session for clipping and diminishing the coin. She was privy thereto and bought some of the instruments used for clipping, but was under the power of Richard Cabourne lately executed for said offence, she intending to make him her husband. She was acquainted with his gang only a twelvemonth and saw no clipping till she came to the house in Moorfields, where she lived with him about three weeks before they were taken. She has discovered the names of his acquaintances. She is a fit object of mercy.	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, p. 5.
Mar. 2.	Nomination and appointment by Treasurer Rochester of Philip Burton, esq. to be the solicitor for negotiating and looking after the affairs of the Treasury *loco* Thomas Lloyd, gent. and to solicit and take care of the prosecution and recovery of all debts due to the King (except those for Customs or other matters for which other solicitors are	*Ibid.*

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1684–5.	specially appointed) "and of all other business and affairs which I shall think fit to employ him about, for which purpose he is to give attendance upon me from time to time."	
Mar. 2.	Nomination and appointment by Treasurer Rochester of Henry Wynne as his Majesty's clerk to the Commissioners for Appeals and Excise: with the salary or wages of 100*l.* *per an.* payable quarterly: all during the pleasure of the Lord Treasurer.	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, pp. 5–6.
	Same by same of John Langwith (one of the messengers in ordinary [of the Chamber] to the King) [as messenger] to attend the Lord Treasurer *loco* Richard Gregory, deceased.	*Ibid*, p. 6.
	Warrant by same to the King's Remembrancer to oxempt the two Customers, the Comptroller and the Searcher of Newcastle port from the order for returning their coast books half yearly and to permit them as heretofore to return their bonds yearly, viz. in Michaelmas term: their petition for such exemption having been favourably reported on by the Customs Commissioners. Any process already made forth on this ground against such officers is to be hereby superseded.	*Ibid.*
Mar. 3.	Same by same to the Customs Cashier to pay a discount of 6 *per cent.* to the East India Company for tho residue of the six months and six months (allowed them by their charter for paying their Customs) from the paying down of the 13,000*l.* computed to be the Customs of the goods by them lately imported in the ships *Massingbird*, *Coast Frigatt*, *Carolina Rainbow* and *Lawrell.*	*Money Book* VI, p. 3.
	Reference from same to William Hewer of the petition of John Brookbank shewing that he served several years at Tangier, has 9*l.* 10*s.* 4*d.* due to him for his service from 1682, April 1, to 1684, July 2, and is very weak and poor and has a wife and three small children.	*Reference Book* III, p. 17.
	Warrant from same to the Customs Commissioners to employ Edward Hall as waiter and searcher at Hastings *loco* John Randall, deceased.	*Out Letters (Customs)* X, p. 4.
	Henry Guy to Mr. Nocll. You have delivered to Treasurer Rochester a book of the arrears due to Alderman Breedon and partners, late Farmers of [the great branches of tho revenue of] Ireland, but you have not given in a statement of what arrears are due to the said Farmers upon bonds. Send an account of this, expressing particularly the sums due and the names of the persons from whom same are due.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 12.
	Same to Phi. Howard, Receiver [for London and Middlesex,] of the late Seventeen Months' Assessment. Treasurer Rochester has received from Auditor Philips the state of your account. Send my Lord a statement of all tallies and warrants or any other authorities by which you have paid any money upon the said tax and also a balance of your account relating to your receipt of said tax.	*Ibid.*

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1684–5. Mar. 3.	Henry Guy to the East India Company. Treasurer Rochester desires you for the present accommodation of his Majesty's affairs to advance to the Customs Cashier the 13,000*l.* which is computed to be the Customs on the goods imported by you in the *Massingbird, Coast Frigatt, Carolina Rainbow* and *Lawrell.*	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 12.
	Same to Tho. Bennett. Send the Lord Treasurer your answer to the enclosed petition from Sir Richard Grobham How and Mr. Seymour Bowman.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Auditor of the Receipt to take in from Richard Kent and Charles Duncombe 20,000*l.* which they have agreed to lend to the King on the credit of the Excise: and to reserve same for Treasurer Rochester's disposal.	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 6.
Mar. 4.	Royal letters patent dormant under the great seal authorising the Treasurer and Under Treasurer of the Exchequer and [or] the Treasury Commissioners to pay from time to time all such fees, salaries and wages as have formerly been accustomed to be paid to the officers and ministers of the Exchequer Court and Receipt of the Exchequer and such rewards to them and others as have been heretofore allowed as by the said Lord Treasurer or Treasury Lords shall be thought fit: it having "always been found necessary to have standing dormant letters patent" to authorise said payments. Hereunder 8,000*l. per an.* is to be paid to the Lord Treasurer and the usual fees, wages, salaries and rewards to the officers, deputies, ministers, clerks and messengers of the Court of Exchequer and the Receipt thereof and all allowances for necessaries and for diet by liberate for same as formerly and now payable and also "all such rewards to any other our officers and others as well relating to our revenue as otherwise as have been formerly given": and likewise to pay all arrears of such wages etc. due upon surrender of any grant or patent, which arrears "cannot be paid by reason of the surrender thereof being the original warrants for payment." Likewise to make repayment to any person who may make double payment of any debts or rents to the Crown or fines paid on grants not executed or surplusages upon accounts duly stated and declared. Likewise to take discretion to pay out of any other branches of the revenue sums specially charged upon particular branches thereof: it having been found, or may be found, more convenient for the King's service sometimes so to do. (Royal warrant dated Feb. 23 to the Attorney or Solicitor General for said patent.)	*King's Warrant Book* X, pp. 23–4.
Mar. 5.	Henry Guy to the Navy Commissioners. The Auditors of Imprests inform the Lord Treasurer that you have surcharges upon Sir Thos. Littleton and partners [as Victuallers? and also upon said Littleton as late Treasurer of the Navy] of his late Majesty's Navy. You are forthwith to send such surcharges to said Auditors.	*Out Letters (General)* VIII, p. 42.
	Same to the Auditor of the Receipt to get one of the Tellers to advance 1,150*l.* to Bevill Skelton, esq. on his allowance as late Envoy Extraordinary to the Dukes of Brunswick; until a privy seal can be passed to authorise said issue.	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 6.

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1684–5. Mar. 5.	Henry Guy to the Auditor of the Receipt. Treasurer Rochester has directed 2,000*l.* of Hearthmoney and 3,370*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.* of Customs money (making 5,370*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.* in all) to be paid into the Exchequer this week. This sum is to be issued as follows:	*Disposition Book* IV, pp. 7, 8.

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
to the Treasurer of the Navy for [the Navy's] weekly money ..	1,500	0	0
to ditto for the Victuallers	1,200	0	0
to ditto towards setting out the ships that are now to be fitted out by a list of Feb. 27 last, [being the] first payment	500	0	0
to the Treasurer of the Ordnance [on the Ordnance Office's] weekly money, whereof 91*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.* is intended for White, a sadler ..	1,000	0	0
to the Treasurer of Christ's Hospital	370	10	0
to Philip Packer for repairs at Somerset House	300	0	0
to Capt. Griffith, being intended for mourning for his late Majesty's livery servants	500	0	0
	£5,370	10	0

The money is to be advanced to such of the above payees as have not orders passed for the issue thereof: as by the letter of Feb. 23 last. (Same dated Mar. 7 to the Customs Cashier, forwarding the paper of the disposition of the Customs cash for the present week: said paper including the above items of 1,500*l.* and 1,200*l.* to the Navy and 370*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.* to Christ's Hospital, together with the following items, viz. 1,000*l.* towards the quarterly bill [of salaries for the Customs officers, London port]; 300*l.* for the Works, for repairs at Somerset House. Total, 4,370*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.*)

Same to Lord Dartmouth [Paymaster of the Ordnance] to pay the abovesaid 91*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.* to Edmund White for 61 troop saddles, for which he has a debenture issued out of the Ordnance Office. *Ibid*, p. 8.

Same to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue as follows out of the 20,000*l.* lent into the Exchequer by Richard Kent and Charles Duncombe on credit of the Excise, viz.: *Ibid*, p. 7.

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to Charles Fox, Paymaster of the Forces, for two weeks' money [to the Forces, this item being merely the formal authority for the issue of money] "formerly advanced by them"	9,000
to the Cofferer by way of advance	2,600
to said Fox, for the Forces	4,500
to be reserved for Treasurer Rochester's disposal	3,900
	£20,000

The letters directing the first two of the abovesaid items to be "advanced out of the Excise shall be rectified in regard the money of that revenue was not charged."

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1684–5. Mar. 5.	Henry Guy to the Auditor of the Receipt to get one of the Tellers to advance to Mr. Poley, employed in his Majesty's service in Germany, the 819*l.* now reserved for him in the Exchequer; until a privy seal can be passed to authorise the payment.	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 8.
	Same to the Customs Commissioners enclosing the petition of Henry Picot, one of the Queen Dowager's servants, for liberty to import some pictures. Gratify him herein, if it may be legally done, he paying Customs on the pictures. *Appending:* said petition shewing that the late King some days before he fell sick granted petitioner permission to bring over into England some pictures representing landskipps, flowers and other things which he has beyond the seas, some with gilded frames and some with black frames; and a book containing five printed black estampes representing the Victories of Alexander; and another black book in water colour representing coats of arms: being in all worth about 40*l.* and are for petitioner's own use and the ornament of his lodgings. Is willing to pay Customs thereon. Therefore prays liberty to send for said pictures "so as they may not be seized in England, being about 40 in number."	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 13.
	Same to Mr. Pepys. According to your desire in yours of yesterday I enclose the proposals of Sir Thomas Pett and Mr. Rogers for building a dry dock at Chatham. You are to attend Treasurer Rochester on Thursday, the 12th inst., at the hearing of Mr. Sturt and Mr. Gauden concerning the account for the victualling of Tangier.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Blathwayte. It is the King's pleasure that Charles Slingsby be placed on the establishment of the Forces for a reformed Lieutenant's pay, to commence from Christmas last.	*Ibid.*
	Same to [the Board of Works] enclosing (*a*) *infra*. *Appending:* (*a*) letter dated Mar. 4 from the Lord Chamberlain to the Lord Treasurer. The King has commanded that the room which is within his Great Bedchamber should be furnished and hung with grey cloth. Please order this to be done speedily with an armed chair of grey cloth, a carpet of ditto for the table, a grey calico curtain for the window. Also a seat of crimson velvet in the Stool Room, a carpet of grey cloth for the side board in the Entring Room, a ditto for the press in the Fane Room and an elbow chair covered with black cloth for his Majesty to sit in at healings.	*Ibid*, pp. 13–14.
	Warrant from Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners to deliver to the Princess of Denmark, Customs free, seven small pieces of tapestry hangings imported for her and now in the Customs House, London, provided same be not prohibited by the clauses in the late Poll Act as French products.	*Out Letters (Customs)* X, p. 4.
	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of Richard Sprigge shewing that his ship with 2,000*l.* worth of logwood, caliatours wood and cocoa nuts was seized in the Downs and condemned without coming to trial, that he has bought a parcel of caliatours wood to the value of 2,000*l.* which is prohibited by Act of Navigation as not coming direct from the place	*Reference Book* III, p. 19.

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1684–5.	of its growth and is therefore liable to be seized though the Custom be duly paid: therefore prays that the wood being seized and appraised he may strike tallies for the King's moiety of the seizure.	
Mar. 5.	Reference from Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of Miles Edgar for the renewal of his patent as searcher of Customs at Chichester, void by the death of Charles II.	*Reference Book* III, p. 20.
	Same from same to same of the petition of Nicholas Lewis for a surveyor's, landwaiter's or deputy searcher's place.	*Ibid.*
	Same from same to Sir Robert Sawyer, kt., Attorney General, of the petition of John South, esq. shewing that the late King granted him all the estate of Richard Nelthorpe, outlawed for treason, except what was in the county of Durham; that a Commission of inquisition was sent into Nottinghamshire and returned; that he has been at great charge in said inquisition as also in finding out Nelthorpe's personal estate which lies very dark, being settled in others' hands: therefore prays a grant of said estate found by inquisition and a general grant of all said personal estate.	*Ibid*, p. 21.
	Same from same to William Blathwayte of the petition of Robert Spencer shewing that the late King farmed the Four and a Half *per cent.* duty in Barbados to Sir Charles Wheeler, Col. Strode and petitioner for seven years and they were [thereafterwards on their petition made not farmers but] accountable for the profits of said Customs with an allowance of 400*l. per an.* each for their pains: that the late Treasury Lords took off the said allowance for the last three years: that petitioner never had any advantage from the management besides the said salary which was not stopped upon petitioner's account: therefore prays payment thereof for the said three years for which it was taken off.	*Ibid*, p. 22.
	Same from same to the Attorney General of the petition of Geo. Porter shewing that at the last sessions at the Old Bailey he was convicted of manslaughter for the unfortunate killing of Sir James Hackett by which his personal estate is forfeit [and therefore praying pardon and re-grant of said estate].	*Ibid.*
	Same from same to Richard Graham of the petition of John Savage shewing that the late King ordered him to make what discovery he could of Jesuits' estates and promised him the full moiety of all he should procure: that he has amongst other things discovered 14 houses in Queen Street, two houses near Holborn Conduit and one house near Fleet Bridge which are now in the King's possession: that the Secondary of London has collected 229*l.* 3*s.* 4*d.* of the rent of said houses and is ready to pay same into the Exchequer: therefore prays a grant of said sum in consideration of the charges and debts he has incurred in the prosecution of this service.	*Ibid.* p. 23.
	Same from same to the Survoyor General of Crown Lands of the petition of Henry Manaton for a new lease of the woods called Harewood, Northeale woods etc. in the King's manor of Calstock,	*Ibid.* p. 24.

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1684–5.	co. Cornwall, which were granted 13 Car. I to Edmund Fowell for 99 years terminable on the lives of John and Henry his sons, which said interest coming to John on the death of Edmund the father is vested in petitioner by assignment.	
Mar. 5.	Reference from Treasurer Rochester to the Mint Commissioners of the petition of Richard Dallow, porter of the Mint, showing that he formerly had two houses in the Tower belonging to his employment and has surrendered them up for the use of the garrison in obedience to the King's command: therefore praying a grant of a small house in the Mint now void by the death of one of the clerks of tho Mint.	*Reference Book* III, p. 25
[?]	Same from same to the Paymaster of the Forces and Muster Master of the Forces of the petition of Dr. Hawkins, Chaplain of the Tower of London, shewing that in regard of the smallness of his stipend the late King allowed him the pay of the chaplain of one of the Regiments of Guards and he has been allowed to muster a man in each of three Independent Companies of Foot belonging to the Tower for his reading prayers in a morning before the Guards are relieved; that he is respited last January muster and the Commissary says he cannot pass him [his said musters] without a warrant: therefore prays such warrant in consideration of the smallness of his allowance and in regard that he released to the King the arrear of 240*l.* due to him: failing a fresh warrant for the continuance of his musters he prays for an allowance to be entered on the quarterly books of the Ordnance Office or of the Mint.	*Ibid.*
Mar. 5.	Same from same to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of Robert Doughty, a prisoner, praying for an arrear of about 3,000*l.* on Customs.	*Ibid*, p. 27.
	Same from same to same of the petition of Thomas Pitts shewing that he is factor to some merchants at Cadiz who have bought (of Capt. Prestman, Commander in Chief of the King's ships in the Straits by bill of sale dated 1684, Nov. 30) a Sallee prize taken by one of the King's men of war: that said prize is laden with wine and consigned to him to London: therefore prays that she may be made free "as other ships sold by his Majesty have been" and that he may pay Custom as if said goods had come in an English built ship.	*Ibid.*
	Same from same to Lemuel Kingdon of the petition of Thomas Lane, esq. for grant of an arrear of 7,200*l.* due to the King from the heirs of Sir William Bucknall and Robt. Huntington upon their farm of the 5*s.* per tun on all French ships lading or unlading goods or passengers in England, Ireland, Wales or Berwick.	*Ibid*, p. 28.
	Same from same to Richard Graham and Philip Burton of the petition of Lady Coney shewing that by decree in Chancery she was ordered to receive out of the estate of Ford, Lord Grey of Werke, 40*l. per an.* for her life: prays that said annuity with the arrears thereof may be paid out of said estate by Richard Grahme, Phillip Burton and William Shaw to whom the King has granted said estate.	*Ibid*, p. 32.

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1684–5. Mar. 5.	Approval and allowance by Treasurer Rochester of (1) Richard Kent's bill of the charge, detailed, of passing his account for the year ended 1683, Sept. 29, as Receiver General and Cashier of the Customs (total 155*l.* 2*s.* 8*d.*), and (2) of his disbursements, detailed, for money paid into the Exchequer, for loss of money and also for portage [into the Exchequer] of money received [in the Customs Office] upon bills of exchange: said accounts being sworn to by Kent before [Baron, Sir] William Gregory, and certified by the Auditors of Imprests.	*Money Book* VI, pp. 4-6.
	Money warrant for 370*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.* to the Treasurer of Christ's Hospital ("the major, commonalty and citizens of London, Governors of the possessions, revenues and goods of the Hospitals of Edward the VIth King of England of Christ, Bridewell and St. Thomas the Apostle"), being due to them at Christmas last for the better support of the [King's mathematical] children of the new royal foundation in Christ Hospital and encouragement of the masters of ships who shall take them as apprentices.	*Ibid*, p. 7.
	Warrant from Treasurer Rochester to the Commissioners and Auditor and Comptroller of Excise to allow to Patrick Gilmore, collector of Excise in cos. Stafford and Salop, 250*l.* upon his account, he having in 1683, Aug., paid that sum to Robert Batho, a person then of great dealings and good repute and in return taken a bill from him on Robert Tart, who refused to accept same, and the said Batho absconding, said Gilmore had him arrested and cast into the Fleet, where he is now a prisoner for said 250*l.*	*Ibid.*
	Report from same to the King on the petition of Capt. Edmund Barry, son of Col. William Barry deceased, Lieut. Terence Obrien and Lieut. James Barrett, praying for an allowance of half pay as made to other officers in like circumstances. The Paymaster of the Forces and W. Blathwait, Secretary at War, have certified that they have seen the certificates of Col. Macharte and Col. Kirk that Barry had served as a Lieutenant in the Duke of Monmouth's Regiment in France until that regiment was called home; and it is certified by Capt. O'Conner and Capt. Marke Talbott that O'Bryen and Barrett were both Lieutenants in Col. Dungan's Regiment in France and upon the late King's Proclamation quitted their said employment as is likewise certified for the lattor by Sir Edw. Scott: "which are the qualifications for intituling them to the half pay abovementioned."	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, p. 7.
	Same from same to same on the petition of James Tazwell (Taswell) of Limington, co. Somerset, to the late King (as by the reference of Feb. 17 last) concerning his father's forfeited bond of 500*l.* to answer a charge of barratry of which he was convicted in Easter term, 33 Car. II, and for which he remained a prisoner in the Counter till his death, yet petitioner is now sued for same. It appears by the certificate of William Briggs, clerk of the Fleet prison, that James Taswell [senr.] was committed to the Fleet 1681–2, Mar. 4, and died there. Petitioner is well esteemed by the gentry of the country and is an object of mercy.	*Ibid*, p. 8.

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1684–5. Mar. 5.	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester for the execution of a warrant dated Jan. 15 last by the Treasury Lords to the Barons of the Exchequer *ut supra, Calendar of Treasury Books*, Vol. VII, p. 1496, for taking Sir Cornwall Bradshaw's security as collector of wool, hides etc. in Poole port.	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, p. 9.
	Same from same to the King's Remembrancer to issue process of *Distringas* [*ad computandum*] against John Langley as Receiver General of the last Six Months' Assessment for co. Gloucester on which account he is indebted 299*l.*; Charles Williams as late same of same Assessment for co. Monmouth, who is similarly indebted 17*l.*; Daniel Davies late same of same for co. Cardigan, who is similarly indebted 9*l.*: and to renew process against Ralph Hollinshead as late same of the last Eighteen Months' Assessment for co. Chester on 2,200*l.* owing from him; and similarly against the Commissioners for Haverford West for the late Six Months' Assessment, for the entire sum of that Assessment which is yet in arrear.	*Ibid*, p. 10.
Mar. 6.	Royal warrant to the Clerk of the Signet for a privy seal for 3,000*l.* to Robert, Earl of Sunderland, one of the Principal Secretaries of State, for secret service, without account. (Money warrant dated Mar. 23 hereon. This warrant quotes the privy seal as dated Mar. 18. Money order dated Mar. 24 hereon.)	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 32. *Money Book* VI, p. 18. *Order Book* I, p. 4.
	Same to same for a same for 2,000*l.* to Charles, Earl of Middleton, one of the Principal Secretaries of State, for secret service. (Money warrant dated Mar. 18 hereon. This warrant quotes the privy seal as dated Mar. 23. Money order dated Mar. 24 hereon.)	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 32. *Money Book* VI, p. 18. *Order Book* I, p. 5.
	Same to same for a dormant same for the payment to abovesaid Earls of Sunderland and Middleton of the yearly sum of 1,850*l.* each during their continuance as Secretaries of State and as in lieu of pensions in respect of said office: the payments to be made by 462*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.* each per quarter, by warrants on the Customs and to commence from Christmas last.	*King's Warrant Book* X, pp. 32–3.
	Same to the Attorney or Solicitor General for a new dormant great seal for the salaries of the Judges of the several Courts of Justice at Westminster, viz. as in lieu of their ancient fees and allowances to grant to each of them the yearly sum of 1,000*l.* as they received in the time of Charles II, that is to say 250*l.* each on the last day of every term and by debentures as hitherto accustomed, the first payment being reckoned as due to them on the last day of last Hilary term. In case of death or supercession said salary is to be paid up to the date thereof. During the continuance of the payment of the above fee no payment is to be made at the Exchequer on the fees heretofore payable [under Charles II's similar grant] to said Judges or to any of them as Justices of assize or gaol delivery.	*Ibid*, pp. 33–4.
	Same to same for a same for 500*l. per an.* to Sir Edward Herbert, Chief Justice of Chester, as an addition to the profits of his place there, said addition having	*Ibid*, p. 34.

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1684–5.	been granted upon the augmentation of the salaries of the Judges at Westminster and having been so continued to Sir Job Charlton and to Sir George Jefferys as severally Chief Justices of Chester and so enjoyed by said Herbert up to the end of last Michaelmas term. To be paid *ut supra.*	
Mar. 6.	Three separate royal sign manuals for respectively 800*l.*, 500*l.* and 500*l.* to Henry Guy, for secret service, without account: to be issued on the 10,000*l.* privy seal dormant of Feb. 27 last. (Three separate money warrants dated Mar. 9 hereon. Two separate money orders dated Mar. 10 for 800*l.* and 500*l.* hereon. The omission of the third money order for 500*l.* is probably a clerical slip.)	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 35. *Money Book* VI, p. 8. *Order Book* I, p. 2.
	Reference from Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of John Harris for a tidewaiter's place, London port, he having served the King at sea as a volunteer on the king's ship *Faulcon.*	*Reference Book* III, p. 20.
	Same from same to Mr. Graham and Mr. Burton of the petition of John Williamson and Thomas Williamson shewing that they were convicted of barratry at the assizes at Carlisle and were fined 100*l.* and 50*l.* respectively: and praying remission of the fine as they are poor and have both stood in the pillory.	*Ibid.*
	Same from same to Sir Robert Sawyer, Attorney General, of the petition of Antho. Segar shewing that he had a grant of the place of Customer of Southampton for life in reversion of Adam de Cardonell, whose patent is terminated by the late King's death; therefore praying to be admitted into his place.	*Ibid.*
	Same from same to William Harbord, Surveyor General of Crown Lands, of the petition of Aldred Seaman for renewal of his patent as steward of his Majesty's borough of Milverton.	*Ibid*, p. 21.
	Same from same to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of Mr. Lytcott for renewal of his patent as Comptroller General of the Accounts of the Customs.	*Ibid.*
	Same from same to same of the petition of John Tombs, late a tidesurveyor, London port, praying for a deputy searcher's place *ibid.*	*Ibid*, p. 22.
	Same from same to Mr. Hewer of the petition of James Brady, late a soldier at Tangier and discharged Dec. 1 last by reason of his wounds received in the King's service: prays payment of the 47*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.* arrears due to him, he being in great want.	*Ibid.*
	Same from same to same of the petition of Mary Rudely praying for the pay of Capt. Charles Collier to be stopped till she be satisfied the arrears due to her late husband which [money] is now in said Captain's hands.	*Ibid.*
	Same from same to Sir William Boreman of the petition of William Yardley to the King for renewal of his place as under housekeeper and wardrobe keeper of the palace at Greenwich together with the place of keeper of the Dwarf Orchard and	*Ibid*, p. 23.

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1684–5.	Gardens there, in consideration that he has been at great charges in settling himself there and is much in arrear [with his salary].	
Mar. 6.	Reference from Treasurer Rochester to the Mint Commissioners of the petition of Jane Brough, widow of Thomas Brough, late clerk of the papers in the Mint and a servant there near 60 years: shewing that her husband died a few days before the end of the quarter wherefore scruple is made of paying said quarter's salary: therefore prays payment thereof, she being 72 years old and without subsistence.	*Reference Book* III, p. 23.
	Same from same to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of Lewis Stuckley for renewal of his grant as Comptroller of Customs, Plymouth port, which he has held since the Restoration.	*Ibid.*
	Same from same to William Blathwayte of the petition of Humphry Okeover and Richard Lovet shewing that they are credibly informed that there is in Virginia several silver mines and one gold mine there not yet wrought upon: that there are several statutes for the encouragement of undertakers in finding out and working mines royal whereby one-third of the profits accrues to the King and two-thirds to the undertakers: therefore prays a commission under the royal signet for the working of such gold or silver mines not yet wrought upon within Virginia, notwithstanding any other former grant, with permission to carry over 100 grovers or miners and other labourers for working same, "which will be no charge to your Majesty either by advance of money or otherwise."	*Ibid*, p. 24.
	Same from same to the Surveyor General of Crown Lands of the petition of George Sisson for the stones of a ruined castle belonging to the King at Penrith.	*Ibid*, p. 25.
	Same from same to the Excise Commissioners of the petition of William Wynn for the next vacant supervisor's place in the Excise and meanwhile to be employed as a messenger in the Excise.	*Ibid.*
	Same from same to the Surveyor General of Crown Lands of the petition of John Ward showing that Treasurer Danby granted William Scawen a place as collector of certain small rents in co. Cornwall, which grant "your Lordship" confirmed: that said Scawen's name was only in trust: therefore prays for a warrant in his own name.	*Ibid*, p. 26.
	Same from same to William Blathwayte of the petition of Eliz. Calere for payment of the 88*l.* 15*s.* 0*d.* arrears of pay due to her husband (after deduction of 12*d.* per day [which] he received) [viz. as due for the period] 1674, May, to 1683–4, Jan. 1.	*Ibid*, p. 27.
	Same from same to William Hewer of the petition of Edward Chapman, late trooper at Tangier, shewing that he received a commission from General Monek at the Restoration as Quartermaster in a Troop of Horse in which he served till the disbanding of the army, then went to Tangier where waiting on the Earl of Middleton, then Governor, to view the ground near the lines of Tangier he fell into an ambuscade and after many wounds was taken prisoner and thence taken to Meknes ("Machoness")	*Ibid*, p. 32.

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1684–5.	among the [Moorish] King's captives and had no way for his redemption: that he continued soven years and three months a prisoner to that King until he paid 169*l.* sterling of his own money for his redemption: being above 70 years old prays a pension: said petition being referred from the King with a recommendation for some competent provision to be made him until Chelsea Hospital be ready to receive him, where his Majesty intends to place him.	
Mar. 6.	Henry Guy to the Customs Commissioners to send the goods of the Mareschal de l'Orge lately arrived in the *Henrietta* yacht to the French ambassador's house in St. James's Square.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 14.
	Same to same enclosing a copy of an order of the King in Council of Feb. 25 last ordering a Collector of Customs at Maryland to be constituted in the room of Mr. Rousby, murdered by Col. Georg Talbot. I also enclose an account of [the duty on] logwood [imported] in London port from Michaelmas, 1683, to Michaelmas, 1684. If same be a true account the officer is to sign it: if not true it is to be corrected.	*Ibid.*
	Report to the King from Treasurer Rochester on the petition of John and Henry Portlocke as by the reference of Feb. 24 last from the King for pardon, they having 15 years since seen Henry Elliot clip the King's coin and concealed the fact. Petitioners were impeached before Abjohn Stoakes, a Justice of Peace for co. Wilts, by said Elliot, who is since dead. Petitioners are old men.	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, p. 7.
Mar. 7.	Henry Guy to Mr. Stephens for a certificate of what is due to the [Army] Commission officers lately employed. In all your reports to the Lord Treasurer upon petitions you are to particularly express the time when the [petitioner's] service was performed.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 14.
	Same to the Commissioners of Excise and Hearth-money to report on the following papers. *Appending:* note of (*a*) complaint dated Jan. 12 last from the Justices of Peace of co. Bucks against Richard Uthwat, a Hearthmoney officer. (*b*) Same dated Jan. 15 last from same as to same.	*Ibid.*
	Same to same forwarding the paper of the disposition of the cash of the Excise and Hearthmoney for the present week, viz.:	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 9.

Out of the Excise.

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to the King in part of the arrears due to him as Duke of York	2,000
to the Queen Dowager	1,000
to Prince George	1,000
to Mr. Toll in part of his debt	1,000
to Mr. Hornby in part of his debt	500
for the quarterly bill [of the Excise Office salaries] due at Michaelmas last	1,500
to Mr. Freind and Calverd in part of their debt	1,500
	£8,500

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1684–5.	*l.* *Out of the Hearthmoney.* to the Treasurer of the Ordnance .. .. 1,000 to the Treasurer of the Navy towards setting out the ships that are now to be fitted as by the list of Feb. 27 [last] .. 500 to Mr. Griffith for mourning for the livery servants of his late Majesty 500 £2,000	
Mar. 9.	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester for the execution of a warrant dated Jan. 31 last by the late Treasury Lords, *ut supra, Calendar of Treasury Books*, Vol. VII, p. 1523, for 30*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.* to John Langwith for six months to 1684, Christmas, as messonger attending the Customs.	*Money Book* VI, p. 10.
	Allowance by same of said Langwith's two bills of 15*l.* 3*s.* 4*d.* and 30*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.* for respectively 1684, June 24, and 1684, Christmas half year, as messenger attending the Treasury Lords.	*Ibid.*
	Warrant from same to the Customs Commissioners to employ Thomas Fowler as a landwaiter, London port *loco* James Foyle, lately deceased.	*Out Letters* (*Customs*) X, p. 4.
	Henry Guy to Mr. Marley to send speedily to the Auditors of Imprests an account of the Tenths received by the late Bishop of Winchester from 1683, Christmas, to the time of his decease.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 14.
	Same to Col. Farr to send to the said Auditors an account with vouchers of the 400*l.* imprested to you for fortifications at Landguard Fort. If you fail herein process *ad computandum* will issuo.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Lord Dartmouth. Send tho Lord Treasurer your report on the enclosed order of Council [missing] upon the petition of the East India Company.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Graham [of the] Privy Purse to send to the Auditors of Imprests an account (with the vouchers thereof) of the 900*l.* imprested to you for repairing Bagshot Lodge and impaling the park there.	*Ibid*, p. 15.
	Same to the Earl of Berkeley for a like account of the 1,000*l.* imprested to you for repairing Nonsuch Park.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Fox for a like account of the moneys received by you for the Royal Hospital at Chelsea.	*Ibid.*
	Samo to Viset. Falkland for the like account for the time you have acted as Treasurer of the Navy; none of your accounts having hitherto been delivered in to the Auditors.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Lord Jermyn for a liko account of the 400*l.* imprested to the lato Earl of St. Albans for repairs and fortifications at Jersey.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Baptist May for a like account of several great sums of monoy imprested to you for Hoaling medals.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Seymour. Your accounts for 1676 and 1677 as late Treasurer of the Navy eannot be	*Ibid.*

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1684–5.	perfected till some queries arising thereout have been answered. Also your accounts for the succeeding years have not been delivered in to the Auditors. You are to attend to those matters.	
Mar. 9.	Henry Guy to Sir Edmd. Andrews to send to the Auditors of Imprests an account (with vouchers) of the 61*l.* 15*s.* 7*d.* imprested to you for pay of the Barbados Regiment under the command of Sir Tobias Bridges.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 15.
	Same to Mr. Trant and Capt. Freeman for a like account of the 21,836*l.* 3*s.* 5½*d.* imprested to Col. Stapleton, Governor of the Leeward Islands, for the pay of the two Companies [of Foot] in said Islands, you having had the receipt of the money and the management of said Stapleton's affairs in England.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Chetwin for a like account of the 800*l.* imprested to you for buying horses for the late King.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Griffith for a like account of the 8,988*l.* 19*s.* 4*d.* remaining unaccounted for of the 10,488*l.* 19*s.* 4*d.* imprested to you for the King's stables and for buying of horses.	*Ibid*, p. 16.
	Same to Dr. Benjamin Worsley for a like account of the 400*l.* imprested to you for the service of the Council of Foreign Plantations.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Viset. Yarmouth for a like account of the wood farm for the year ended 1684, Sept. 29.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Slingsby for a like account of the money imprested to you for the service of the late Council of Foreign Plantations and also of the 1,600*l.* imprested to you in 1663 for building new offices in the Mint.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Navy Commissioners. You were directed by the late Treasury Lords to forthwith perfect all Mr. Seymour's accounts as late Treasurer of the Navy pursuant to the proposal agreed between said Seymour and you. Also none of the accounts of Viset. Falkland, the present Treasurer of the Navy, have yet been brought in to the Auditors. Also the Victualling accounts of Sir Tho. Littleton and partners for two years ended 1673, Dec. 31, are not forfeited and the Victualling accounts of Mr. Brett, Mr. Parsons and partners for the time of their contract are not delivered in. Also you have not perfected the surcharge upon Sir Tho. Littleton's last account ending 1671, Oct. 14, as Treasurer of the Navy. You are to perfect all these matters and are to give the respective accomptants allowance of all the moneys due to them by their respective contracts with the late King.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Trant. There was imprested to Jno. Baines, esq. deceased, 15,685*l.* 14*s.* 10*d.* for the pay of the Barbados Regiment under Sir Tobias Bridges. If you are not able to render an account thereof you are to inform Treasurer Rochester, who is chiefly concerned and capable so to do.	*Ibid.*

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1684–5. Mar. 9.	Henry Guy to Sir Tho. Wharton's clerk to attend the Auditors of Imprests with all the accounts and vouchers of said Wharton and of Mr. Wharton his son during the time of their being wardens of the Mint.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 16.
	Same to Mr. Heningham to attend said Auditors in order to settle some queries remaining unanswered on Lord Godolphin's account as late Master and Gentleman of the Robes.	*Ibid*, p. 17.
	Same to the executors of Sir Tho. Littleton to attend the dispatch of the accounts for two years ended 1673, Dec. 31, of said Littleton and partners as Victuallers of the Navy.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Sir Thomas Player to attend the despatch of the account of 100,000*l.* imprested to you for paying off and disbanding the late New Raised Forces: also send the Auditors an account of the 403*l.* 12*s.* 0*d.* part of 18,176*l.* 2*s.* 0*d.* due to several persons by assignments from Sir George Carteret, late Treasurer of the Navy.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Roberts to attend the despatch of your accounts as Receiver of the Honor of Windsor and Paymaster of the Works there.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Sir Dennis Gauden, Benja. Gauden *et al.* to attend the despatch of their accounts for 1670 and 1671 as Victuallers of the Navy.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Spencer to send to the Auditors of Imprests your accounts and vouchers as Clerk of the Faculties since 1663, Oct.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Griffin for the like accounts for the several years since 1678, Sept. 29, as Treasurer of the Chamber.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Lock for the like account of the 552*l.* 10*s.* 6*d.* imprested to you for the service of the Council of Foreign Plantations.	*Ibid*, p. 18.
	Same to Mr. Peter du Mouline for the like account of the 700*l.* imprested to you for the use of the Council of Trade.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Hewer. Send the Auditors of Imprests your answer to the queries which have arisen upon your accounts from 1680, April 30, to 1682, June 30, as late Treasurer of Tangier.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Parsons, Mr. Brett and partners. None of your accounts as Victuallers have been deliverod in. You are to transmit them with the vouchers.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Sidney for the like account from 1681, Lady day, as late Gentleman and Master of the Robes.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Watson for the like account of the 5,000*l.* imprested to you for the use of the King's stables.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Earl of Ranelagh to order the respective persons, liable, to attend the despatch of the account of Francis, late Lord Willoughby of Parham, for the Four and a Half *per cent.* revenue of Barbados	*Ibid.*

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1684–5.	from 1663, Sept. 15, to 1664, Aug. 10, when said Lord was Governer thore.	
Mar. 9.	Henry Guy to Mr. Porter to deliver to the Auditors whatever tallies, pleas, receipts or other vouchers are wanting to the perfecting your several accounts before them.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 18.
	Same to Mr. Packer for the like accounts, *ut supra*, as Paymaster of the Works from 1680, March, and as Paymaster of the Works at Winchester.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Bowles to attend in order to the finishing his accounts as Master of the Tents, Hayles and Pavilions.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the executors of Sir William Parkhurst for the like account as above of the 1,400*l.* imprested to him in 1661 for new building in the Mint and the 2,808*l.* 9*s.* 8½*d.* imprested in 1665 for repairing of houses [there].	*Ibid*, p. 19.
	Same to the Mint Commissioners for the like account of their offices since 1682, Nov. 22.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Jervis for the like account of 3,141*l.* 17*s.* 11½*d.* imprested to you for the President and Council of the Marches of Wales.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Killegrew for the like account of the 1,000*l.* imprested to you.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Board of Greencloth to forthwith make up the account of what was due in the Cofferer's Office at Christmas last to the servants of the late King. (The like letter to Mr. Griffin [for the servants payable in the Office of the Treasurer of the Chamber]. The like letter to Mr. Darcy, Mr. Benyon and Col. Phillips [for the servants payable in the Great Wardrobe].)	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Attorney General concerning the omission of the clause "during pleasure" from a draft deputation [missing].	*Ibid.*
	Samo to William Blathwayte to attend Sir Richard Lloyd in order to the prosecution of the ship *Elizabeth* just arrived, William Lundy master, from New England, being one of the ships carrying part of the goods from the ship *L'Trompeuze*. (Same to said Lloyd to take all care to seize and prosecute said ship.)	*Ibid*, pp. 19, 20.
	Same to the Attorney General for his opinion whether the privy seal for 12,000*l.* worth of timber to the Earl of Arlington out of Whittlewood and Salcey Forests may be executed or is a new privy seal necessary.	*Ibid*, p. 20.
	Same to the Mint Commissioners. If you have any ancient Coronation medals send them to Treasurer Rochester that he may lay them before the King.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Auditors of Imprests to attend Treasurer Rochester at the house of Sir Robert Howard [Auditor of the Receipt] on Wednesday morning next.	*Ibid.*

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1684–5. Mar. 9.	Henry Guy to Mr. Noell to bring in forthwith the tallies of *pro* of Sir John James *et al.* which were delivered over to George Dashwood and his partners for their better security upon payment of the first year's surplus of Excise.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 20.
	Treasurer Rochester to the Archbishop of Canterbury. No accounts of the Tenths of Canterbury have been delivered in to the Auditors of Imprests since 1674. You are to order the sub-collectors, concerned, to transmit their accounts from that time. The like letter to the Bishop of Winchester for the accounts since 1677, Christmas. The like letter to the Bishop of Lincoln for the account for the year ended 1684, Christmas, and also to pay into the Exchequer the 711*l.* 16*s.* 4*d.* resting in your hands at the foot of your accounts ended 1683, Christmas, of such Tenths. The like letter to the Bishop of Llandaff for the account for the year ended 1684, Christmas: also to pay in all the money of Tenths collected by you in the year ended Christmas, 1683.	*Ibid*, p. 21.
	Reference from Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of Francis Godfrey for renewal of his patent as Customer of Lynn Regis, co. Norfolk.	*Reference Book* III, p. 26.
	Same from same to Thomas [First Secondary in the King's Remembrancer's Office] to examine the sureties proposed by Robert Squibb for his place as Receiver of First Fruits (viz. said Squibb in 5,000*l.* and William Dickinson, Phillip Burton, Henry Ball, Samuel Langford and Arnold Squibb in 200*l.* each. Total bond, 6,000*l.*).	*Ibid.*
	Same from same to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of Francis Saunders for a place in the Customs, he having been bred up in business in London.	*Ibid*, p. 27.
	Same from same to William Blathwaite of the account of Mr. Randolph of 471*l.* by him oxpended in the King's service in New England: together with two orders of Council and other papers [missing].	*Ibid*, p. 28.
	Recommendation from same to same of the petition of Erasmus Evans for a tidesurveyor's or coast-waiter's place, he having been a tidesman in fee, London port, this four years.	*Ibid.*
	Henry Guy to Sir Henry Killigrew, executor to his father. You are to give in an account of the 1,000*l.* imprested to your father: with the vouchers thereof.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 25.
	Warrant from Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners to observe an order of the King in Council dated Whitehall Jan. 7 last for a duty of only 5*s.* per ton to be asked for one year from date thereof on the export of iron guns and mortar pieces. *Prefixing:* copy of said order.	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, p. 10.
	Same from same to Brooke Bridges and Thomas Done, Auditors of Imprests, to make allowance to Charles Fox, Paymaster of the Forces, in his account for the Forces for the year ending 1683, Dec. 31,	*Ibid*, pp. 11–12.

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1684–5.	of 6,666*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.* (being one third of the deduction for the two preceding years of 12*d.* per 20*s.* on payments made by him to the Forces), being so much transferred by virtue of the privy seal of 1683, May 17, to the use of the Royal Hospital in Chelsea: the same being hereby to be charged upon him in his accounts of the said Hospital: and for the future only one-third of the said deduction is to be charged on account of the Forces for the service thereof and the remaining third is hereby to be charged from time to time upon the Paymaster in his account of the said Hospital: all by reason that the royal sign manual of 1682, Nov. 15, directed that the Paymaster of the Forces should be charged with two-thirds of the said deduction, "which his Majesty did then intend should be applied for the pay of his Majesty's Forces in lessening the assignment of money for the said establishment" wherefore the said Paymaster is charged in his Army accounts for the two years ended 1682, Dec. 31, with 13,333*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.*, being the said two-thirds without any allowance for [the moiety thereof being] money assigned by him for the use of said Hospital in accordance with the terms of the abovesaid privy seal [such charge being] by reason that said privy seal did not come to the hands of the Auditors of Imprests until after the accounts of said two years were declared.	
Mar. 10.	Henry Guy to Mr. Hutbald to perfect the account of the debt resting on the foot of Sir George Wharton's last account and likewise to supply the Auditors with the vouchers for said Wharton's claim of 23,336*l.* 7*s.* $4\frac{3}{4}$*d.* for interest.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 22.
	Same to the Commissioners of Excise and Hearthmoney to report on a paper [missing] signed by P. Trant and William Bridges relating to some collectors of the Hearthmoney.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Attorney General to report on a patent granted by Charles II to Mr. Vaughan and Mr. Dorrington of the duty of post groats together with the assignment thereof to Robert Sanders and the petition of Mr. John Draper.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Stephens for an account of what is due to the Guards [*sic* for Navy Yards] for the two quarters ended 1683, Christmas, and 1684, Lady day, distinguishing each respective yard.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Darcy and partners for an estimate of the things demanded by the enclosed letter [missing] of the 9th inst. from the Lord Chamberlain.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Pepys for a true estimate of what is due to all the yachts.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Commissioners of Excise and Hearthmoney. At the request of Mr. Row and the late Managers [Farmers] of the Hearthmoney you are to permit such officers as had the audit and care of the books of the Hearthmoney during the five years of your [*sic* for their, Row's *et al.*] management, to be appointed from time to time to attend the placing of the said books [? for] each county, city or town for every half year distinctly.	*Ibid*, p. 23.

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1684–5. Mar. 10.	Henry Guy to the Customs Commissioners to deliver to bearer the box seized at Deal and directed to Mr. Congnard the father and son: same being for the use of Visct. Cornbury.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 20.
	Money order for 200*l.* to Sir Robert Howard, Auditor of the Receipt, for one year to 1684, Christmas, on the usual and accustomed allowance for extraordinary service performed in his office.	*Order Book* I, p. 2.
	Same for 228*l.* 9*s.* 7*d.* to John Walker, Usher of the Exchequer Court, for necessaries delivered to the officers of said Court in 1684, Hilary term, and for diet to himself at 5*d.* a day 1684, July 12, to 1684–5, Mar. 7.	*Ibid*, p. 3.
	Same for 382*l.* 16*s.* 3*d.* to samo for same supplied in 1684, Trinity term, and for the liko diot 1683–4, Mar. 4, to 1684, July 12.	*Ibid.*
	Same for 236*l.* 17*s.* 10*d.* to same for same supplied in 1684, Michaelmas term.	*Ibid.*
	Warrant from Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners to pay 152*l.* 0*s.* 7*d.* to John Bankes of London, merchant; it appearing that in 1679 he informed the Treasury Lords that there was a very great running of goods in the West of England when he recommended Mr. Herne and Mr. Dawson for the suppressing of that trade, who were accordingly sent 1679–80, Jan. 17, and were equipped and maintained at said Bankes's expense till Feb. 9 following, from which time they received 10*s.* a day each from the King, the rest of their expense being borne by said Bankes: and they having on that occasion done the King considerable service.	*Money Book* VI, p. 8.
Mar. 11.	Privy seal dormant for 3*l.* a day to Sir Peter Wyche, kt., for his ordinary as Resident with the Hanse Towns: to be paid quarterly; the first quarter in advance: together with the usual clause for the allowance of his extraordinaries.	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 35.
	Same for 5*l.* a day ordinary and 500*l.* for equipage to Sir Gabriell Silvius, kt., as Envoy Extraordinary to the King of Denmark: to be paid *ut supra*: with the usual clause for the allowance of his extraordinaries.	*Ibid.*
	Same for tho like ordinary and equipage to Bevill Skelton, esq., as Envoy Extraordinary to the States General of the United Provinces: to be paid *ut supra*: with the usual clause for allowanco of his extraordinaries.	*Ibid*, p. 36.
	Henry Guy to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue the 3,900*l.* now remaining in the Exchequer out of the 20,000*l.* loan made by Richard Kent and Charles Duncombe, and the 600*l.* of the Excise money directed to be this week paid into the Exchequer (making in all 4,500*l.*) to Charles Fox, Paymaster of tho Forces.	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 9.
	Same to same to issue as follows 8,627*l.* 17*s.* 3*d.* of Customs money and 2,639*l.* of Hearthmoney which is directed to bo this week paid into the Exchequer (making in all 11,266*l.* 17*s.* 3*d.*) to the following services viz.:	*Ibid*, p. 10.

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	l.	s.	*d.*
to the Treasurer of the Navy [for one week on the Navy's] weekly money	1,500	0	0
to ditto to complete the 12,000*l.* for the ordinary and extraordinary repairs of the Navy	1,000	0	0
to ditto towards fitting out several ships immediately to sea according to a list from the Navy Board	500	0	0
to ditto for buying New England masts	300	0	0
to ditto for the present Victuallers..	1,200	0	0
to the Treasurer of the Ordnance [for one week of the Ordnance Office's] weekly money	1,000	0	0
to Mr. Chudleigh, Envoy in Holland	2,941	17	3
l.			
to Bevill Skelton in full of 2,825*l.* 186			
2,639			
——— 2,825	0	0	
£11,266	17	3	

(Same dated Mar. 12 to the Customs Cashier, enclosing the paper of the disposition of the Customs cash for the present week: said paper containing the first seven of the above items and 186*l.* of the item to Skelton [being payable out of Customs money in the Exchequer] together with the following item [payable direct out of the Customs Office], viz. 1,000*l.* [in part of the London Customs officers' salary] quarterly bill. Total, 9,627*l.* 17*s.* 3*d.*)

Mar. 11. Henry Guy to Mr. Green to prosecute the accounts of the moneys imprested to you towards keeping an Office of Exchange in London. — *Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 23.

Treasurer Rochester to the Bishop of Sarum. There remains 148*l.* 7*s.* 11¼*d.* at the foot of your account of the Tenths of your diocese for the year ended 1683, Christmas. You are to pay same in and to send in your account and vouchers for the succeeding year. — *Ibid*, p. 25.

Privy seal for an allowance to Henry, Earl of Clarendon, as Lord Privy Seal, of 4*l.* a day for and in lieu of the ancient diet of 16 dishes of meat heretofore settled and allowed to the Keeper of the privy seal: payment hereof to commence from Christmas last and to be made quarterly. — *King's Warrant Book* X, pp. 52–3.

Mar. 12. Henry Guy to the Commissioners of Excise and Hearth-money forwarding the paper of the disposition of the Excise cash and the Hearthmoney cash for the present week, as follows: — *Disposition Book* IV, p. 11.

Excise cash.	*l.*
to the King in part of arrears due to him as Duke of York	2,000
to the Queen Dowager	1,000
to Charles Fox, Paymaster of the Forces..	600
to Mr. Toll, in part of his debt	1,000
to Mr. Freind and Mr. Calverd in part of their debt	1,500

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1684–5.	to complete the [Excise Office salary] quarterly bill .. .. 655 to Mr. Hornby .. .. 500 £7,255 *Hearthmoney cash.* to Bevill Skelton in full of 2,825*l.*, *ut supra* £2,639	
Mar. 12.	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester for the execution of a warrant dated 1684, Oct. 30, from the late Treasury Lords to the Customs Cashier for 9,139*l.* 3*s.* 3*d.* to Robert Woolley for saltpetre *ut supra*, *Calendar of Treasury Books*, Vol. VII, p. 1376. (*In the margin :* cancelled by my Lord Treasurer 1685, May 18.)	*Money Book* VI, p. 9.
	Money warrant for 273*l.* to Sir Peter Wyche for a quarter's advance of ordinary as Resident with the Hanso Towns, to commence from the day of his departure out of the royal presence. (Money order datod Mar. 13 hereon.)	*Ibid*, p. 9. *Order Book* I, p. 2.
	Same for 955*l.* to Bevill Skelton as Envoy Extraordinary to the States General: being 500*l.* for equipage and 455*l.* for a quarter's advance of ordinary *ut supra.* (Money order dated Mar. 13 hereon.)	*Money Book* VI, p. 9. *Order Book* I, p. 2.
	Warrant from Treasurer Rochester to the King's Remembrancer to take the securities of Robert Squibb, *ut supra*, p. 40, as Receiver of First Fruits.	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, p. 12.
	Henry Guy to the Customs Cashior to pay 130*l.* to the Marquis of Halifax on his warrant for that sum.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 23.
	Same to the Earl of Anglesea. The King is informed that you desired in the late King's time to be heard [as] to some of your accounts. You are to attend the King on Saturday afternoon next thereon.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the sheriff of Kent or his deputy Mr. Dalling. You are to reserve in your hands till further direction the fine of 500 marks sct upon William Burman at the assizes at Maidstone in July last.	*Ibid.*
	Samo to the Earl of Arlington. It is tho Attorney Goneral's opinion that the Lord Treasurer may not fitly proceed on the [existing] privy seal for [12,000*l.* worth of] timber for you out of Whittlewood and Salcey Forest. A new privy scal must be provided.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Darcy *et al.* to forthwith provido [for the Lord Chamberlain] the things mentioned in the enclosed estimate [missing].	*Ibid*, p. 24.
	Samo to tho Attorney Goneral to report on Mr. Cowley's patent for the office of an under searchor, London port, and on Mr. Meek's petition for tho same place.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Wardour. The Lord Treasurer approves the proposal as in yours of yesterday concerning your examining and signing the imprest rolls [along] with the Auditor of the Receipt. You are to prepare a warrant for this.	*Ibid.*

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1684–5. Mar. 12.	The Earl of Roehester to Col. Strother and Mr. Williamson. Thanks for yours of the 26th ult. and for your pains and care in receiving the rents and profits of the estate of Ford, Lord Grey. As you apprehend that the same (which is of some importanee in relation to securing the peace upon the borders) may be granted to his brother Mr. Ralph Grey I am to acquaint you that the King does not intend to depart with the said estate to him, but thinks it will be for his service to keep it in his own hands and to have it managed for his own proper use.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 24.
	Henry Guy to the Customs Commissioners enclosing all the papers relating to Sir Richard Temple's survey of the Western ports. In answer to Mr. Sanson's letter of to-day you need not report to the Lord Treasurer on any references to you from the late Treasury Lords on private petitions, but only on matters immediately concerning the King's service. Does your proposal of Feb. 5 last as to renewal of outport officers' patents do away with the neeessity of fresh petitions? You are to attend the Lord Treasurer next Monday afternoon.	*Ibid*, p. 25.
	Royal letter to Michaell, Archbishop of Armagh, Primate and Chancellor of Ireland, Arthur, Earl of Granard, one of the Justices and Commissioners of Ireland, and to the Lord Licutenant etc. of same, for a commission to be passed under the great seal of Ireland to eonstitute Sir William Talbot, bart. to be agent and commissioner within the kingdom of Ireland of all the King's [private] revenues, profits and incomes in said kingdom now due or in arrear or hereafter to beeome due by reason of any the castles, honors, manors, messuages, lands etc. there pertaining to the King before his accession either by virtue of the Acts of Settlement or Explanation or by grants in reprise or by any other title: [to act] under the inspection of Fra. Earl of Longford, Lemuel Kingdon, William Strong, Robert Bridges and William Culliford, "the present Commissioners and Governors of all other our [public] revenue in the said kingdom." All the revenues of said lands etc. so committed to said Talbot's care and management are to be paid and to be charged in the office of the Receiver General of Ireland or to such other person as the King shall hereafter appoint. Full power to Talbot or his substitutes to prosecute arrears, reeover by distress etc. Talbot to observe the instruetions of the Chief Governors of Ireland or the Treasury Lords of England or the Revenue Commissioners, Ireland. Talbot to keep an office in some eonvenient place in Dublin and to keep exact registers and books of accompts and to make certificates thereof from time to time to the said Chief Governor, Treasury Lords or Revenue Commissioners as they shall direet: with a salary of 500*l. per. an.* for said Talbot and one clerk from 1684, Christmas. Power to Talbot with the approbation of the Revenue Commissioners, Ireland, to let the said lands to farm ete. for any time not exeeeding one year. Power to Talbot to commence action, with the abovesaid approbation, for reeovery of any the lands belonging to the King before his accession. Power to eompound for any arrears. Talbot's charges and expenses, when allowed by said	*King's Warrant Book* X, pp. 36–39.

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1684–5.	Revenue Commissioners, to be paid by the Receiver General of Ireland. Talbot to be exempted from juries. Charles Pleydell is also hereby appointed "to be our solicitor [for these private revenues] to prosecute and solicit our affairs and to be chief clerk and register to you our Commissioner": with a salary of 60*l. per an.*	
Mar. 12.	Royal warrant to the Clerk of the Signet for a privy seal to the Lord Treasurer and Attorney General to dischargo divers coast bonds and compound others as follows. By the Act of 14 Car. II c. 11 for frauds in the Customs coast shippers are to take out cocquets and give bond for delivery in some port of England or Wales. Divers [such coast trade] ships have been heretofore or may be hereafter driven into outward parts or foreign countries by stress of weather whereby their bonds become forfeit to their utter undoing if the King's clemency be not extended. In such cases on certificate from the principal officers of the Customs that the duty for tho goods, so secured by bond, is paid in some port of England no process is to be issued on such bonds without the special direction of the Exchequer Court and the King hereby pardons such bonds; the record of the bonds is to be cancelled and the bonds delivered to the obligor for their full discharge. Further, in case of some such coast ladings as above certain covetous persons havo [or may have] before our accession conveyed such ships out of the kingdom [without such excuse of stress of weather] and their bonds have become forfeit in law viz. to the amount and value of the goods in question, and the extremity and forfeiture thereof might be to their utter undoing. The King minding to extend his clemency but yet to discourage such evil practices, hereby authorises the Lord Treasurer and Attorney Goneral to examine such persons and thereupon to compound the offence by payment to be made into the Exchequer in one entire payment, whereupon process is to surcease, the record of the bonds to be cancelled and the bonds to be delivered *ut supra*; all provided that certificate as above be first made of payment to the King of the Custom of such goods so wrongfully carried out of the kingdom.	*King's Warrant Book* X, pp. 40–2.
	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to the Attorney General of Crown Lands of the petition of Tho., Bishop of Rochester, for permission to make out his right to the fine of 500 marks set upon Burman at a late assizes for co. Kent, the petitioner [*sic* for prisoner] living within a liberty belonging to petitioner in right of his church of Rochester: but now one Perinoth is about to get a grant of said fine.	*Reference Book* III. p. 29.
	Same from same to the Customs Commissioners of Thomas Aslaby's petition for tho place of scarcher of Kingston upon Hull: he having discovered and prosecuted at his own charge a fraud in said office, whereupon said office was seized into tho King's hands.	*Ibid.*
	Same by same to the Warden of the Mint of the petition of Mr. Knight, yeoman of the Guard, shewing that he formerly petitioned to be relieved out of the estate of Eleanor Bonnett, *alias* Cabourn, for two horses lent to her, she being condemned this last	*Ibid*, p. 30.

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1684–5.	session for clipping: as there is 90*l.* of clipped money in the hands of Justice Perry prays that same may be delivered to him.	
Mar. 12.	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to the Attorney General of the petition of Tho. Doyly, engineer of the Mint, for payment of the quarter's salary due on his 100*l. per an.* out of the Customs: for which quarter he has a warrant of the late Treasury Lords.	*Reference Book* 111, p. 30.
	Same by same to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of John Widdows for a tidewaiter's place, London port, he having been bred a pewterer in London, but disabled from his trade by great losses.	*Ibid.*
	Same by same to same of the petition of the Earl of Clarendon, Mr. Chiffinch and Mr. Folks for Thomas Chiffinch, junr. to be admitted as their deputy in the office of one of the two searchers at Gravesend, which office they hold [in trust and] for his natural life, and he being of sufficient ability for the office.	*Ibid.*
	Same by same to same of the petition of Richd. Evans for renewal of his patent as searcher at Milford.	*Ibid*, p. 31.
	Same by same to same of the petition of Walter Middleton for the like renewal of his patent as collector of Milford port.	*Ibid.*
	Same by same to Robert, Earl of Lindsey, warden of Waltham Forest, and to Sir Eliab Harvey, lieutenant of same, of the petition of Col. Trussell, mercer to the late King, showing that said King is indebted to him in above 10,000*l.*; therefore praying a grant of a piece of ground called Walwood in Essex, for which he lately petitioned Charles II, who had a good title thereto.	*Ibid.*
	Same by same to Sir Robert Sawyer, Attorney General, of the petition of Lawrence Carter *ut supra*, p. 22. *Prefixing:* report dated Mar. 4 to the Lord Treasurer from the Surveyor General of Crown Lands on said petition and on the order of Council of Feb. 20 last *ut supra, ibid.* I have enquired of the Earl of Huntingdon, the Recorder of Leicester, and John Wilkins, one of the aldermen [of Leicester]. They are both of opinion that the bringing water from the river up into the town as petitioner proposes will be of great use and advantage to the inhabitants. I conceive he ought to have all encouragement. As the King is Lord of the soil there it will be necessary to grant him licence and liberty to lay pipes in the streets and wastes there and to erect cisterns, waterhouses and conduits in the most convenient places. As the Honor of Leicester is within the Duchy of Leicester the grant must pass under the great seal of that duchy. I advise some small rent of a noble or less *per an.* as the charge to petitioner is like to be very great.	*Ibid*, pp. 35–6.
	Same by same to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of Philip Bell and Thomas Stratford and the report thereon as follows: *Prefixing:* (*a*) said petition praying a grant of the office of gauging, branding and marking all empty butter easks and vessels within England, Wales and	*Ibid*, p. 46.

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1684-5.	Berwick for 31 years in like manner as heretofore granted by Charles I to Capt. Jno. Read. (*b*) Reference dated Feb. 29 last thereof from the King to the Attorney General. (*c*) Report dated 1684, July 15 [*sic*], from Sir Robert Sawyer, Attorney General, on a petition [dated] 1684, July 29 [*sic*], for said office on a reference from the late Treasury Lords. The late King erected said office in *anno* 10 of his reign and granted it to one Reads, since which an Act of Parliament passed in 14 Car. II. for limiting the weight of neat butter to be put into the several casks and pots in order to sale and for prohibiting the mixture of corrupt butter: but no officer is by the Act appointed to gauge the vessels. Petitioner may be granted a commission for gauging all empty butter casks and pots and for searching all butter put into casks for sale contrary to said Act.	
Mar. 13.	Letters patent by the King appointing Robert, Earl of Sunderland, to be one of the Principal Secretaries of State: with an annuity of 100*l. per an.* payable at the Receipt: payable as from Christmas last. The like patent for Charles, Earl of Middleton, as the other Principal Secretary of State, with the like annuity.	*King's Warrant Book* X, pp. 79, 85.
	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of Richard Sprigge shewing that three years since he had a ship with 2,000*l.* freight seized and condemned without coming to trial which he wholly lost: that he has another ship lately seized in Ramsgate Road laden with caliatour's wood which lay there for orders being arrived before advice of her coming: therefore prays a grant of two-thirds of the last mentioned ship or permission to send the goods out again.	*Reference Book* III, p 29
	Same by same to the Commissioners of Excise of the potition of Henry Shalcross for some place in the Customs or Excise.	*Ibid*, p. 31.
	Same by same to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of Henry Rolt shewing that his father sold lands to the value of 500*l. per an.* to defend Charles I and after the restoration his uncle Sir John Jacobs put petitioner in a landwaiter's place, London port, wherein he has served 11 years: prays to be restored to said employment.	*Ibid*, p. 32.
	Same by same to William Hewer of the petition of Dorothy Kiffes shewing that she was one of those that was transported from Tangier, that coming in the fly boat she lost all she had: prays a small pension as granted to the other widows who came before her, she being kept behind to be Lord Dartmouth's laundress and being now very poor with five children.	*Ibid*, p. 34.
	Same by same to Richard Graham, William Shaw and Philip Burton of the petition of Widow Palmer shewing that her husband was steward to Ford, Lord Grey, and disbursed several sums of money for him: that he died in 1680 and petitioner exhibited a bill in Chancery against said Lord which was referred to Sir Miles Cook, who reported that Lord Grey owed her 797*l.* 13*s.* 2*d.* which said Lord was appointed to pay, but was shortly afterwards	*Ibid*, p. 38.

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1684–5.	outlawed for treason and his estate forfeited: prays to be paid said money, being all she has to maintain herself and family.	
Mar. 13.	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to the Auditors of Imprests of the statement [missing] of Sir Thomas Littleton's demands of interest and gratuity as referred by the late Treasury Lords, 1683, April 19, to Sir Robert Howard, *et al.*; Sir Robert Howard *et al.* having made a statement of said demands 1683–4, Jan. 17.	*Reference Book* III, p. 44.
	Warrant from same to the Comptroller of the Pipe, the messengers of the Exchequer and all others concerned, to deliver to Edward Ange (who is solicitor for the King in the matter of Recusants), the several processes against Recusants which are in your hands or power and also to produce to him the respective sheriffs' acquittances for such processes as you have already delivered out: "to the end such further directions may be given touching them as I shall think fit." (Henry Guy dated Mar. 12 to Sir John Osborne [Lord Treasurer's Remembrancer] to deliver to said Ange all the processes against Recusants which are sealed and ready to be delivered out.)	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, p. 13. *Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 23.
	Henry Guy to Mr. Peregrine Bertie, Mr. Charles [Bertie] and Mr. Osborn to send to the Attorney General all the deeds etc. in your custody relating to the grant of divers honors, manors and lands to you in trust for the late Earl of Plymouth.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 25.
	Same to the Attorney General to examine the Mint Commissioners, Auditors of Imprests and Mr. Slingsby and to report whether the 7*s.* and 19*d.* per lb. weight allowed for the gold and silver money coined since said Slingsby's suspension belongs to said Slingsby of right.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Pepys to appoint some to attend the auditors for the despatch of your accounts as late Treasurer of Tangier.	*Ibid*, p. 26.
Mar. 14.	Same to Lord Dartmouth to send the Lord Treasurer an account what 50 new Partizans or Halberds, such as the Yeomen of the Guards use, will cost.	*Ibid*, p. 25.
	Same to Henry Slingsby to give in to the Auditor accounts and vouchers relating to the following sums imprested to you viz.:	*Ibid*, p. 26.

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
as secretary to and as one of the Council of Trade and Plantations	1,750	0	0
owing by you upon the account of the Dunkirk money	1,239	5	9
received at the Exchequer for making presses, tools and engines for coining	1,600	0	0
received of Sir William Parkhurst, late Warden of the Mint, for the like service	1,934	0	0
received of Sir Tho. Littleton, late Treasurer of the Navy, for providing gold chains and medals ..	200	0	0

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1684–5.	*l.* *s.* *d.* had from the Africa Company in crown gold for making Healing medals 2,974 5 0 £12,697 10 9	
Mar. 14.	Henry Guy to the officers of the Wardrobe to forthwith make up the accounts of Lord Montague as Master of the Great Wardrobe from 1681, Michaelmas, to 1683, May 1, in the method and form directed by the late King's instructions dated 1667, Dec. 6. to that office. For this purpose you are to adjust your accounts with all artificers, tradesmen *et al.* payable by you and annex a schedule of all the debts in arrear from 1671, Michaelmas, to 1683, May 1, with the names and services in manner as directed by the great seal of 1683, April 27. From 1683, May 1, you are to carry on the account of that office to Mich., 1684 (the time that usually the annual accounts of that Office determine) and therein and in all future accounts you are to follow the method directed in said great seal.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 26.
	Same to Mr. Kingdon and partners to attend the Attorney General for perfecting your surrender of the grant to you of the Hearthmoney surplus.	*Ibid*, p. 27.
	Same to Mr. Blathwait. It is the King's pleasure that Sir Ralph Freeman should receive the arrears of his allowance of 40*s.* a week from the death of the late King and that same be continued him for the future. You are to prepare a [royal] warrant for this.	*Ibid*, p. 28.
	Same to the Customs Commissioners. The Lord Treasurer approves your proposal in your memorials of the 5th ult. and 11th inst. viz. that the patent officers make up such competent maintenance as the said Commissioners shall approve to their deputies in the members and creeks where they are to keep deputies. Otherwise the said Commissioners to appoint such deputies and salaries out of the profits of such member or creek, which profits said patent officers are in such case to relinquish. The patent of Francis Godfrey as Customer at Lynn Regis is ordered to be renewed during pleasure. You are to take and enter in your books the said Godfrey's submission and agreement to the abovesaid terms.	*Ibid.*
Mar. 16.	Royal warrant to the Clerk of the Signet for a privy seal for 20,000*l.* to the Treasurer of the Chamber as imprest for the expense and service of his Office.	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 42.
	Same to same for a same for 20,000*l.* to Philip Packer, Paymaster of the Works, as imprest for the service of the Works.	*Ibid*, p. 43.
	Same to the Attorney or Solicitor General for a great seal for a grant to Nicholas Fenn of the office of housekeeper of the Excise Office : to hold by himself or approved deputy : with the fee or salary of 400*l.* *per an.* payable quarterly as from Christmas last : he to keep a porter and yard keeper at the said Office : he having hold the said place under the late King [only during pleasure whereby his said grant did lapse at the death of Charles II].	*Ibid.*

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1684–5. Mar. 16.	Royal warrant to the Attorney or Solicitor General for a great seal for a grant to John Baker and Michael Baker, gent. of the office of Marshal of the Marshalsea of the Exchequer, during pleasure: to be executed by themselves or sufficient deputies: with all wages, profits etc. thereto belonging. (*Marginal note:* the privy seal [for the great seal] is dated Mar. 31.)	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 44.
	Same to same for a privy seal to discharge Sir John Child, President of the East India Company at Surat in the East Indies, (upon whom Charles II conferred the dignity of a baronet) from the baronetcy fee of 1,095*l.* due thereon. (Treasurer Rochester's warrant dated May 8 to the Receipt accordingly for a tally of discharge.)	*Ibid*, p. 44. *Money Book* VI, p. 62.
	Money warrant for 955*l.* to Sir Gabriel Sylvius, kt. being 500*l.* for equipage and 455*l.* for a quarter's ordinary in advance as Envoy Extraordinary to the King of Denmark. (Money order dated Mar. 18 hereon.)	*Money Book* VI, p. 10. *Order Book* I, p. 4.
	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Receipt for tallies of assignment to be levied upon the Collectors of the Tenths of the dioceses of Oxford, Worcester, Hereford and St. David's for 106*l.* 5*s.* 0*d.* for James Hamilton for last Christmas quarter on the moiety assigned to him by Elizabeth Hamilton his mother (by indenture dated 1683, Oct. 25) of the annuity of 850*l.* granted to her by patent of 1673, July 25, for 99 years for her sons James, George and William.	*Money Book* VI, p. 11.
	Same to same for tallies as above for 106*l.* 5*s.* 0*d* to abovesaid Elizabeth Hamilton for same quarter on the unassigned moiety of said annuity: and likewise for 125*l.* to her by like tallies on the dioceses of Chester and Rochester for same quarter on the annuity of 500*l.* to herself granted 1673, July 20.	*Ibid*, p. 12.
	Same from same to Charles Duncomb, Treasurer and Cashier for Hearthmoney, to pay 138*l.* 9*s.* 3*d.* to Mr. Tulidah, clerk to the Comptroller of Hearthmoney, for his disbursements to several persons for transcribing the books of collections [of Hearthmoney] which issued at Michaelmas last: same being certified by the Commissioners of Excise and Hearthmoney.	*Ibid*, p. 11.
	Same from same to the Barons of the Exchequer to take the sureties of Anthony Segar and to swear him into office as one of the Collectors of the great Customs and Subsidies in Southampton port, of which office he had a grant 1675, July 20, in reversion after Adam de Cardonell, whose grant being during pleasure has terminated by the death of Charles II; whereby said Segar's patent by law takes place.	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, p. 13.
	Report from same to the King on the petition of John Williamson and Thomas Williamson of Egremont, co. Cumberland, *ut supra*, p. 33. The facts are as thore stated. They are fit objects of mercy.	*Ibid*, p. 14.
	Henry Guy to the Auditor of the Receipt enclosing the book of the annuities and fees payable out of the Receipt of the Exchequer,	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 27.

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1684–5. Mar. 16.	Henry Guy to Richard Gibson and Mr. Cooper. You are to attend the Auditors of Imprests concerning your report on the accounts for Sick and Wounded in the last Dutch war and the debts thereupon due to the King from the deputies to the Commissioners [of Sick and Wounded] appointed to take care of such sick men in the several ports assigned for their reception. (Samo of same date to said Auditors to examine said report and to ascertain in conjunction with said Graham and Cooper the differonces therein mentioned.)	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 27.
	Same to Sir Richard Lloyd [the King's Advocate General] to take care to seize and prosecute the ship *Amity*, Gersham Bowne master, which is coming from New England and is supposed to be now in the Downs, and is one of the ships wherein part of the goods from the ship *L'Trompeuze* are said to be loaden. (Same to Mr. Blathwayte to attend Sir Richard Lloyd in order to this prosecution.)	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Attorney General to prepare an instrument to be signed by Visct. Grandison and Sir Edward Villiers, the Knight Marshal, and to be enrolled in Chancery, declaring that the 4,700*l. per an.* granted to them and their heirs out of the Post Office is in trust for the Duchess of Cleveland for her life and afterwards in trust for the Duke of Grafton and the Duke of Northumberland, to be divided equally between them.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Blathwayte to sell the 30 beaver skins paid [sent in kind as payment] from the Colony of New Plymouth in New England: and to pay the proceeds into the Exchequer.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Customs Commissioners to send an officer to Mr. Skelton's lodgings in Leicester Fields to visit his equipage there which is going for Holland.	*Ibid*, p. 28.
	Warrant from Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners to present no new man in future in any of the ports upon avoidance of any Customs officer above the quality of a tidewaiter, but to present one of the established number of the next lower rank "which you shall choose according to merit," special care being taken as to the capacities and qualifications of new men to be selected to fill the places of such advanced persons, and that in the selection of such new men care be taken that they be free from debt and incumbrances of the world and under such habits and circumstances of life that the salary or pay will be a competent and congruous subsistence to them: this regulation having been proposed by the Customs Commissioners as conducing to a faithful and industrious management of the Customs by letting the officers see that their honesty and diligence will be rewarded with preferment and the contrary punished with neglect and dismission and to prevent the discouragement to them by their seeing their own experienced merits and abilities slighted and superseded by new persons, not so well qualified, stepping in before them.	*Out Letters* (*Customs*) X, pp. 4–5.
	Same from samo to same to employ Thomas Knowler as waitor and searcher at Whitstable in Faversham port *loco* John Millard, lately deceased: with the	*Ibid*, p. 5.

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1684–5.	addition of 10*l. per an.* to make his salary up to 30*l. per an.*	
Mar. 16.	Roger Elletson to Mr. Blathwayt, dated from St. Andrews, Jamaica. I writ you the 9th inst. and therewith sent you a copy of Capt. Wilson's accompts or indeed rather Sir Thomas Lynch's. I herewith send you a faithful accompt [missing] of what was done at [the Jamaica] Council the 11th inst. for that I cannot get a copy of the minutes, having twice demanded them. I write truth; therefore [you are to] value not Sir Thomas Lynch's way of writing home. I will advise you when I am ordered to attend the Council on this business. I am advised that the King's evidence has been since threatened. *Followed by:* copy of said preceding letter of Mar. 9 from same to same dated from St. Andrews, Jamaica. The letters from the [Treasury] Lords and from you were read at a Council [of this island] some few days after their receipt and at the Lieutenant Governor's order I appeared thereat, whereat he shortly repeated the contents of the King's and the Treasury Lords' letters and desired John White, Reginald Wilson and myself to give that Board what information we could of any embezzlements of pirates' goods or goods piratically taken and imported into Jamaica [and there] embezzled and by whom. Mr. White said what he knew was in the Admiralty [Court, Jamaica] and referred himself to Roginald Wilson, who produced in writing an accompt of which I herewith send a copy [missing]. I prayed some time an order from that Board to command the appearance of witnesses; at which the Lieutenant Governor seemed angry and told me I might get the order served upon the witnesses myself if I would. A gentleman of the Council then told the Governor 'twas in his Majesty's service that I acted and in obedience to the [Treasury] Lords' commands and that he saw no reason why I should at my charge send 200 miles for witnesses but thought it more proper that his Majesty's officers should do it: upon which it was agreed unto and ten days proposed for the next Council. I told them I could be ready in ten days if the witnesses could be got hither by that time. Thereupon four days more were given and that is the 11th inst. at which time I hope to make appear a considerable embezzlement; and without dispute much more came to hand than ever came to light. I have writ only you by this conveyance because I could not write anything certain to the [Treasury] Lords till after the 11th inst. from which time I will give them my full knowledge. The knowledge of a faithful discharge of my duty and loyalty to my Sovereign is more grateful to me than all the rewards upon earth.	*Out Letters* (*Plantations Auditor*) I, pp. 140–1.
	John White, Judge of the Admiralty at Jamaica, to [said Blathwayt], dated from Port Royal in Jamaica. I received yours of 1684, Dec. 1, with copies of the King's and the Treasury Lords' letters to the Governor and Council [of this Island] injoining the strictest enquiry possible into the embezzlements of goods and money piratically taken or belonging to pirates. The duty of my place obliges me to grant process and to proceed judicially against such goods on information given and since I received the above letters I shall heartily obey. What information	*Ibid*, pp. 141–3, 149–51.

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1684–5.	and others may have notice thereof and oncouragement to give evidence of what is alleged. (*d*) Letter dated Jamaica, Mar. 12 inst., from Col. H[on]der Molesworth to the Committee [for Trade and Plantations (*sic* ? an erratum for the Treasury Lords)] about the [above matter of] pirates' goods. In pursuance of the letters from the King and from your Lordships of Nov. 29 and 30 last directed to myself and the Council here we have twice met to examine and inquire into what embozzlements and concealments of pirates' goods could any way be made appear or any seizures of that kind not hitherto accompted for to the King. In prosecution thereof we have promised all encouragement to such as shall come in and give evidence and particularly unto John White, esq. and Mr. Roger Elletson according to your Lordships' direction: to whom we added Mr. Reginald Wilson, Naval Officer and Register of the Admiralty, as a person that hath been much conversant in these affairs. Our first meeting was on Feb. 25 when, as appears from the minute of Council herewith sent [missing] it appeared by the Register's accompt taken from the records of the Admiralty and examined and confirmed by the Judge Admiral that there had been seized and condemned of such goods and moneys at several times 1,197*l.* 11*s.* 1*d.* whereof your Lordships acknowledge to have received 962*l.* 8*s.* 2*d.* by the hands of Mr. Guy. The balance is less than a 20 *per cent.* allowance for charges of factorage and exchange of money "whereof your Lordships may be informed by merchants that use this trade if such allowance be reasonable or no." As for Mr. Elletson himself he could say nothing of his own knowledge but depended upon the information of others and therefore desired time and power from the Board to summon evidence which was granted and the 11th [March inst.] was granted for a second hearing. When being met accordingly, without bringing any new matter of importance before us, the chief design of his [Elletson's] evidence seemed to tend to have it suggested that there had not been full credit given in the accompt for the weight of the cochineal and for the money seized, but upon what proof or foundation your Lordships may see by the said minutes of Council. He was also very careful to have it made appear unto your Lordships that the said goods and moneys had been taken to accompt by Sir Thomas Lynch at the rates they were appraised at and sent to his correspondent in London (being the same that paid Mr. Guy the money), though he cannot be ignorant that it was the practice here upon all goods condemned in that [Jamaica Admiralty] Court. It did also appear that a paper of jewels which was seized by Capt. Davys as part of Spurr's goods, and by order of Sir Thomas Lynch put into the hands of the Judge Admiral, was afterwards upon a particular occasion "remainded" and opened by the said Sir Thomas without knowing what after became of it: whereof some that had seen the jewels had given their opinion that the value did not exceed 10*l.* But Mr. Elletson tells us he shall be able to prove that they were of very considerable value and that he depended chiefly upon the evidence of Capt. Davys, who by reason of the great distance he lived at could not have timely notice to attend. Wherefore the further	

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1684–5.	clearing of that matter is referred to the next meeting of the Council after said Davis's coming. But I have since been informed that the occasion of said Sir Thomas's sending for and opening of tho said paper of jewels was upon the importunity of a gentlewoman then going for England who very much pressed him for a token to send by her to his daughter, but finding therein nothing fit to make a present of he put it up again. But whether he forgot to send it back to the Judge Admiral again or how it was nobody can say. But the same paper of Spanish jewels, without any diminution, are now in possession of Lady Lynch and will be produced before your Lordships the first opportunity after the hearing of what Capt. Davis or any other evidence Mr. Elletson shall bring can say herein. It was likewise made appear to the Board that Mris. Wilson (wife of the naval officer) had received a ring which was brought from La Vera Cruz by a Dutchman, upon pretence of buying it, and had hitherto kept it in her possession, as may be seen by the minutes as abovesaid, and [by] what her husband, then present, could answer thereto. Lastly it appeared that Sir T[homas] L[ynch] had received a gratuity from some Frenchmen (whose goods came not under the same circumstances by our [Jamaica] Act as Englishmen's goods do) of 20*l.* upon a pack of cochineal (for 15 packs) for liberty of exportation, whereof nothing had been accompted for to the King, but seems to be taken by tho said Sir Thomas as a perquisite of the government. Please take notice that this Elletson was a lawyer for the Widow Spurr, for the defending the said piratical goods against the King; wherein he used such irregular methods that Sir Thomas committed him for it and gave it for one of the reasons of his being suspended from his practice (as soon after he was and so continues) wherefore it seems strange unto me that one so well acquainted in the affair should make out no more of what he pretended to discover especially for that he went very heartily about it.	
Mar. 17.	Henry Guy to the Customs Commissioners for a copy of the instructions given to Mr. Horne, your officer at Dublin.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 28.
	Same to Mr. Peregrine [Bortie], Charles Bertie and Charles Osborne. You have not yet attended the Attorney General in order to the surrender of the estate granted you in trust for the late Earl of Plymouth. Go to him forthwith and make the surrender.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Customs Commissioners to report on an extract [missing, *see infra*, p. 61] of a letter from Sir William Stapleton, Governor of the Leeward Islands, "together with the bonds given there by Mr. Carpenter and Mr. Nagle and the oath by them taken before the said Governor." Also to report on an order [*see infra*, p. 60] made by Sir Richard Dutton, Governor of Barbados, for the collection of the Four and a Half *per cent.* duty upon the expiration of the farm thereof "becauso your directions were not then come thither."	*Ibid*, p. 29.

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1684–5. Mar. 17.	Henry Guy to the Navy Commissioners. Treasurer Rochester has laid before the King your contract with Mr. Taylor for materials to be by him supplied for the service of the Navy for the present year. The King approves thereof. You are to perfect the contract with all speed.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 29.
	Same to the Auditors of Imprests to proceed in Mr. Griffin's accounts as Treasurer of the Chamber in accordance with the directions of the late Treasury Lords.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Pepys to send the estimate of what is due to all the yachts as requested *supra*, p. 41.	*Ibid.*
	Reference from Treasurer Rochester to the Surveyor General of Crown Lands of the petition of the Mayor and burgesses of Newcastle on Tyne for a grant of the Castle Garth in reversion after the grant thereof for three lives to the Earl of Macclesfield: said petition having been referred from the King to the late Treasury Lords Jan. 31 last.	*Reference Book* III, p. 33.
	Warrant from same to the King's Remembrancer to supersede process against John Basire, late Receiver of the last Seventeen Months' Tax, Poll, Eighteen Months' Tax and Six Months' Tax in cos. Westmorland, Cumberland, Durham and Northumberland: he having paid into the Receipt all the moneys due from him thereon except 89*l.* 9*s.* 3¼*d.* remaining due from co. Northumberland, Newcastle and Berwick: as is certified by Thomas Parsons and Robert Hewett, deputy auditors.	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, p. 14.
	Fiat by same for letters patent to constitute Francis Godfrey, esq. Customer or Collector of Lyme Regis port: to hold during pleasure: he having held said office at the death of Charles II.	*Ibid*, p. 15.
	Warrant from same to the Clerk of the Pipe for a new grant under the Exchequer seal to Charles Holloway, of the Inner Temple, junr. of the offices of steward of the manors of Shippon, co. Berks, parcel of the Duchy of Cornwall, and of East Hendred, Berks, parcel of the possessions of the late Priory of Sheen, co. Surrey, with the respective fees of 1*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.* and 20*s. per an.*: said office having been granted during pleasure 1660–1, Feb. 7, to said Holloway and to his father, Charles Holloway, esq. sergeant at law, who is long since dead.	*Ibid.*
	Same from same to same for a similar new grant to Col. Thomas Strangwaies of the office and offices of steward of the manors of Fordington and Ryme, co. Dorset, parcel of the Duchy of Cornwall, with the respective fees of 20*s.* and 20*s.*: he having had a grant thereof during pleasure dated 1676, June 21.	*Ibid*, p. 16.
	Same from same to same for a similar new grant to William Peisley, esq. of the office of steward and keeper of the Courts, Court Leet, liberties, views of frankpledge of the manor of Kennington, co. Surrey, and the appurtenances thereof, parcel of the Duchy of Cornwall: with the yearly fee of 26*s.* 8*d.*: he having had a grant thereof during pleasure dated 1681, June 18.	*Ibid.*

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1684–5. Mar. 17.	Warrant from Treasurer Rochester to the Clerk of the Pipe for a similar new grant to Sir Willoughby Hickman, bart. of the office and offices of steward and keeper of the Courts Leet, liberties and views of frankpledge of the manor and soke of Kirton in Lindsey, parcel of the Duchy of Cornwall: of which office he had a grant during pleasure 1681–2, Mar. 6.	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, p. 17.
	Henry Guy to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue as follows out of such Customs money and Hearthmoney as is directed to be this week paid into the Exchequer, viz.:	*Disposition Book* IV, pp. 11, 12.

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
to the Treasurer of the Navy for the yards at Deptford and Woolwich for 1683, Christmas quarter	3,960	15	0
to ditto for [the Navy's] weekly money	1,500	0	0
to ditto towards fitting out several ships to sea according to a list from the Navy Board	500	0	0
to ditto for buying New England masts	300	0	0
to ditto for Mr. Taylor in part of his new contract for furnishing his Majesty's yards with pitch, hemp and tar this present year..	1,200	0	0
to ditto for the Victuallers [on their] weekly money	600	0	0
to the Treasurer of the Ordnance [for one week of the Ordnance Office's] weekly money	1,000	0	0
to Philip Packer by way of advance towards Sir Christopher Wren's late estimate for preparing for the Coronation	400	0	0
to Visct. Preston in full of 2,836*l.* 14*s.* by way of advance, 971*l.* 12*s.* 6*d.* thereof out of Customs and 1,865*l.* 1*s.* 6*d.* out of Hearthmoney	2,836	14	0
	£12,297	9	0

(Same of same date to the Customs Cashier enclosing the paper of the disposition of the Customs cash for the present week: said paper including the first eight of the abovesaid items and the 971*l.* 12*s.* 6*d.* portion of the 9th item [being all payable out of Customs money in the Exchequer], together with the following items [payable directly out of the Customs Office on tallies], viz. 234*l.* 15*s.* 0*d.* to complete the [London port Customs salary] quarterly bill; 2,000*l.* to Richard Kent and Charles Duncombe in repayment of part of the debt owing to them. Total disposition, 14,781*l.* 2*s.* 6*d.*)

Same to same to issue as follows out of such Excise money as is directed to be this week paid into the Exchequer, viz.: *Ibid*, p. 12.

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to Charles Fox, Paymaster of the Forces..	5,000
to [the Cofferer of] the Household, viz. Visct. Brouncker, by way of advance ..	1,500
	£6,500

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1684–5.	(Same dated same to the Commissioners of Excise and Hearthmoney enclosing the paper of the disposition of the Exeise and Hearthmoney cash for the present week: said paper including (*a*) (*for the Excise*) the abovesaid two items [payable out of Excise money in the Exehequer] together with the following items, viz. 2,000*l.* to the King in part of the arrears [on his annuity on the Excise] as Duke of York; 104*l.* 17*s.* 7*d.* to the Queen Dowager; 1,000*l.* to Mr. Toll in part of his debt; 500*l.* to Mr. Hornby in part of his debt; 1,500*l.* to Mr. Freind and Mr. Calverd in part of their debt; 1,500*l.* for interest to the bankers: total for the Exeise 13,104*l.* 17*s.* 7*d.*: (*b*) *for the Hearthmoney:* the item of 1,865*l.* 1*s.* 6*d.* to Viset. Preston *ut supra*, together with 1,500*l.* to Mr. Fryer in part of 3,000*l.* lent by him on the half year's rent [of the Hearthmoney farm] due at Michaelmas last. Total for the Hearthmoney, 3,365*l.* 1*s.* 6*d.*)	
Mar. 17.	Henry Guy to William Blathwayt enclosing (*a*) *infra*. Treasurer Rochester would know from you the opinion of the Lords of the Committee [of Trade and Plantations] concerning Sir John Witham's fine therein referred to. *Appending:* (*a*) letter dated Barbados, 1684, Dec. 26, from Sir Richard Dutton to the (then) Treasury Lords. Having lately made a discovery of a correspondency that James Holloway (some time since executed for treason in England) had in this island, only by way of trade with some merchants, I have surprised their books. I found they had but little moneys in their hands, but above 400*l.* of outstanding debts in the country due to Holloway and mostly from solvent men. I secured this money as soon as I could by reason of the several accidents that happen in the Plantations by the breaking or going away of many persons, by which means that which was esteemed a good debt to-day to-morrow is nothing. I shall lose no time in getting in what I can of it. What discharges am I to give to the factors and correspondents of said Holloway to secure them against Holloway's creditors, there being some here that make pretensions to it? There are several sums payable to the King to be levied on the estate of Sir John Wytham on the fines set upon him this last week at the grand Sessions of this island for high crimes and misdemeanours he had committed during the time of his being my deputy. In the first indictment he was fined 3,000*l.* and imprisonment until he paid it. In the second, the same sentence. Upon the third, which was for bribery, he was sentenced to continue in prison during the King's pleasure and fined 5,000*l.*, which I intend this week to estreat into the Exchequer here and will use all lawful means for levying it with speed. This is the first precedent which has happened in this kind in this island, therefore pray send me some methods how to proceed by, he having prineipally but a personal estate. But I am certainly informed he has considerable sums of money in England in the hands of his correspondents, Mr. Alderman Lucy, Mr. Robert Chaplain, merchant, and Mr. Thomas Duck, merchant. I hope the judgment against him here will reach what he has in England. I have sent Mr. Blathwayt an exemplification of the estreatment in the Exchequer here.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 29. *Out Letters* (*Plantations Auditor*) I, pp. 157–8, 166–7.

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1684–5.	As to my salary please take care that it be forthwith paid me, there being a great deal due to me. I am forced to live here upon credit to feed myself and family, everything being very dear and nothing to be had but with ready money. I hope by this time his Majesty has [seen he] had just cause to restore to me that part of my salary which he was pleased to give to my late deputy who instead of being only fined for his most notorious crimes deserved a halter for his reward. I have sent to the Lords of the Committee for Trade the whole proceedings against him with the indictments, verdicts and judgments and I doubt not but his Majesty will think I have well done my duty in the prosecution of so notorious a criminal. (*b*) (*The following appears to be a postscript to the above letter.*) My Lords: the farm of the Four and a Half *per cent.* duty expiring Christmas day and [I] having no directions from your Lordships how it should be managed for the future I thought it my duty to take the best course I could to preserve his Majesty's said revenue and therefore caused the enclosed order [missing] to be published in all the churches on Christmas day that every person might take notice to whom the duty was at present to be paid. I hope you will not think I have done amiss till I receive your further commands. (*c*) (*To the above entry is appended an incomplete entry as follows.*) "Mr. Blathwayt having hereupon attended my Lord Treasurer on the 21st of March acquainted his Lordship that the Committee of Plantations had agreed to report unto his Majesty that they considered the prosecution. . . ." *See infra*, p. 62. (*d*) Copy of the several fines and forfeitures at the Grand Sessions at Barbados, at a General Sessions of the Peace Court of Oyer and Terminer and General Gaol Delivery held for the body of that island 1684, Dec. 16, to 1684-5, Jan. 16, by the Honble. Henry Walrond, senr., esq. Chief Judge, and other his Majesty's Counsel with the rest of the Judges and Justices of the said Island: Sir John Witham, bart. indicted for several crimes and high misdemeanours: found guilty and fined 3,000*l.* sterling to the King. The same indicted for the like and fined as above. The same indicted for bribery, found guilty and fined 5,000*l.* Henry Burch indicted for a libel, found guilty and fined 100*l.* Ralph Lane indicted for seditious words against the governmont confessed the indictment, fined 50*l.* John Gouldingham for the like, and fined 50*l.* John Johnson indicted for seditious words against his Majesty, found guilty and fined 5*l.* Benjamin Dowden indicted for playing with false dice, confessed, fined 3*l.* Joseph Dowden indicted for an assault, found guilty, fined 5*l.* Joan Johnson indicted for receiving stolen goods, found guilty of larceny, fined 5*l.* Matthew Chapman indicted for keeping his people at work on Christmas day, found guilty, fined 10*l.* John Glover and George Gray indicted for opening their shops on Christmas day last, confessed and fined 5*l.* each.	

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1684–5.	John Brett, Joseph Harbin, Henry Wherley, Mary Mitehell, John Hutton, Edward Hunt, Henry Burch, Robert Hewet, Thomas Smith, Thomas Pilgrim, Joseph Borden, John Beeke and John Plumley indicted for keeping their shops open on Christmas day, found guilty; Bureh, Pilgrim and Harbin fined 20*l.* each and all the rest 10*l.* each. *Forfeited recognizances.* Robert Graves and Matthew Jennings bound in 10*l.* each to give evidence against John Turner and Dorothy his wife concerning the death of Mary Clansey: forfeited. Edward Fagan, bound in 10*l.* to prosecute Joseph Rand for felony: forfeited.	
Mar. 17.	Henry Guy to William Blathwayt enclosing (*a*) *infra*, with a list of the soldiers lost with Capt. Carlisle. Please report your opinion hereon to Treasurer Roehester. *Appending:* (*a*) extract of a letter dated Nevis, 1684–5, Jan. 26, from Sir William Stapleton to [the late Treasury Lords]. I have received your Lordships' directions concerning the arrears and pay of the two [Foot] Companies; to which I thus answer. When first the 30 reeruits arrived I went down to St. Christopher island and made room for them by ejecting so many married men [as were] superannuated and were turned planters: sinee which time I have put on board the *Francis*, Capt. Carlisle commander, two English files, nine men whereof are unquestionably lost with him to the sorrow of all that knew him. Three of the 12 stayed behind, viz. two sent on shore as sick and one returning without leave I ordered in irons and returned him to the garrison. Six were out of my particular Company and three out of Col. Hill's. Their names are annexed. The nine men are supposed to be lost on the 7th Oct., 1683, the day the storm began. We could not reasonably blot their names or entertain others sooner than in July last, their loss being then controverted. I then ordered [nine] others to be entertained with two [more] instead of two that died in Dec. last. If your Lordships have any thoughts of defalcation upon their score I have advanced money to buy them necessaries. I have always caused the officers to pay what was received for any [soldier] that had been dead from muster to muster, to the wife or child if any or to the ereditors, which last the soldiers seldom want that have neither pay nor subsistence elso must beg, steal or starve. I beseeeh your Lordships to consider the merit of the petition referred to you and to be persuaded that four frontiers and a main guard in the fort cannot be maintained and relieved onco in six days without effective mon, there being more neeessity of supernumeraries than of a toleration or winking at tho absence of one or the mortality of any to be unsupplied. If you please to retrospect into the first six years' pay and musters sinco I am chiofly concerned it will appear that I have mustered 57 men less than the first establishment and so the pay was lessened from 2,778*l.* 10*s.* 8*d.* to 2,278*l.* 7*s.* 0*d.* by which you may judgo my integrity and aversion to false musters. Upon this diminution or waste then of the two Companies, though I begged they might be disbanded or provided for, the Lords	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 29. *Out Letters (Plantations Auditor)*, pp. 159–61.

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1684–5.	Committee [for Trade and Plantations] advised the King to send recruits and so to put them on the first establishment of 80 in each Company, as ever since and now they are and tho places filled in lieu of those [nine] others who were in the *Francis* perished. Though I have his Majesty's commission in my own name for both the Companies, [the] first when Sir Charles Wheeler had one of them and the other when his commission was revoked when the King sent me a commission for that of said Wheeler, yet have I ever since given the pay of one of the Companies to Col. Abell Mathew until he died, since which time I received no pay and did muster Col. Cotter, then Deputy Governor of Montserrat, for a little while and after him the present Deputy-Governor of St. Christopher, as may appear by the muster rolls, though it is my own right. I have commissionated muster masters from time to time who are cheques on the officers and the officers on them. This I hope will give you satisfaction [in proof that] half a year's pay is little or no relief to them, "being so much indebted and do commonly catch the calf in the cow's belly and will be four years in arrear July next." I do most humbly reiterate to your serious consideration their desperate condition.	
	Followed by : (*b*) names of the soldiers supposed lost with Capt. Carlisle, belonging to the two Companies in St. Christopher, viz. : James Corneu, Nath. Friend, Tho. Grasier, Jos. Jones, Rich. Marpool, William Symerell, Hen. Thomas, John Doggerell, Edward Antlif.	
	Followed by : (*c*) the following notes [which appear to be the continuation of the unfinished note *supra*, p. 60, of Blathwait's attendance on Treasurer Rochester on 1684–5, Mar. 21].	
	Mr. Blathwayt represented to his Lordship that by Sir William Stapleton's letter tho Companies appoared to be full and had been so since the recruits [landed there] and that there was four years' pay due to them in July next.	
	It was further represented that as the estato of James Holloway, executed for high treason, did by Sir Richard Dutton's letter amount to about 400*l.* it was probable Sir Richard Dutton would soon receive it and that he had also in his hands 200*l.* proceeding from the fine set upon Samuel Hanson.	
	Whereupon his Lordship directs that a letter be prepared [to be sent] to Sir Richard Dutton permitting him to detain those two sums in his hands in part of the salary due to him ; but with this further caution that he do not hereafter for any reason whatsoever receive any part of his Majesty's revonuo but that he leave the same to his Majesty's receiver, who is to givo an accompt from time to time of such receipts and payments made by him.	
	[Mr. Blathwayt further represented to tho Lord Treasurer] that there is a judgment in the Exchequer of Barbados for 2,000*l.* against Capt. Young, master of a ship, upon the forfeiture of a bond for bringing away Samuel Hanson, the King's prisoner, without leave.	
	Whereupon his Lordship orders a letter to be prepared directing the receiver or any other person whom it may concern to remit that sum to the Exchequer here [in London] deducting only such	

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1684–5.	necessary charges of the prosecution as there shall be good vouchers for and the exchange upon bills.	
Mar. 17.	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to the Surveyor General of Crown Lands of the petition of John Wynne of Melay, co. Denbigh, for a fresh patent to himself and his son William Wynne of Lincoln's Inn, gent. of the offices of steward and Recorder of the King's Courts in the lordship of Denbigh and Denbigh lands, petitioner's grant being void by the death of Charles II. The order of reference states that it is intended that said office be granted to William Wynne during pleasure.	*Reference Book* III, p. 48.
Mar. 18.	Privy seal for the payment to Thomas Chudleigh of his ordinary and extraordinaries as Envoy Extraordinary to the States General, what is now in arrear and what shall become due thereon at his return into the royal presence: his former privy seal having become void by the death of Charles II.	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 50.
	Same for 3*l.* a day as ordinary to Sir George Etheridge whom the King has thought fit to employ in his service in Germany: to be payable quarterly, the first quarter in advance: together with the usual clause for the allowance of his extraordinaries.	*Ibid*, pp. 50–1.
	Same for the payment to Bevill Skelton, esq. of the several sums due to him as Envoy Extraordinary to the Princes and Hanse Towns of the Empire, viz. 2,825*l.* in arrear on his ordinary of 5*l.* a day and 1,587*l.* 16*s.* 0*d.* for his extraordinaries therein [the present privy seal being rendered necessary by the death of Charles II].	*Ibid*, p. 74.
	Money order for 76*l.* 19*s.* 2*d.* to Amey Laurence, widow of John Laurence, esq. for fitting and accommodating the rooms belonging to the late Star Chamber for the trial of the moneys in the Pyx and the charges of the entertainment of the officers of the Mint and the jury of goldsmiths attending that service on Nov. 7 last: as hath been heretofore accustomed.	*Order Book* I, p. 4.
	Treasurer Rochester to Geo. Robinson (who manages that part of the duty upon exported sea coals which was demised to Horatio, Lord Townsend), William Jackson and Mr. Broderick (who manage the duty on smalts, potashes and barilia imported and exported, which was demised to the Earl of Kinnoul), Joseph Dawson, William Waterson, Hen. Loades (who manage the duty upon imported salt which was leased to Sir Roger Strickland and also the duties on imported unwrought wood, glass, stone, earthenware etc. which were demised to the late Visct. Yarmouth), and Richd. Griffin (who manages the duty upon exported lampernes which was demised to Mr. Woodyeare and Mr. Chandler) and to Mr. Waterson (who manages the duty upon coach horses under a lease granted to or for the late King's coachmen). It is the King's express will and pleasure that every one of you forbear to pay any of the moneys in your hands which you have collected for any the said duties since the death of Charles II, or any of the moneys which you shall hereafter so collect to any of the said patentees or farmers or to any other person or persons claiming	*Out Letters (Customs)* X, p. 6.

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1684–5.	under them: but that you keep in your hands all such moneys until you receive the King's directions for the payment thereof.	
Mar. 19.	Warrant from Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Cashier to appoint George Fitz Rowland as waiter and searchor with 20*l. per an.* salary: the said Commissioners having in their memorial of the 16th inst. proposed to establish such an officer. Thomas Davis as a noontender, London port *loco* Samuell Woodbridge, lately deceased. Benjamin Webster as waiter and searcher at Studland Bay in Poole port *loco* Robert Corbin, lately dismissed. Henry Martin as assistant to said Webster *loco* John Tombes, lately dismissed. John Wallen as an additional noontender in London port under the Treasury order of Oct. 16 last. Francis Draycott as surveyor of the port and harbour of Poole and to have command of the waterguard thereof at 150*l. per an.* for which he is to guard that port and to keep proper vessels constantly manned and in motion in the King's service. Walter Clarke as a tidesman at Cowes *loco* John Baxter, removed to Southampton. Edward Bromfeild to be settled at Beckley as the officer on that [Sussex] coast: and 5*l. per an.* to be added to the present salary of the waiter and searcher at [East] Bourne. Edward Hitchcock as waiter and searcher at Padstow with a salary of 30*l. per an.* which is to be taken from the 50*l. per an.* salary of John Downe, late riding surveyor there: as is proposed by Gilbert Marshall, collector of Padstow port. 10*l. per an.* out of the abovesaid 50*l. per an.* to be added to the salary of said Gilbert Marshall as collector to enable him to keep a horse and to visit the coast from Bude eastward to St. Ives westward. John Anderson and — Hutton as two boatmen in Sandwich port at 15*l. per an.* each: the Customs Commissioners having proposed the 16th inst. that the salary of one of the waiters in said port be applied to two boatmen and that Charles Scattergood, one of the said waiters, be removed on a suitable vacancy. Three persons to bo presented as tidesmen to be added to the port of Dover at 20*l. per an.* each. And William Jenkin, the present waiter and searcher at Folkestone, to be dismissed and one of the tidesmen at Dover to be sent alternately by months to take care of that (Folkestone) port and the salary of 20*l. per an.* [hitherto paid to said tidesman so hereby dismissed] to be allowed to Capt. Deverux who commands at Sandgate Castle, to take care of that coast: all as proposed *ut supra.* Tho. Hammon as tidesman at Southampton *loco* George Tilley, deceased. 5*l. per an.* to be added to the salary of the officer at Broadstairs in Sandwich port. 10*l. per an.* to be added to the salary of the waiter and searcher at Milton to make it up to 40*l. per an.*: and 10*l. per an.* to be allowed for a boatman, there being at present no boatman there. An able boatman to be presented for the better guarding of the coast between Shoreham and Bridgton [Brighton], with a boat and to reside at the mouth of Shoreham harbour.	*Out Letters (Customs)* X, pp. 6, 7, 8, 9.

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1684–5.	George Layfield as Comptroller and Surveyor General of the Plantation duties in Maryland *loco* Nehemiah Blackinston, who is to be collector there. A fit person to be presented as waitor and searcher to be added to Romney port at 20*l. per an.* and to reside at Lydd on that [Kent] coast. Nehemiah Blackinston (present Comptroller and Surveyor General of the Plantation duties in Maryland) as collector of said duties there *loco* Christopher Rousby, esq. lately deceased. A fit person to be presented as an additional boatman in Faversham port at 20*l. per an.* salary. 10*l. per an.* to be added to the salary of each of the landwaiters in the port of Southampton to make their salaries 40*l. per an.* each (and so equal to the salaries of the landwaiters in Poole port).	
Mar. 19.	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to the Surveyor General of Crown Lands of the report made by Mr. Graham and Mr. Burton upon the petition of Sir Jno. Knightley, which was referred from the late King Dec. 15 last to the Treasury Lords and by them to said Burton and Graham: petitioner praying a grant of the King's interest in that part of the manor of Preston in co. Northants which is seized into the King's hands for Mr. Hampden's fine. The Surveyor General is to report a reasonable rent if petitioner become the King's tenant for the lands.	*Reference Book* III, p. 33.
	Same by same to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of Mr. Orchard shewing that he is Customer of the ports of Exeter and Barnstaple and the members thereof: that not long since said offices were divided, the Customer of Exeter was John Roop and of Barnstaple Henry Prideaux, both during pleasure. On Prideaux's death the King gave his place to petitioner and that he should succeed Roop also. The grant to said Roop is determined by the death of Charles II. Therefore prays to succeed Roop in Exeter port.	*Ibid.*
	Same by same to the Surveyor General of Crown Lands of the petition of Ducibella Ford, widow, praying payment of the purchase money for a house and garden in Winchester which Charles II purchased for 800*l.* for the conveniency of his palace, the King's workmen having pulled down the walls and fences whereby same is uninhabitable: also shewing that she had eight acres of land in the park which she let Mr. Herbert [Harbord] at the same rate as he gives for land of the same holding but has not received any rent for same. Her husband left her in debt and she has 12 children to maintain.	*Ibid.*
	Same by same to Marmaduke Darcy, George Benyon and Robt. Phillips of the petition of Robert Simpson praying that the 20*l.* owing to him by Francis Pointz as appears by bill entered in the [Great] Wardrobe may be paid out of the 1,000*l.* which is ordered to be paid to said Poyntz: petitioner being a poor man and much in debt.	*Ibid*, p. 35.
	Same by same to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of Daniel McKwen (McKnewn) for a noontender's place, London port; he having served the late King at Worcester, Dunbar, in the late	*Ibid.*

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1684–5.	wars and been a great sufferer, as is certified by the Earl of Middleton.	
Mar. 19.	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of John Farewell, a tidesman extraordinary, London port: praying to be made a tidesman in fee.	*Reference Book* III, p. 35.
	Same by same to same of the petition of Alexander Cleeve, a deputy King's waiter, London port; praying for a tidewaiter's place *ibid.*, until a land-waiter's place be void.	*Ibid*, p. 36.
	Same by same to same of the petition of Edward Carne for renewal of his patent of searcher of Bridgwater port [which patent is determined by the death of Charles II].	*Ibid.*
	Same by same to Marmaduke Darcy, Benyon and Phillips of the petition of Tho. Townshend shewing that there is due to him out of the office of the Great Wardrobe as executor to his uncle, George Townshend, 1,434*l.* 0*s.* 4*d.* for mourning cloth for the Queen Mother of Portugal, 300*l.* for service, 500*l.* and interest on a tally of loan on the fee farm rents, 100*l.* on an order on the Law [duty] bill [Act], 9,000*l.* for goods taken up by himself and his father for the late King's service (for 1,500*l.* of which he pays interest) and 761*l.* 9*s.* 6*d.* due to him for salary as clerk. Prays payment of said moneys, petitioner being run into debt for want of it.	*Ibid.*
	Same by same to the Earl of Ranelagh of the petition of Mr. Roberts shewing that in the late King's time he received divers moneys of the said Earl by verbal order for works at Windsor with which the Auditor will not charge him upon his account: therefore praying that said Earl may certify what he so received and that the Auditor be directed to charge him therewith.	*Ibid.*
	Same by same to Anthony Stephens of the petition of Luke Noone, late one of the slopsellers of the Navy, shewing that there remains 748*l.* 6*s.* 0*d.* due to him for slops besides 200*l.* lately imprested, which has been defalced from the seamen and allowed on the paybooks, but which he cannot obtain on pretence that Sir Thomas Beckford and others had slops on board several of those ships: further the length of voyage of most of the ships petitioner was concerned in was three or four years, which has forced him to quit his trade for want of stock and his losses were beyond his profits by reason of defective clothes returned from ships: whereby he is reduced to lowest indigence and is now cast into Newgate for a debt of 200*l.* Prays an order to the Treasurer of the Navy for his debt.	*Ibid*, p. 37.
	Warrant by same to Edward Ange, Solicitor for the King in the matters relating to Recusants. I am informed that several of the writs against Recusants are sent to the sheriffs of the several counties. You are hereby to write to them to forbear executing any of the said writs till after Palm Sunday next.	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, p. 17.
	Same by same to the Commissioners of Excise and Hearthmoney to take care that in the transcribing	*Ibid*, p. 18.

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1684–5.	of the present books of Collection of the Hearth-money the arrears due at Michaelmas last and the growing duty only be insertod : and that the arrears due before Michaelmas last be collected by officers to be nominated by the late [Farmers or] Managers but by commissions from you and with direction to them to communicate to you from time to time their proceedings. The said officers are to take care to collect the same with as little clamour of the people and [as little] obstruction to the growing duty as may be. All by reason that upon the paper presented to the Lord Treasurer by Patrick Trant and William Bridges "I [Treasurer Rochester] received from you a report signed only by Mr. Parry" dated the 17th inst. to the effect that it will be inconvenient to the present collectors of the Hearthmoney to insert the arrears due before Michaelmas last into the present books of Collection, which are to be sent out at the coming Lady day ; but rather that Mr. Trant and Mr. Bridges may collect their arrears by such collectors as they think fit, thereby to avoid perplexing the two accounts and the growing duty may be collected by the [King's] officers with more ease and less clamour.	
Mar. 19.	Report by Treasurer Rochester to the King on the petition of Henry Hordsnell, as by the order of reference of Feb. 17 last. It is certified to me by William Hewer that petitioner was Recorder of Tangier with a salary of 300*l.* *per an.* payable out of the revenue arising there and that if his salary be continued to the time of the arrival of Lord Dartmouth (as was done by the late Treasury Lords to others in the like cases) there will be an arrear of 150*l.* due to him ; that his present condition is particularly low, Mr. Hewer having lent him several sums since his arrival in England to relieve himself and family and that he is one of the three that are (in the reports made by the Commissioners for Proprietyes to Lord Dartmouth) particularly recommended for compensation for extraordinary charges in building the house he lived in over and above the sum settled by the [said] Commissioners for said house : that it will be a matter of justice to pay him said salary and to recommend him for some employment suitable to his profession : further Hewer reported the 11th inst. that 50*l.* has been paid him since Jan. 22 last on account of salary, thus leaving 100*l.* I think it will be an act of compassion to pay him said 100*l.*, his family being in a very distressed condition.	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, pp. 18–19.
	Warrant by same to Tho. Agar, Surveyor [of Woods, Trent South], to fell so many old coarse trees in such parts of Wychwood Forest, co. Oxford, as will raise 100*l.*, 40*l.* thereof to reimburse the expense of John Legg, Ranger of said Forest, in the repair of the main lodge and stables there and 60*l.* for further repairs of the house, stables and garden wall : all as by the report from said Agar on said Legg's petition referred Oct. 28 last.	*Ibid*, p. 20.
	Henry Guy to the Customs Commissioners to send an officer to Monsieur de Overkirke's lodgings at the Golden Head in Leicester Fields to visit his goods that are going to Holland.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 24.
	Same to the Mint Commissioners. There are only medals left for one healing more. You are to	*Ibid*, p. 30.

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1684–5.	provide with all speed some more medals for his Majesty's [use in] healing. Take care that the King's name be engraven thereon.	
Mar. 19.	Henry Guy to the Attorney General to roport on the enclosed papers [missing] relating to the ship *Castle of Purmerent.* Has the master's selling part of the cargo altered the case from what it was when you were writ to before concerning it ?	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 30.
	Same to Mr. Foulke to send to the Attorney General the deeds in your custody concerning the estate granted to Peregrine Bertie, Charles Bertie and Mr. Osborne in trust for the Earl of Plymouth.	*Ibid*, p. 31.
	Same to Sir Tho. Player. In reply to yours of the 13th inst. you are with all speed to make up your accounts [of moneys imprested to you for disbanding the New Raised Forces].	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Kingdon to send to the Lord Treasurer Mr. Davis, the collector of Carrickfergus.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Col. Werden, Sir Nich. Butler and Mr. Graham for an account what lands the King had when Duke [of York], what in his own name and what in the names of trustees and who are the trustees.	*Ibid.*
	Samo to the Customs Commissioners to rectify the sixth article in your memorial of the 16th inst. proposing 55*l.* for two boatmen. You are to employ James Croston as a quayman, London port.	*Ibid.*
[?]	[Same] to the officers of the Jewel House. By order of Council the following items are to be provided by you against the Coronation. You are to keep in readiness such of the particulars as you have already by you and to take care to provide the remainder. *Appending :* list of provisions for the Coronation of King James II and Queen Mary at Westminster 23 April, 1685. The Master of the Jewel House is to provide *For the King.* Two Imperiall Crownes set with precious stones, the one to be called St. Edward's Crown, wherewith the King is to be crowned, and the other to put on after his Coronation before his return to Westminster Hall. Also an orbe of gold with a cross, set with precious stones. a sceptre with a cross with precious stones, called St. Edward's. a sceptre with a dove set with precious stones. a long sceptre or staff of gold with a cross upon the top and a pike at the foot, of steel, called St. Edward's staff. a ring with a ruby. a pair of gold spurs. a chalico and patten of gold, if there be a communion. an ampull for the oyl and a spoon. two ingots of gold, the one a pound, the other a mark, for the King's two offerings. *For the Queen.* a circle or coronet of gold adorned with precious stones, which the Queen is to wear from Westminster Hall to the Abbey Church and till the time of her annointing.	*Ibid*, pp. 30–1.

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1684–5.	a rich Crown wherewith her Majesty is to be crowned. a lesser Crown which her Majosty is to wear in her return from the abbey. a sceptre of gold with a cross. an ivory rod with a dove. a rich ring.	
Mar. 19.	Henry Guy to Lady Peterborough. By order of Council you are to provide the following items for the Queen against the Coronation : a surcoate or kirtle of purple velvet, the sleeves turned up, furred and powdered with ermines. a robe or mantle of purple velvet with a long train, the cape and lining powdered with ermine : to be worne over the surcoate.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 32.
	Same to Mr. Herbert, Master of the Robes. You are *ut supra* to provide the following against the Coronation : *For the King.* a kirtle of crimson velvet. a large mantle and hood furred with ermines and bordered with rich gold lace. The mantle is also of crimson velvet. a cap of state turned up with ermine : also of crimson velvet. These are called Parliament Robes and are to be put on in the Prince's lodgings the day of his Majesty's Coronation before he comes down into the [Westminster] Hall. Also the Robes of Estate of purple velvet of the same fashion as the former [the Parliament Robes and] which with the Imperial Crowne are the day before the Coronation to be delivered to the Lord High Chamberlain and layd upon St. Edward's altar at the foot of his shrine. Also two caps of purple velvet for the two Crowns [the said caps to be] turned up with ermines.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Darcy, Mr. Benyon and Col. Philipps [of the Great Wardrobe]. You are *ut supra* to provide the following against the Coronation. Such of these items as you have already by you you are to koep in readiness : the rest you are to provide. The Master of the Great Wardrobo is to provide the Ornaments called St. Edward's whorein the King is to be crowned, together with the other particulars following, viz. : the *Colobium Sindonis* of fine linen or sarcenet ; in fashion of a surplice without sleeves. the *Supertunica ;* a close coat of cloth of gold reaching to the heels lined with crimson taffeta and girt with a broad girdle of cloth of gold to be put over the *Colobium*. tho *Armilla ;* in fashion of a stole made of cloth of gold, to be put about the King's neck and fastened above and beneath the elbows with silk ribbons. a Pall of cloth of gold in fashion of a cape. a pair of hose or buskins of cloth of gold. a pair of sandals of cloth of gold. all these [above] to be laid ready upon the altar in the Quire. also a shirt of fine linen to be opened in the places for the annoynting. another shirt of red sarcenet over it.	*Ibid.*

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1684-5.	over that a surcoat of crimson satin made with a collar for a band: both opened for the annointing and closed with ribbons. a pair of under Trowses and Breeches over them with Stockins fastened to the Trowses: all of crimson silk. a pair of linen gloves. a linen coife. a silk towell to be held before the King at the Communion by two bishops. three swords, viz. *Curtana* and two others with scabbards of cloth of gold. a sword of state with a rich embroidered scabbard. two mantles of crimson velvet, furred with ermines. two capps with cloth of gold lined with ermine for two persons representing the Dukes of Normandy and Acquitaine. a Canopy of cloth of gold to be borne over the King by eight of the sixteen Barons of the Cinque Ports, two to a staff; with a silver bell gilt at each corner of the said canopy, viz. four in all. a Pall of cloth of gold for the King to offer. another pall to be held over the King, during his annoynting, by four Knights of the Garter. cloth of gold to cover the Throne. a rich Chair with cushions, and footstool set thereon, upon the Throne. another [rich Chair] below on the east side of the Throno opposite to the altar in which the King first sits. a rich Chair and Traverse for the King with footstool and cushions wheroon the King sits on the south side below tho altar during the sermon. another Chaire placed for the King before the altar when he is annointed and then clothed. St. Edward's Chair richly furnished, placed in the midst against the altar towards the Throne, wherein he is crowned. a Chair of purple velvet for the Archbishop to sit in on the north side the altar opposite the King. a Chair and Traverse for the King within St. Edward's Chapel. red Say to cover all the Throne in Westminster Hall and in the church. blue cloth spread in the way from the steps in the Hall to the Quire in the church. fine cloth or cotton wool, to dry the places annointed, for both their Majesties. *For the Queen.* a rich Pall of cloth of bodkin to offer at the altar. a Canopy of cloth of gold like that of the King's; to be borne over the Queen by eight Barons of the Cinque Ports with four silvor bells gilt hanging at the corners. a Coif to be put on after the annointing. a silk Towel to be held before the Queen at the Communion. cloth of gold to cover the Queen's Throne. a Chair of State to be set towards the east side of the stage or theatre just below her Majesty's Throne. a Chair and feild stool on the north side the altar.	

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	a Chair and Traverse on the south side the altar on the left hand [of] the King's. a rich Chair with cushions and footstool on the Queen's Throne. a Chair and Traverse in St. Edward's Chapol.	
Mar. 19.	Henry Guy to the Navy Commissioners to assign payment out of the [Navy's] weekly money of 437*l.* 12*s.* 3*d.* to Sir John Wyburne on his bills of disbursements and for wages.	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 13.
	Money warrant for 2,255*l.* to Thomas Chudleigh for one year and 86 days to the 9th inst. on his ordinary as Envoy Extraordinary to the States General. (Money order dated Mar. 23 hereon.)	*Money Book* VI, p. 13. *Order Book* I, p. 5.
	Same for 10,000*l.* to Edward Griffin, esq., Troasurer of the Chamber, as imprest for the service of his Office. (Money order dated Mar. 20 hereon.)	*Money Book* VI, p. 13. *Order Book* I, p. 5.
	Warrant from Treasurer Rochester to William Rooke, esq., sheriff of Kent, to pay to Thomas, Bishop of Rochester, the fine of 500 marks set at the assizes at Maidstone July 21 last upon William Burman of Wilmington for seditious words, which fine the bishop claims as belonging to him in right of his church of Rochester, as the said Burman then lived within a liberty where the said bishop has the right to all such fines by virtue of the King's grant (by Henry VIII, confirmed by Queen Elizabeth) anciently and now allowed in the Exchequer: which claim the Attorney General has reported on as truo and sound and that the fines havo been set over to former Bishops [of Rochester].	*Money Book* VI, pp. 13–14.
	Money warrant for 273*l.* to Sir George Etheridge, kt. for a quarter's advance of ordinary, he being employed in the King's service in Germany. (Money order dated Mar. 23 hereon.)	*Ibid*, p. 14. *Order Book* I, p. 5.
	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to the Auditors of Imprests of the petition of Sir Josiah Child, Dennis Gauden, Benj. Gauden and partners, contractors for Victualling the Navy in 1672 and 1673. *Prefixing*: (*a*) said petition shewing that their accounts cannot be closed until direction be given for the allowance and settlement of several ordors on foe farm rents, Customs bonds and Navy bills which remain in their hands ready to be delivered up so soon as the Auditors shall be ordered to give allowance for them in account. Further that they some time since laid before Charles II several demands for intorest of monoy, charge of agents in tho fleet, disbursements for purchase of ground, buildings and reparations of the King's storehousos etc. and obtained a reference thereon to the Treasury Lords, who referrod same to tho Navy Board. Therofore pray a final detormination thereof. (*b*) note of the papers [missing] annexed to said petition, viz. their accounts of interest for 1672 and for 1673, and two reports dated 1680–1, Feb. 7, and 1681, Sept. 12, made by the Navy Commissioners about this business.	*Reference Book* III, pp. 43–4.
Mar. 20.	Dormant warrant by same to the Receipt for tallies to be levied from time to time on the Tenths of the dioceses of York, Exeter, Winchester, Lincoln and Sarum for the two several	*Money Book* VI, p. 15.

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1684-5.	annuities of 1,000*l.* *per an.* to Ann, Countess Dowager of Bristol, for ten years from 1677, Lady day (granted by patent of 1670, May 31), and 1,000*l.* (granted by patent of 1670, Sept. 9) to William, Earl of Bedford, and John Russell, esq. for the life of said Countess: both which annuities are paid up to Christmas last.	
Mar. 20.	Royal warrant to the Attorney or Solicitor General for a great seal for a new Commission of Appeals in Excise, the new Commissioners to bo Robert Spencer, esq., Charles Fanshaw, esq., Sir Paul Neale, kt., George Dodington, esq. and Edward Seymour, esq.: with salaries of 200*l.* *per an.* each, payable quarterly as from Christmas last. [The effect hereof is to renew the commission existing at the time of the death of Charles II.]	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 52.
	Same to same for a privy seal to discharge James Tazwell, son of James Tazwell of Limington, co. Somerset, from the recognisance of 500*l.* forfeited by his father *ut supra*, p. 31.	*Ibid*, p. 53.
	Same to same for a great seal for a fresh Commission of the Customs to contain Sir Dudley North, the new Commissioners to be Lord Cheyne, Sir Dudley North, kt., Sir John Werden, Sir Nich. Butler, Sir John Buckworth, William Dickinson and Thomas Chudleigh: they to be also Commissioners for the Four and a Half *per cent.* duty in Barbados and the Leeward Islands: with salary of 1,200*l.* *per an.* each payable quarterly as from Christmas last: John Sansom to be their secretary and John Lloyd to be Agent and Solicitor in like manner as in the present Commission, but with proviso for payment to Robert Bertie of 300*l.* *per an.* out of the salary of said Sansom.	*Ibid*, p. 54.
	Royal sign manual for 500*l.* to Henry Guy, for secret service, without account: to be issued on the 10,000*l.* privy seal dormant of Feb. 27 last. (Money warrant dated Mar. 23 hereon. Money order dated Mar. 24 hereon.)	*Ibid*, p. 55. *Money Book* VI, p. 17. *Order Book* I, p. 5.
	Royal warrant to the Clork of the Signet for a privy seal to constitute Henry Coventry (Chief Ranger of the Chace of Enfield, co. Midd.) to bo receiver of all fines and forfeitures to the King for killing or stealing any of his deer or for carrying of guns there contrary to law: he to dispose of such moneys in such manner as he think best for the proservation of the deer and game there.	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 55.
	Same to the Attorney or Solicitor General for a same for a grant to Benercot Cornwallis and Slingsby Bethel in trust for Thomas Beverley, junr. and Mary his wife of the goods and chattels of Thomas Beverloy, now or late of Gaynes Park, co. Huntingdon, who was outlawed on Monday before the feast of St. Mark the Evangelist (April 25), 1684, in London at the suit of said Cornwallis and Bethel in a plea of debt whereupon by a writ of special *capias utlagum* of May 12 following and an inquisition thereupon taken at Buntingford, co. Horts, May 21, goods of his to the value of 79*l.* were found which the sheriff then seized; and likewise on like writ dated May 12 and an inquisition at St. Ives, Huntingdon, May 20th, cattle and goods to the	*Ibid*, pp. 56–7.

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1684-5.	value of 487*l.* were seized; and on another like writ of date June 18 following and on an inquisition taken at Hitchin Aug. 6 [goods and chattels to the value of — were found and] seized by the sheriff.	
Mar. 20.	Reference by Treasuror Rochester to the Customs Commissioners of the order of reference from the King in Council dated Whitehall tho 6th inst. of the petition of the East India Company praying liberty to ship out by a free cocquet 1,000 cwt. of brass guns and 500 cwt. of iron guns of various sizes, great and small, not only for fortifying their garrison of Fort St. George and the Island of Bombay, but likowise for the small vessels, boats and sloops which they constantly employ to and from several places in India.	*Reference Book* III, p. 34.
	Royal warrant to the Clerk of the Signet for a privy seal for interest to Mr. Noell and Mr. Nihill as follows. An order datod Jan. 21 last (*ut supra, Calendar of Treasury Books*, Vol. VII, p. 1508) was drawn in the Exchequer and signed by tho late Treasury Lords for 1,803*l.* 18*s.* 2*d.* to said Noell for interest of 79,000*l.* lent the late King. Likewise another order of same date *ut ibid.*, p. 1417, for 1,116*l.* 17*s.* 10*d.* By reason of tho death of Charles II the said orders being still unsatisfied cannot now be executed without further direction from his present Majesty. The said orders are hereby to bo paid either by making issuos upon them or by new orders to be drawn, signed and satisfied for the same. Further it is directed, or intended to be directed by another privy seal that payment of 6 *per cent.* interest be made to Charles Toll from Oct. 20 last for 36,000*l.* part of the abovesaid 79,000*l.*, lent by Noell, in regard said Noell has by writing declared that his name as to said 36,000*l.* was used in trust for said Toll, who has the tallies for the same. It is therefore hereby ordered that payment be made to said Noell of 6 *per cent.* interest on the balanco of 43,000*l.* from said date of Oct. 20 last until the respective dates of the actual repayment and satisfaction of the principal. Similarly James Nihill, esq. lent to the late King 10,000*l.*, paid into the Exchequer 1683, Sept. 22, [and did likewise lend] 10,000*l.* more, which was payable to him by patent dated 1683, Oct. 11, as the assignee of Isaac Legouch for jewels and other things and tallies of pro were accordingly struck on the Excise for 20,000*l.* [as security for said loans] and interest has been paid to said Nihill thereon viz. to 1683–4, Mar. 23, on the ono 10,000*l.* and to 1684, Mar. 30, on the other 10,000*l.* But of the said [20,000*l.*] tallios on the Excise Charles Toll is entitled to 4,000*l.*, the interest for which from 1684, Mar. 30, the King is providing for by another privy seal. It is therefore hereby directed that for tho balance of 16,000*l.* due to said Nihill interest [as above] bo paid him, viz. for 10,000*l.* from 1683–4, Mar. 23, and for 6,000*l.* from 1684, Mar. 30, until repayment of the principal.	*King's Warrant Book* X, pp. 63–4.
Mar. 21.	Henry Guy to the officers of the Jewel House. By order of Council you are to provide the following particulars for the Coronation. You are to keep in readiness such as you have by you and to provide the rest.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 33.

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1684-5.	*Appending:* "further particulars to be provided by the Master of the Jewel House for his Majesty's Coronation: read in Council the 20th of Mar., 1684–5." a gilt bowl and cover for the Mayor of Oxford as Under Butler: of about 108 ounces. another for the Champion: of 30 ounces. another for the chief Cupbearer: 26 ounces. two gilt basons, one ewer and an assay cup for the Lord Great Chamberlain: about 342 ounces. two gilt basons for the Chief Almoner: about 305 ounces.	
Mar. 21.	Henry Guy to the Customs Commissioners to present John Sheppard for the next vacant place of land-waiter, London port; he being well recommended to the Lord Treasurer.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 33.
	Same to the Navy Commissioners. In reply to yours of yesterday you are to take Mr. Taylor's proffered securities for the performance of his contract [for stores] if you think them sufficient.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Auditor of the Receipt. Hereafter before any imprest rolls be delivered forth by you they are to be examined and signed by the Clerk of the Pells.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Darcy, Mr. Benyon and Col. Philips enclosing a letter [missing] from the Lord Chamberlain concerning mourning for the porters. You are to provide them with fitting mourning without having regard to what hath been done formerly.	*Ibid.*
	Same to same for an account what the liveries of the Chapel will come to: also at what time they had their last liveries.	*Ibid.*
	Order by Treasurer Rochester for the execution of a warrant of the late Treasury Lords dated 1684, Aug. 20, for tallies for the bankers' perpetual interest due at (the quarter ended) Midsummer, 1682.	*Money Book* VI, p. 14.
	Warrant by same to William Wardour, Clerk of the Pells. "Whereas the imprest rolls of accomptants are now usually made out and signed by the Auditor of the Receipt of Exchqeuer I do think fit and hereby direct and appoint (to prevent all mistakes for the future) that you" examine and sign all such imprest rolls whatsoever that shall be made out at any time by the Auditor of the Receipt before they shall be delivered forth.	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, p. 21.
	Henry Guy to the Auditor of the Receipt to advance to Edward Griffin, esq. [Treasurer of the Chamber] for the King's immediate service for the King's Maundy 200*l.* out of the moneys of goods seized and remaining in the Exchequer.	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 13.
Mar. 22.	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Surveyor General of Crown Lands for a particular or constat of the ground and buildings thereon, near Old Street, called Rotten Row, with a view to a lease thereof for 31 years to Col. Morgan at 10*l. per an.* rent. *Prefixing:* report dated Dec. 6 from said Surveyor General to the late Treasury Lords on said Col. Morgan's petition for same. I have had the houses	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, pp. 22–3.

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1684-5.	and ground again surveyod. It is a triangular piece 487 foot long by the little lane sido called Rotten Row and 116 broad at the west end next Goswell Street leading from Aldersgate towards Islington over against the Charterhouse garden. It is bounded north by Old Street and runs along Old Street eastward. Thero have been 30 mean houses formerly erected thereon and sub-divided into nearly 50 dwellings, but most of them now decayed and those that aro inhabitod are possessed, divers of them, by rag gatherers and such kind of poor people, others by victuallers and petty tradesmen who bestow some little cost upon them to keep them up: most of the poorer sort pay no rent and those that do amount to about 30*l. per an.* which is collected by one Mr. Man for the use of the city as is pretended. On the whole they aro of very small value, as now they are but a nest for thieves and ill persons to shelter in and must be all new built. If petitioner will undertake to assert the King's title and to re-edify them of brick (most of them being now of timber and boards, very dangerous to be set on fire) a grant may bo made to him at 10*l. per an.* rent.	
Mar. 23.	Henry Guy to the Dutch Ambassador. Treasurer Rochester has received from the Revenue Commissioners, Ireland, a letter dated the 12th inst. in reply to that from the late Treasury Lords containing your memorial, the affidavit of Peter Cransborough and other papers touching the ship the *Castle of Purmurent*, Claes Schelder skipper. Therein the Revenue Commissioners state that from the Collector of Dungarvan port they had on Mar. 25 the first notice of said ship, though she arrived there some time before loaden with wines and brandy, which were landed and secured in the King's warehouso; of which before they had notice the master had sold seven casks of wine and if the markets had answered his expectation he would doubtless have so disposed tho whole cargo: that the said Collector by letter dated Mar. 8 (which the Revenue Commissioners received April 2) informed them of the disability of said ship whose misfortune for what appeared then to them might have happened whilst she was in the harbour and that the day before another ship was arrived from Holland to take in and transport the unsold wines and brandy; and the Collector desired directions concerning the duty to be paid. Whereupon the said Revenuo Commissioners April 8 sent him directions upon which he received for duty 179*l.* 13*s.* 10*d.* as for goods landed and afterwards exported which the Revenue Commissioners thought lawful and reasonable in regard the master had sold part of his cargo and had the benefit of the port, the King being at the charge of keeping officers on board the ship before the delivery of the goods. As to the damage of 500*l.* sworn to by Cransborough, the said Commissioners say there cannot be the least shadow of pretence for it since the ship from Holland arrived Mar. 27 and they had notice thereof only on April 2 and they sent their directions on the 8th following, which they could not sooner despatch, the distance between them and Dungarvan being 100 miles and therefore if any damage be claimed it must be such as happened between the 2nd and 11th of April "which they judge to be an unanswerable pretence."	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 34.

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1684-5. Mar. 23.	Henry Guy to Sir Robert Viner. As to the three new maces for the sergeants at arms the same warrants must be procured from the Lord Chamberlain for the other two as was delivered to you by the sergeant at arms that attends the Lord Treasurer. Thereupon Treasurer Rochester will give directions for them.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 35.
	Same to the Hamburgh Company to report to Treasurer Rochester (in the same method as was desired by my letter of July 25 last *supra, Calendar of Treasury Books*, Vol. VII, pp. 1250–1) upon the petition of Francis Moncke *et al.* to the late King for a Commission to put in execution the laws prohibiting the exportation of sheep, wool, woolfells, etc.; and [likewise to similarly report on] the other papers relating thereto lying before you. (The like letters severally to the Royal Africa Company, Turkey Company, Russia Company, East India Company, Eastland Company.)	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Navy Commissioners for a certificate what bills of imprests are made out (and not yet assigned for payment) to Richard Brett and partners, late Victuallers of tho Navy. Also you are to hasten your certificato for the balance of their [Brett and partners'] six years' accounts.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Stephens. Send to-morrow your draft of the letter to be sent by the Lord Treasurer to the Navy Commissioners concerning the [Navy] debts of the second book.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Attorney General enclosing (*a*) *infra*. In the charter which is now renewing you are to insert such a clause as may be for his Majesty's service in that matter. *Appending:* memorandum: that a proviso [may be inserted] in the new charter of [the town of] Kingston to exempt them from any jurisdiction or cognizance of any presentments for misdemeanours within the manor of Richmond, co. Surrey, belonging unto his Majesty, but that all presentments for any offences committed within the said manor shall be tried in his Majesty's Court Leet holden at Richmond and not by the Corporation of Kingston. [*Signed*] Jo. Freeman.	*Ibid.*
	Report to the King from Treasurer Rochester on the petition of George Porter to the late King (as by order of reference of Feb. 17 last): petitioner praying a grant of his own personal estate forfeited by the manslaughter of Sir James Hackett. I am advised by the Attorney General that such grant may be made to petitioner.	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, p. 21.
	Fiat by same for letters patent to constitute Sutton Oglethorpe, esq., searcher of Customs, Carlisle port, and of the members and creeks of said port in Cumberland and Westmorland: as held by him at the death of Charles II: during pleasure and as amply as Thomas Addison or any other his predecessors therein.	*Ibid.*
	Same by same for same to constitute Thomas Mitton, esq., Comptroller of the port of Kingston upon Hull *loco* Thomas Thornton, deceased: to hold during pleasure.	*Ibid*, p. 22.

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1684-5. Mar. 23.	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners to order Mr. Lucas, tidesurveyor, to deliver a seizure of gloves to the claimer on payment of 18*l.* to himself.	*Out Letters* (*Customs*) X, p. 7.
	Samo by same to the Exeise Commissioners, Excise Auditor, Excise Comptroller, tho King's Romembrancer *et al.* to discharge the sum of 598*l.*, being tho arrear of rent resting upon Sir Samuel Starling, kt., Francis Meinell, John Man, Hugh Hovell and Morico Hunt, as Farmers of Excise of Norfolk and Norwich for 2¾ years ended 1668, June 24: it being certified by the late Sir George Downing and by John Lawrence that in 1671 said Farmers were indebted 2,098*l.* to the King for arrears of rent and being sued for same did apply to the then Treasury Lords for an abatement of rent by reason of the plague etc. and that upon full hearing and debato of the matter the Treasury Lords decided, on their payment of 1,500*l.*, to allow them the residue of their said rent: and that said Starling did afterwards pay said 1,500*l.*, but owing to Starling's death the order for the discharge of the balance of 598*l.* was omitted to be taken out; wherefore the said Farmers have now petitioned for such discharge.	*Money Book* VI, p. 20.
	Dormant warrant by same to the Receipt for tallies of assignment to be levied from time to time for the Countess of Plymouth for moneys due upon the annuity of 1,000*l.* granted by patent of 1678–9, Mar. 20, to Peregrine Bertie, Charles Bertie and Charles Osborne out of Alienations ("out of the money which should arise to his Majesty, over and above the present reserved rent, for fines upon writs of covenant and writs of entry *sur disseisin en le post* or otherwise out of the Alienation Office") as in trust in accordance with the indentures of 1678, Aug. 30, and 1679–80, Mar. 20, relating to the marriage between the late Earl of Plymouth and Bridget, daughter of the Earl of Danby, and with remainder clauses as therein set out. The said Countess has desired that said annuity may be paid her by tallies of assignment and it is certified that it has been paid up to 1684, Christmas. (This warrant is annotated in the margin with notes of three subsequent confirmations or fresh warrants for its execution, viz. 1686–7, Feb. 26, by the Treasury Lords; 1688–9, Jan. 2, by G. H. Prince D'Orange; 1689–90, Mar. 20, by the Treasury Lords.)	*Ibid*, pp. 15–16.
	Same by same to same for like tallies of assignment for said Countess from time to time for her annuity of 2,000*l.* out of First Fruits, or in case of failure thereof, out of Tenths, being her life interest in tho annuity granted by tho patents *ut supra*, and to trustees *ut supra*. The said Countess has desired that payment be made to her by assignmont and it is certified that same has been paid up to 1684, Christmas. (Annotated in the margin with the same three later orders of confirmation as above.)	*Ibid*, p. 16.
	Same by same to the Auditors of [Imprests as the Auditors of] First Fruits and Tenths to allow from time to time in the accounts of Robert Squibb as Receiver of First Fruits and Tenths Enstalled the	*Ibid*, p. 17.

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1684-5.	yearly fees of 100*l.* for himself and 20*l.* for a clerk to be taken by him quarterly in accordance with the terms of the great seal of his appointment dated Mar. 5 inst.	
Mar. 23.	Dormant warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Receipt for tallies of assignment to bo levied from time to time for all moneys paid out of the Excise by the Commissioners or Farmers thereof on the annuity of 10,972*l.* 19*s.* $3\frac{1}{2}\frac{1}{4}$ granted to the present Queen Dowager by the patent of 1672, Dec. 20: all upon the production to the officers of the Receipt of the acquittances for such payments.	*Money Book* VI, p. 17.
	Same by same to same for the like tallies of assignment from time to time for all payments of the annuity of 1,236*l.* 16*s.* $1\frac{1}{2}d.$ granted out of the Excise to the said Queen Dowagor by the patent of 1674, Oct. 9: all on the production of acquittances as above.	*Ibid*, p. 18.
	Same by same to the Customs Cashier to pay from time to time tho 1,850*l.* *per an.* each to Robert, Earl of Sunderland, and Charles, Earl of Middleton, the two Principal Secretaries of State: as by privy soal of the 18th inst.	*Ibid*, p. 19.
	Money warrant for 125*l.* to John Rogers and Anne his wife for $1\frac{1}{4}$ years to Christmas last on their pension.	*Ibid.*
	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to Auditor Done to allow in account to Edward Seymour, Deputy Clerk of the Hanaper in Chancery, 40*l.* for the expence of passing his account for the year ended 1684, Sept. 29. *Prefixing:* said Auditor's certificate that said account has been delivered in.	*Ibid.*
	Referenco by same to the Commissioners of Excise and Hearthmoney of the petition of Charles Frith, shewing that upon a previous application for a collector's place in the Excise he had a reference and was sent into Staffordshire to learn the duty and is now qualified.	*Reference Book* III, p. 37.
	Same by same to William Hewer of the petition of Ja. Bush and Paul Harris; shewing that they petitioned the late Treasury Lords for 861*l.* 2*s.* 0*d.* for wine furnished [by them] to the soldiers working on the fortifications of Tangier by order of Col. Kirke, the then Governor, and the Treasury Lords ordered they should have satisfaction when tho arrears to the soldiers should be paid; that they could never afterwards [have access to] acquaint their lordships "with the hard and different circumstances we lye under upon the account of this our service"; that the greater part of the money is due to merchants who are out of patience for their money: therefore praying consideration or they must perish.	*Ibid*, p. 41.
	Royal warrant to the Attorney or Solicitor General for a privy seal to appoint Bartholomew Fillingham, Thomas Hall and William Lownds to be Agents for holding intelligence and correspondency with the Receivers General of Assessments in England and Wales, to take care and see that they duely	*King's Warrant Book* X, pp. 57–9.

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1684-5.	and speedily pay into the Exchequer all their receipts upon former Acts or any future Acts of Parliament to be hereafter passed and to inspect, manage and look after the bringing in of such arrears as are standing out and unpaid on any former assessments, aids, subsidies, Hearthmoney, benevolence or poll bills and to inspect and take care that the accomptants to the King be duely and timely brought to pass and finish their accounts, that all *ipsums, supers,* or other debts to the King upon any accounts be duely prosecuted and recovered to the King's use and that all rents or other beneficial matters reserved to the King upon any grants not yet put in charge may (as they can be discovered) be duly brought and put in charge. The said Agents to be under the direction of the Lord Treasurer or Treasury Lords: with a yearly salary of 200*l.* each and with such allowance for a clerk, messenger, office rent and incidents as the Treasury Lords shall allow from time to time: all by reason that it has been found necessary for the more easy and speedy bringing in of aids etc. to appoint such Agents to correspond with the Receivers General, to take from them accounts, to take notice of their payments and returns, and to quicken the payments thereof into the Exchequer by returns of bills or otherwise as may best suit with the condition of the subject in their trade and commerce. [The effect of this privy seal is merely to renew the existence of the Agents for Taxes, the latest form towards the end of Charles II's reign of the Office of Exchanges.]	
Mar. 23.	Royal warrant to the Attorney General to acknowledge satisfaction upon record of the fines of 100*l.* and 50*l.* set upon John Williamson and Thomas Williamson respectively at a late assizes at Carlisle for barratry: the King being pleased to pardon said fines.	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 59.
	Same to the Clerk of the Signet for a privy seal for 50,000*l.* to William Hewer, Treasurer for the affairs of the late city and garrison of Tangier, as imprest for the expense and charge of the said late garrison: "and forasmuch as the necessities of the said garrison have required and may for the future require the advance of money which cannot be otherwise supplied than by borrowing the same on tallies struck on some branch of our revenue for the use and service of the said garrison" 6 *per cent.* interest is hereby to be allowed [to said Hewer or through him to his lenders] for all such moneys as have been or for the future shall be borrowed, advanced or lent for the said service. At the end of every six months the Lord Treasurer is to give warrant to enable said Hewer to pay and discharge such interest accordingly, which [payments of interest] are hereby to be allowed in said Hewer's accounts by the Auditors of Imprests.	*Ibid,* p. 60.
	Same to same for a same dormant for the payment to Sir Robert Viner, kt. and bart. [the King's goldsmith], of all such moneys (not exceeding [in the whole] 10,000*l.*) as are and from time to time shall be due to him for gold works, gilt and white plate and other things by him delivered or to be delivered into the Jewel House as by certificate thereof under the hand of the Master of the Jewel	*Ibid.*

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1684-5.	House. The said payments to be received by Viner without account, imprest or other charge.	
Mar. 24.	Royal warrant to the Clerk of the Signet for a privy seal for payment to Christopher Rosse, the King's jeweller, of all such sums as the Lord Chamberlain or Vice-Chamberlain of the Household shall signify to the Treasury to be the price of such jewels as he hath furnished or from time to time shall furnish for the King's service (with 6 *per cent.* interest, if by agreement interest be to be paid): [all to a total] not exceeding 20,000*l.*: same to be received [by Rosse] without account, imprest or other charge.	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 61.
	Same to the Attorney or Solicitor Genoral for a great seal for a grant to John Warren, one of the Justices of Chester, of the sum of 200*l. per an.* as an addition to the profits of his place there: the same having been added to the said profits upon the augmentation of the salary of all the Judges at Westminster and in North and South Wales: said addition to be paid him quarterly upon the last day of each term, the payment for last Hilary term to be made presently. In case of his vacating said office this addition is to be reckoned only up to the actual date of such vacating.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Clerk of the Signet for a privy seal for 1,500*l.* to William Hewer for hangings as follows. The privy seal of 1681, Sept. 30 (*ut supra, Calendar of Treasury Books*, Vol. VII, p. 251), directed 3,000*l.* to said Hewer for so much advanced by him for redeeming and purchasing divers curious pieces of tapestry hangings which were delivered by him into tho Great Wardrobe. In part of said privy seal 1,500*l.* was paid to said Hewer and an order was drawn 1683, April 18, and signed by the then Treasury Lords for the remaining 1,500*l.*, but said order remains still unsatisfied and by reason of the death of Charles II is become void. It is hereby ordered that 1,500*l.* be paid to John Knight [for the Great Wardrobe] to be by him (under warrant to be received from Marmaduke Darcy, George Benyon and Robt. Philipps) paid over to said Hewer to complete said 3,000*l.* Care is to be taken that the 1,500*l.* remaining unpaid at Charles II's death to Ralph Montague [then Master of the Great Wardrobe] for the same purpose be not now paid. "And whereas there was made over to tho said William Hewer by the aforesaid privy seal seven pieces of painting called Raphaell's Designs, for better securing payment of the said 3,000*l.* and interest to him according to the tenor of the said privy seal; these are further to command and require you that upon payment of the said 1,500*l.* in full of the said 3,000*l.* together with the interest due thereon to the said William Hewer you take care that the aforesaid seven pieces of painting called Raphael's Designs now in the custody of Thomas Povey, esq. be delivered back by the said William Hewer for our use into the custody of the said Marmaduke Darcy, George Benyon and Robt. Philipps, who are intrusted by us in affairs relating to our Great Wardrobe, and their receipt for the same shall be a sufficient discharge to the said William Hewer, his executors" etc.	*Ibid*, pp. 62–3.

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1684-5. Mar. 24.	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester for the execution of a dormant warrant of tho Treasury Lords dated 1681, April 12, for tallies of assignment quarterly on the First Fruits or, failing that, on the Tenths, for the annuity of 1,000*l.* to Louisa, Duchess of Portsmouth, granted by the patent of 1680–1, Mar. 4.	*Money Book* VI, p. 21.
	Same by same to the Receipt to cause the three tallies of assignment struck upon John Lawrence, late Receiver of First Fruits, viz. of 1684, Oct. 31, for 290*l.* and 210*l.* and of 1684–5. Jan. 22, for 500*l.* (all for the Earl of Oxford for respectively 1684, Michaelmas and Christmas quarters, on his pension of 2,000*l.* granted by patent of 1673, June 19) to be charged upon the present Receiver of First Fruits by reason they remained unpaid at the death of said Lawrence for want of money to pay them.	*Ibid.*
	Henry Guy to the Auditor of the Receipt. I have paid Mrs. Anne Roper, late one of the Maids of Honour to the Queen Dowager, 400*l.* out of moneys put into my hands for the late King's secret service. You are to make memorials thereof in your books to prevent double payment.	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 13.
	Same to same to issue as follows out of such Customs money as is directed to be this week paid into the Exchequer, viz.:	*Ibid*, pp. 13, 14.

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
to the Treasurer of the Navy, intended for one quarter to the Yards at Chatham and Sheerness	7,761	15	0
to ditto to pay off tho *Mary* yacht..	1,338	16	6
to ditto towards fitting out several ships to sea according to a list from the Navy Board	500	0	0
to ditto for buying New England masts	300	0	0
to ditto towards paying off the sea officers whose ships have been put out of pay and [are] to be paid in course	200	0	0
to ditto for the Victuallers on their weekly money	600	0	0
to ditto for Mr. Gore for hemp bought and delivered over and above 1,450*l.* lately ordered on this account	1,108	0	0
to Philip Packer, esq. as advance in further part of Sir Christophor Wren's estimato for preparing for the Coronation	400	0	0
to me [Guy] for secret service.. ..	500	0	0
	£12,708	11	6

(Same of same date to the Customs Cashier enclosing the paper of tho disposition of the Customs cash for the present week, said paper including the above nine items [payable out of Customs money in tho Exchequer] together with the following item [payable directly out of the Customs Office on tallies] viz. 2,000*l.* to Richard Kent and Charles Duncombe in [repayment of] part of their debt. Total disposition 14,708*l.* 11*s.* 6*d.*)

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1684-5 Mar. 24	Henry Guy to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue as follows out of such Excise money as is directed to be this week paid into the Exchequer, viz.:	*Disposition Book* IV, pp. 14, 15.
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	to Charles Fox, Paymaster of the Forces..	5,000
	to [the Cofferer of the] Household	1,500
	to the Duke of Grafton	750
	to the Duke of Northumberland	1,225
	to Sir Robert Vyner towards the charge of the Coronation in the Jewel House, by way of advance till his privy seal passes	500
		£8,975
	(Same dated same to the Commissioners of Excise and Hearthmoney enclosing the paper of the disposition of the cash of the Excise and Hearthmoney for the present week: said paper including the above five items [payable out of Excise money in the Exchequer] together with the following items [payable directly out of the Excise Office on tallies] viz. 1,000*l.* to Charles Toll in part of his debt; 500*l.* to Mr. Hornby in part of his debt; 1,500*l.* to Mr. Freind and Mr. Calverd in part of their debt: and similarly [payable directly out of the Hearthmoney by tallies thereon] 2,000*l.* to Mr. Fryer in full of 3,000*l.* lent by him on the half year's Hearthmoney rent at Michaelmas last, there being only 1,000*l.* paid him last week. Total disposition, 13,975*l.*)	
	Same to Sir James Hayes and partners. If you do not forthwith proceed to the clearing your accounts the King will order process to issue against you.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 36.
	Same to the Navy Commissioners. The Lord Treasurer intends suddenly to make an addition of 400*l.* a week to the weekly money of the Navy which is to be continued [to be applied] to the uses formerly appointed. This additional 400*l.* per week is to bo applied as follows, viz. 200*l.* a week towards the satisfaction of the commission and warrant officers who have served in the ships at sea [to be taken] in tho respective courses of their several discharges and payment of the ships to which they belonged: 200*l.* a week for the payment of [Navy] bills of the second book as they are there entered and numbered in their respective courses and precedency in the several years since the postpone in 1671. This money is to be restrained to the dischargo of those bills only which come under the heads of disbursements, rents and travelling charges, pilotage and chirurgery, free gifts, bounties, freight and transportation, victuals, oxtraordinary necessary money and volunteers' diet. The Lord Treasurer's meaning nevertheless is that such further provision may be made by you out of the othor usual weekly money of the Navy (as the same will admit thereof) for the satisfaction of the bills under any of those heads which you shall find most pressing and judge [the payment thereof] to be best for his Majesty's service.	*Ibid.*
	Fiat by Treasurer Rochester for letters patent to constitute Christopher Warren, esq. and Robert Warren, esq. his son to the office of Customer and	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, p. 23.

Date.	Nature and Substance of the Entry.	Reference.
1684-5.		
	Collector of Plymouth port as amply etc., as the said Christophor Warren or any other previously.	
Mar. 24.	*Fiat* by Treasurer Rochester for lottors patent to constitute John Harrison, gent., Comptroller of Ipswich port, co. Suff. *loco* William Haggarth, deceased.	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, p. 24.
	Report to the King from Treasurer Rochester on the petition of the East India Company as by the reference from the King of the 6th inst. *supra*, p. 73. The Ordnance Officers desire a particular account of the numbers and natures of all the guns and that they be proved with the usual proof by the proofmaster for the subject and likewise that security be given by the Company that said guns shall be employed only for fitting their garrisons and forts belonging to their factories in India and for their small vessels employed there. The Customs Commissioners have also reported that by the statute of 33 Hy. VIII, c. 7, all sorts of metal whereof brass guns may be made are prohibited to be exported but the law is not clear as to guns themselves, yet in construction and practice brass guns have been all along understood to be restrained by that law and the searchers have not passed them without a warrant from the Treasury. As the meaning of this prohibition is to prevent the neighbouring countries from being furnished with artillery and this [our own] kingdom be in want thereof, it does not in strictest consideration apply in the present case. Therefore a warrant for export may be granted. The Customs thereon would come to 250*l.* for the brass guns (after the rate of 12*d.* per £ upon a supposed value of 100*l.* per ton) and 6*l.* 5*s.* 0*d.* on the iron guns. There have been some precedents for permitting such shipments to pass Customs free.	*Ibid*, pp. 24–5.
	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Barons of the Exchequer to take the securities of Charles Orchard as Customer of Exeter and Dartmouth and to swear him in: the said office having been granted 1660, Sept. 12, to John Roope, gent. and the place of Customer of Barnstaple and Bideford to Humphrey Prideaux by patent of 1660, Oct. 1, and the place of Customer of Exeter, Dartmouth and Barnstaple to John Morrice by patent of 1663, Oct. 17, in reversion of said Roope and Prideaux and the said Prideaux having afterwards surrendered his said grant to the late King, who thereupon by grant dated 1675, Nov. 20, granted to Charles Orchard to be Customer of Exeter, Dartmouth, Barnstaple and Bideford for life for Barnstaple and Bideford in possession and for Exeter and Dartmouth in reversion of said Roopo; and the said Roope's patent is now determined by the late King's death.	*Out Letters (Customs)* X, p. 10.
	Henry Guy to Lord Dartmouth to forthwith repair the 50 partizans which the Ordnance Office has in store and to alter the letter "C" into the letter "J."	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 36.
	Same to the Customs Commissioners to deliver to-morrow (notwithstanding it is a holy day) the 30 coach horses arrived from Rotterdam for the ambassadors that are coming from Holland. Mr. Laurence Dorville will give you the name of the ship.	*Ibid.*

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1684-5. Mar. 24.	Henry Guy to the Commissioners of Excise and Hearth-money. Treasurer Rochester is informed that one Broughton who is employed in receiving the Hearth-money in the North is disaffected to the Government and that his father drow up the indictment against Charles I. Inquire into the truth of this.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 37.
	Same to Mr. Blathwayt [as Secretary of War]. It is the King's pleasure that Capt. Edmd. Barry, Lieut. Terence O'Brien and Lieut. James Barret shall receive half pay as do other officers in their circumstances, as from Lady day coming. You are to prepare the warrants for this.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Charles Fox. The officers of the Scotch Regiment have applied to Treasurer Rochester that 27 sick soldiers first quartered at Dartford upon their arrival from Tangier might receive their clearing to the time of their first muster. Report hereon to my Lord.	*Ibid*, p. 39.
1685. Mar. 25.	Privy seal dormant for repayment of loans with 6 *per cent.* interest as follows. Divers of our subjects have lent to us or to our brother Charles II several sums at the Receipt which remain un[re]paid. And divers subjects may hereafter by argeement lend other sums into the Receipt at interest not exceeding 6 *per cent.* As the privy seal issued by Charles II to warrant the repayment of such loans with 6 *per cent.* interest is determined by his death it is hereby directed that all moneys so lent and due as above or so to be lent in future be repaid to the lenders with 6 *per cent. per an.* interest " or the same rate [of interest] to be made principal at the end of every half year or quarter of a year as the case [of each particular agreement with the Lord Treasurer] may require." (Royal warrant dated Mar. 16 to the Clerk of the Signet for said privy seal.)	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 45.
	Same for the payment of interest as follows to Charles Toll. By an account made up to Jan. 1 last and allowed by the late Treasury Lords Jan. 12 last it appeared that Charles II owed said Toll 39,441*l.* for principal money lent. It is hereby ordered that 6 *per cent.* thereon be paid him quarterly as from Jan. 1 last (or to be made principal at tho end of every quarter), tho interest to be abated or deducted proportionably as the principal is paid off. Further Anthony Sturt, junr. lent 1683, Nov. 20, the late King 2,000*l.* on the Customs and 5,000*l.* on Dec. 6 and 3,000*l.* on Dec. 7 or 10,000*l.* in all and 6 *per cent.* interest and 2 *per cent.* reward has been paid thereon to said Sturt to 1684, June 30. And Anthony Sturt, senr. also lent 1683, Oct. 22, to the late King the several sums of 4,250*l.* 19*s.* 5*d.*, 2,500*l.*, 2,500*l.*, 500*l.*, 249*l.* 0*s.* 7*d* or 10,000*l.* in all on credit of the Customs and had an order of repayment for same dated 1683, Dec. 22, and interest and reward theroon has been paid *ut supra.* The tallies for the said sums of 10,000*l.* and 10,000*l.* are now in the hands of Charles Toll and the said Sturt, senr. and junr. have by deed dated the 12th inst. declared that said 20,000*l.* may be repaid to said Toll. But it is supposed that the orders for repayment cannot now be executed by reason of the death of Charles II. It is hereby ordered that said 20,000*l.* be so repaid him, said Toll, and also	*Ibid*, pp. 46-9.

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1685.	6 *per cent.* interest and 2 *per cent.* reward from 1684, June 30, to Sept. 30, and thereafter 6 *per cent.* interest only. Further there are in the hands of said Toll several unsatisfied tallies of assignment amounting in all to 36,000*l.*, levied at the Receipt for Edward Noell on the Hoarthmoney for satisfaction of divers loans made by said Nooll, viz. four tallies dated 1684, May 27, for 5,000*l.* each on the 1684, Sept. 29 half year's Hearthmonoy and 5 tallies on the succeeding half year, viz. for 3,000*l.* and 2,333*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.* and 666*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.* dated 1684, June 25, and for 5,000*l.* and 5,000*l.* dated Oct. 3. By instruments dated 1684, July 7, and 1684–5, Jan. 26, Noell has declared that his name was used therein in trust for Toll to whom he delivered said tallies for his own use. It is hereby ordered that 6 *per cent.* interest be paid to Toll (or made into principal at the end of every quarter) from Oct. 20 last (to which time interest and reward is agreed to be paid to said Noell). Further there are in said Toll's hands four tallies for 1,000*l.* each dated 1683, Nov. 9, struck in the name of James Nihill on the Excise for which interest has been paid to 1684, Mar. 30. It is hereby directed that 6 *per cent.* interest be paid thereon to said Toll from 1684, Mar. 30, or to be made into principal *ut supra*. Further George, Marquess of Halifax, lent 1683, April 28, to the late King 4,000*l.* on the security of dotard trees in New Forest. There has been thereon paid to said Marquess and to Charles Toll 3,200*l.* of the principal and part of the interest. It is hereby ordered that out of the proceeds of such dotard trees the remaining 800*l.* be paid to said Toll and all the interest remaining payable upon said order of loan, the said Marquess having by indorsement made 1683–4, Feb. 29, upon the said order assigned [to Toll] the [principal] money then remaining due and all the interest due thereon. (Royal warrant dated Mar. 16 to the Clork of the Signet for said privy seal.)	
Mar. 25.	Privy seal for the payment to Sir Richard Bulstrode of all his ordinary and extraordinaries up to the death of Charles II as Resident with the Governor of the Spanish Low Countries as by the privy seal of 1675–6, Jan. 5. Further his said ordinary (of 50*s.* a day) is to be hereby continued to him quarterly henceforward and similar allowances of extraordinaries to be made him, the King having appointed him Resident in that Court.	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 66.
	The like privy seal in tho case of Richard, Visct. Preston, as Envoy Extraordinary to France, viz. for the arrears of his ordinary and extraordinary up to the death of Charles II as by the privy seal of 1681–2, Jan. 18, and for the continuanco thereof from the [death of Charles II, being] the date of the determination of said privy soal: the King having appointed him his Minister in that Court, in the same quality of Envoy Extraordinary.	*Ibid*, p. 73.
	The like warrant in tho case of Charles, Viscount Lansdowne, as Envoy Extraordinary to Spain. The 500*l.* equipage and the 5*l.* per day ordinary as by the privy seal of Dec. 10 last aro hereby to be paid him: the King having resolved to send	*Ibid*, p. 75.

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1685.	him to Spain in the same quality and he having had a quarter's advance of ordinary thereon.	
Mar. 25.	Privy seal for the payment to Richard Kent and Charles Duncombe of interest at the rate of 6 *per cent.* (made principal at the end of every 3 months) on such sums as they have advanced or shall advance to the late or present King, and as are yet unrepaid to them. (Royal warrant dated Feb. 24 to the Clerk of the Signet for said privy seal.)	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 25.
Mar. 26.	Henry Guy to Mr. Darcy and partners [in the Great Wardrobe] forwarding (*a*). *Appending :* (*a*) order of the King in Council dated Whitehall Mar. 24. "Memorandum that two cushions of cloth of gold, of the same with the pall, be provided for their Majesty's use at their royal coronation."	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 37.
	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to Sir Christopher Wren, Surveyor General of the Works, of the petition of Mris. Ford, *ut supra*, p. 65, together with the report thereon from the Surveyor General [of Crown Lands].	*Reference Book* III, p. 37.
	Same by same to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of Thomas Bettesworth for delivery of a seizure of 20,000 kidskins which he some time since ordered Mr. Tho. Legendre his correspondent at Roantoby [? Ringkjöbing], to ship to him to London "and for some reasons to consign them in the name of an alien," which he accordingly so shipped on the *Mary*, John Mervin master, "whereupon petitioner paid Customs on their arrival in London about Nov. 26 last ; but Mr. Hern, a Customs officer, understanding that the bill of lading was in an alien's name, did without petitioner's consent and in his absence cause them to be landed and then seized them as being aliens' goods. No alien whatever has any property in those goods. They are entirely petitioner's property and if they had been aliens' goods they could not be forfeited till landed by his own order.	*Ibid*, p. 38.
	Same by same to Sir Christopher Wren of the petition of Tho. Lloyd, esq. to be admitted to the place of Paymaster of the Works granted to him by Charles II in reversion of Mr. Packer : petitioner being advised that Packer's grant which was during pleasure is void by the late King's death.	*Ibid*, p. 40.
	Same by same to the Navy Commissioners of the petition of Widow Bland, relict of Jno. Bland : petitioner shewing that she being proprietor of the late Navy Office in Mark Lane, it being left on her hands very ruinous and much out of repair to her great damage, the King ordered the Navy Board to pay her 200*l.* for her satisfaction ; but she cannot as yet get the money : therefore prays payment.	*Ibid*, p. 53.
	Money warrant for 125*l.* to Sir William Killigrew for last Christmas quarter on his annuity or pension.	*Money Book* VI, p. 22.
Mar. 27.	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of Margaret Heathcote, Quaker, as by a reference from the King dated the 20th inst : petitioner shewing that her husband	*Reference Book* III, p. 39.

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1685.	was sent as a factor with goods to New York, but by damage at sea same became unsaloable and he was forced to exchange great part thereof for provisions and sent it in a small vessel called the *Lancaster* to Newfoundland to sell it for money, but they missed their expectations and the sloop returned to New York, where unhappily they began to unload before entering in the Custom House, whereon the vessel and goods were seized to the value of 500*l.* "and unless thy princely mercy be extended" he will lose his employment and his family will be distressed: therefore prays forgiveness for her husband and restoration of the vessel and goods, petitioner being poor and destitute of other assistance.	
Mar. 27.	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of William Fall to be admitted Comptroller of Plymouth port by virtue of Charles II's grant to him in reversion of Lewis Stewkly's interest therein.	*Reference Book* III, p. 39.
	Same by same to Charles Fox, Paymaster of the Forces, of the petition of four Captains of Horse belonging to Tangier: petitioners shewing that they arrived in England the beginning of April last and at their landing supplied their men with subsistence money as also upon their march to their quarters, where they remained all that month unpaid by reason it was represented "to your Lordship" that they were advanced it [their pay] at Tangier: but the Treasurer of Tangier having shown "your Lordship" that this was a mistake and that they were never accounted with for that month you ordered Mr. Fox to advance to petitioners 100*l.* a troop till payment should be directed of said month's arrear, "which being as yet undetermined a stop is made upon their ordinary subsistence for that 100*l.* advanced and they cannot march according to their present orders without leaving the country unpaid." Therefore pray payment of said arrear to be ordered, they having at present orders for a speedy march.	*Ibid*, pp. 39–40.
	Same by same to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of Mathias Miller for renewal of his patent as Comptroller of Carlisle port, same being determined by the late King's death.	*Ibid*, p. 40.
	Warrant by same to same to deliver, Customs free, the goods of Lord Duivenwoordo and Lord Dyckvelt, Ambassadors Extraordinary from the States General of the United Provinces. *Appending:* (*a*) schedule of said goods shipped on the *Gorcum*, Capt. Piterson commander, and on the *Church*, Jeremy Finch master: said schedule being signed Br. de Wassenaer, Dutenvoitde (Duventrodo), De Wede (Weede); (*b*) memorial in French dated London, Mar. 26, signed *ut supra*, "nous sonsignez Ambassadeurs Extraordinaires," requesting delivery of said goods.	*Out Letters* (*Customs*) X, pp. 10–12.
	Samuel Langford, in the absence of Henry Guy, to the Attorney General to report to the Lord Treasurer on the enclosed opinions of the King's Counsel in Ireland, concerning Plantation goods. *Appending:* note of said opinions being two papers both dated Feb. 16 last, one signed by	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 37.

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1685.	Sir Jno. Osborne ; the other signed by Sir William Domvile, Sir Jo. Temple and Sir Jo. Meado.	
Mar. 27.	William Lowndes [in the absence of Henry Guy] to Col. Werden. The Lord Treasurer has desired Alderman Duncombe to pay you to-morrow morning 3,000*l.* by way of advance on a privy seal which is ordered to be passed for the Queen. (Same dated same to said Duncomb to pay, out of Hearthmoney remaining in your hands according to the last [weekly Hearthmoney] certificate 3,000*l.* to said Werden for the Queen. For your regular discharge herein the King has signed a warrant to pass the privy seal for a larger sum to said Col. Werden, "therefore you may take his acquittance to give the Teller when the privy seal is perfected.")	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 38. *Disposition Book* IV, p. 15.
	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Barons of the Exchequer to swear Sir Philip Lloyd, kt. into the office of Keeper of the Exchange and money within the Tower of London and the custody of the coinage of gold and silver there and elsewhere in England : as by his patent or grant of the 4th inst. during pleasure.	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, p. 26.
Mar. 30.	Report by same to the King on the petition of the mayor and burgesses of Newcastle as by the reference thereof Feb. 17 last concerning the jurisdiction of the Castlegarth, *ut supra*, p. 57 and *Calendar of Treasury Books*, Vol. VII, p. 1495. The Attorney General on reference to him from me, thinks it may be fit for the government of the inhabitants who live in the Castlegarth that the place be put within the limit and jurisdiction of the town of Newcastle : which may be done by royal patent with a proviso that the assizes and sessions may be kept there for the county as formerly.	*Ibid.*
	Henry Guy to Mr. Hewer to pay Jane Ennis, widow of Lieut. Robt. Ennis, 30*l.* as reward for the loss of her husband, who was Ayd Major to the Scots Regiment at Tangier, for support of herself and children. Also to pay to Jane Urquhart, widow of Thomas Urquhart, deceased, a late Lieutenant to Capt. Forbes, 8*l.* as royal bounty for the loss of her husband killed at Tangier : "to enable both the said widows to go to their habitations in Ireland."	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 16.
	Same to the Customs Commissioners to report to Treasurer Rochester (as by the reference of Dec. 11 last, *supra*, *Calendar of Treasury Books*, Vol. VII, pp. 1444–5) on Lord Hatton's request on behalf of the inhabitants of Guernsey desiring liberty to transport to that island from Newcastle and Swansea 400–500 chaldron of coal yearly.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 38.
	Same to the Earl of Middleton, one of the Principal Secretaries of State, enclosing from the Lord Treasurer the substance of the letter (*ut supra*, p. 75) to hand from the Revenue Commissioners, Ireland, dated the 12th inst. in reply to the Treasury Lords' letter and to the memorial of the Dutch ambassador and other papers relating to the ship *Castle of Purmerent.*	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Attorney General to report on the enclosed draft of a grant to Mr. Hillyard of several marsh	*Ibid*, p. 39.

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1685.	lands in Lincolnshire and several other papers relating to said lands. *Appending:* note only of same being said draft and said papers, a petition of Mr. Hillyard's with the Attorney General's report on it, a report by the Surveyor General of Crown Lands and a letter from the Attorney General to Mr. Guy.	
Mar. 30.	Henry Guy to Sir Christopher Wren for a certificate what is due to Senr. Verrio upon account of the Works at Windsor or any other way.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 39.
	Same to the Commissioners of Excise and Hearthmoney. Treasurer Rochester apprehends that there are arrears of Hearthmoney standing out as well for half year ended 1684, Lady day, as for the succeeding half year and that part of the growing duty payable at the present Lady day may be collected before those arrears are all paid. You are to keep distinct accounts of said arrears and of said growing duty. Send these accounts to the Lord Treasurer.	*Ibid.*
	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners to permit the export to Scotland, Customs free, in the *Katherine* yacht, of goods belonging to the Duke of Queensberry. *Appending:* schedule of said goods signed by John Gibson (plate, clothes, glass &c.).	*Out Letters (Customs)* X, p. 12.
	Money warrant for 2,825*l.* to Bovill Skelton for arrears due from 1683, Aug. 14, to 1684–5, Mar. 1, on his ordinary of 5*l.* a day as late Envoy Extraordinary to the Princes and Hanse Towns of the Empire. (Money order dated April 7 hereon.)	*Money Book* VI, p. 22. *Order Book* I, p. 9.
	Same for 750*l.* to Henry, Duke of Grafton, for 1684, Christmas quarter, on his annuity or yearly pension out of the Excise. 750*l.* to George, Duke of Northumberland, for 1684, Sept. 29 quarter, on the like annuity.	*Money Book* VI, p. 22.
	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester for the execution of a money warrant dated 1684, Dec. 23, for 950*l.* to said Duke of Northumberland on same, being 200*l.* to complete 1684, Lady day quarter, and 750*l.* for 1684, June 24 quarter, thereon.	*Ibid.*
	Money warrant for 2,000*l.* to John, Lord Churchill, in repayment of so much by him lent to the late King Jan. 3 last: to be heroby repaid together with 6 *per cent.* interest to be reckoned quarterly till the repayment of the principal which is intended to be on the 4th April, 1685, to which said Lord Churchill has agreed and consented. (Money order dated Mar. 31 hereon.)	*Ibid*, p. 23. *Order Book* I, p. 6.
	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Receipt to charge upon the present Receiver of First Fruits the tally struck at the Receipt Jan. 8 last (on John Lawrence, then Receiver of First Fruits, but since deceased), for 199*l.* 1*s.* 0*d.* in part of 500*l.* for 1684, Christmas quarter, on the annuity of 2,000*l.* granted to Peregrine Bertie, Charles Bertie and Charles Osborne by patent of 1678–9, Mar. 20, for the use of Bridget, Countess of Plymouth. *In the margin:* Two later Treasury orders (both struck through) dated 1686–7, Feb. 26, and 1688–9, Jan. 2, for the execution of this present warrant.	*Money Book* VI, p. 23.

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1685. Mar. 30.	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Receipt for tallies to be stricken on the Farmers of the Post Fines for 1,336*l.* being the sum which has been answered [directly] to the King by the several sheriffs of the counties as follows upon the determination of their accounts.	*Money Book* VI, pp. 24–5.

Prefixing: certificate dated 1683, July 29, by Bartholomew Fillingham, Deputy Clerk of the Pipe, of such sums of money of tho Post Fines as have been answered to the King directly by the sheriffs as above or otherwise discharged by the late Act of General Pardon: the said Post Fines having been demised by indenture dated 1661, April 29, to Thomas, late Earl of Berks[hire], and Sir Robert Howard, kt. at 2,276*l.* *per an.* rent; [under the terms of which farm the said grantees are entitled to an allowance for all sums so answered direct or pardoned], viz.:

money answered to the King by the sheriffs in 1673–4.

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
of co. Bucks	64	9	8
,, Hunt.	53	18	4
,, Southampton	42	9	5

money discharged by judgment of Court upon the late Act of Pardon, in the sheriffs' account (in 1673).

of co. Bucks	3	15	0

moneys answered to the King by the sheriffs (in 1675).

of co. Beds	55	14	2
,, Berks	34	10	2
,, Bucks	52	18	3
,, Cumberland	29	0	0
,, Derby	8	14	10
,, Devon	31	2	1
,, Dorset	50	17	6
,, Essex	4	9	9
,, Gloucester	53	16	0
,, Leicester	14	1	10
,, Lincoln	17	0	4
,, London [and] Middlesex	213	8	4
,, Monmouth	11	14	2
,, Northampton	71	9	5
,, Nottingham	36	6	5½
,, Salop	42	17	1
,, Somerset	81	17	1
,, Stafford	9	11	8
,, Suffolk	164	11	8
,, Southampton	40	10	3
,, Surrey	111	5	0
,, Sussex (in part of 69*l.* 3*s.* 2*d.*)	31	1	11½
,, Westmorland	1	6	8
York city	3	0	11
Liberty of Audley	0	2	0
	£1,336	0	0

The rent of 2,276*l.* *per an.* reserved for the farm of said Post Fines is fully answered up to 1674, Sept. 29, and there is now due 2,276*l.* thereon for one whole year to 1675, Sept. 29. Towards this rent there has been paid as follows, viz.:

	l.
to the executors of Lady Barbara Villers for two successive half years to 1676, Lady day, on her yearly pension	500

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1685.	*l.* to Sir Robert Clayton, kt. and John Morris, esq. for the half years endod 1675, Christmas, and 1676, June 24, on their annuity or yearly sum .. .. 200 to Tho. Aram, gent. for the same half years on his like annuity or yearly sum 140 to Edward Bull, gent. for the same half years on his like annuity .. .. .. 100 £940 Thus leaving 1,336*l.* of rent due [which sum is balanced by the abovesaid tallies of allowance hereby to be made to said Farmers].	
Mar. 30.	Five several similar warrants, each for tallies for 1,336*l.* as above ; based upon five several like certificates as above [presumably for the respective years ending 1676, 1677, 1678, 1679, 1680.]	*Money Book* VI, p. 25.
	A like warrant for tallies for 1,164*l.* 7*s.* 5*d.* based upon the like certificate [presumably for the year ended 1681.]	*Ibid.*
	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to the Auditor of the Receipt, Surveyor General of Crown Lands, Surveyor General of Works and the Clerk of the Pells of the petition of Paul Jodrell, Clerk to the House of Commons, as by a reference from the King dated Whitehall, Mar. 27 inst., "the King being graciously disposed to gratify petitioner." Petitioner sets forth that he lately came to his said office and has endeavoured his utmost for the preservation of the books and other things belonging thereto, for future service, he finding same in a very disordered manner: that he apprehends such disorders have happened by reason there hath not been for many years any place of habitation appointed for the Clerk of the Commons (as the Clerk of the House of Lords has had, which is annexed to his office) for the more convenient execution of his said office : that he has discovered that the King has a title to an old ruinous house and a little garden plot and some decayed rooms and appurtenances near the place where his said office is executed and is willing [at his own charge] to assert the King's right thereto : therefore prays a grant thereof for the better preservation and more convenient execution of his said office. The house and premises mentioned are in the possession of one Widow Madge or of Sir — Becher under her and are situate in Westminster next adjoining to the Court of Wards at the west end of Westminster Hall between the Old Palace Yard and the Fishyard, and were formerly enjoyed by the usher of the Court of Wards.	*Reference Book* III, pp. 40–1.
	Same by same to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of Gyles Lytcot, Comptroller General of the accompts of the Customs, showing that he having lately petitioned for a renewal of his patent of said office (void by the late King's death) the Customs Commissioners had reported thereon that he had performed his duty with great skill and industry and further advised that he might have a new patent with [additional] clauses to make him Comptroller of the Four and a Half *per cent.* duty in the Barbados : that he was presented to his said	*Ibid*, p. 42.

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1685.	office when the late Lord Shaftesbury was in the Commission of the Treasury and said Lord for some displeasure refused him publicly, but the rest of the Treasury Lords and the Customs Commissioners insisted upon having petitioner into the said employment whereupon he was admitted, but Lord Shaftesbury took off part of his salary: further that the accounts of the Plantation duties under the Act of 25 Car. II, c. 7, will require more pains in stating by the new methods now pursued by the Customs Commissioners besides the stating the accounts of the Four and a Half *per cent.* duty: therefore praying some additional salary.	
Mar. 30.	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to Auditor Aldworth of the statement of account of interest due from the King to Charles Toll to 1685, April 1. *Prefixing:* said statement. *l.* *s.* *d.* on 34,441*l.* remainder of 39,441*l.* due to Toll .. .. 566 8 3 on 20,000*l.* due to Anthony Sturt, senr. and junr. .. .. 1,018 4 6 on 36,000*l.* due to Edward Noell .. 964 11 10 on 4,000*l.* due to James Nihill .. 246 15 9 Total interest .. .. 2,796 0 4 Total principal 94,441 0 0	*Reference Book* III, p. 42.
	Same by same to Richard Graham, Phillip Burton and William Shaw of the following proposal. *Prefixing:* proposal of Lady Grace Pierpoint and John Savile, esq., touching the estate of Ford, Lord Grey, and touching the sum of 10,000*l.* due to them upon a mortgage of part of said estate. The said proposers will advance 16,000*l.* to be repaid them with interest together with said 10,000*l.* and interest thereon out of the growing profits of said estate, provided that if said estate do not reimburse them the said 16,000*l.* and interest the King will otherwise repay them the same or so much thereof as shall not be paid them out of said estate.	*Ibid*, p. 43.
	Same by same to Auditor Aldworth of the statement of account of interest due to Richard Kent and Charles Duncombe up to 1685, Mar. 25, on money lent for his Majesty's service. *Prefixing:* said account. *interest.* *l.* *s.* *d.* on 235,000*l.* due to them 1684, Dec. 25, on an account made up to that date, viz. 100,000*l.* on the Customs, 72,000*l.* on the Hearth-money and 63,000*l.* on the Excise 3,476 12 7 on 20,000*l.* advanced 1684–5, Mar. 5, on a tally of loan .. 65 15 0 3,542 7 7 Deduction of 1 *per cent.* on 50,000*l.* from Dec. 25 last .. .. .. 123 5 8 3,419 1 11 Total principal money .. .. ..255,000 0 0 [*repayments of principal and deductions for interim interest thereon.*]	*Ibid*, pp. 44–5.

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1685.		
	interest.	
	l. s. d.	
	1684–5, Jan. 5, 2,000*l.* [repaid] in part of 100,000*l.* 25 19 5	
	1684–5, Jan. 13, 2,000*l.* in part of ditto 23 6 10	
	1684–5, Jan. 27, 4,000*l.* in part of ditto 37 9 7	
	1684–5, Feb. 10, 2,000*l.* in part of ditto 14 2 8	
	1684–5, Feb. 11, 13,300*l.* in part of ditto 91 16 4	
	1684–5, Mar. 18, 1,700*l.* and 300*l.* in part of ditto 2 6 0	
	1685, Mar. 25, 2,000*l.* in part of ditto	
	£195 0 10	
	Total repayment of interest 27,300*l.*, leaving a balance of principal due, at the foot of this account, of 227,700*l.*	
	l. s. d.	
	Total net interest due, after deduction of said 195*l.* 0*s.* 10*d.* .. 3,224 1 1	
	The balance of principal is charged as follows:	
	l.	
	on the Customs 72,700	
	,, Hearthmoney 72,000	
	,, Excise 63,000	
	,, Exchequer loans 20,000	
	£227,700	
Mar. 30.	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of William Christian for renewal of his patent as Cutomer of Carlisle port.	*Reference Book* III, p. 46.
[?]	Same by same to same of the petition of John Anguish for renewal of his patent as Comptroller of Lynn Regis port.	*Ibid.*
Mar. 30 (31).	Treasurer Rochester to Sir Richard Dutton [Governor of Barbados]. From your letter of Dec. 26 last it appears that you have made a discovery of an estate of above 400*l.* formerly belonging to James Holloway executed here [in England] for high treason. It is the King's pleasure that you apply same to the satisfaction of so much of your salary as shall be due at that time, giving discharges under your hand to the factors and correspondents of said Holloway. Since your arrival at Barbados Samuel Hanson has been fined 200*l.* to the King, 150*l.* whereof you had before received. You are likewiso to apply said 200*l.* to your salary. You are forthwith to transmit [to me] accounts of these sums. It is the King's pleasure (and this is likewise to be a rule to all others in chief command) that upon discovery or adjudication of any moneys accruing to the King you do not tako upon you to charge yourself with any such money or parts of the King's revenue but that you gave notice thereof with all the encouragement and assistance you can to the King's receiver and other officers employed in the care of the revenue so that same may be received and accompted for by them to the King.	*Out Letters* (*Plantations Auditor*) I, pp. 161-2. *Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 41.

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1685.	I shall not need to say anything at present as to the fines of Sir John Witham, as the King has admitted his appeal and given other directions in the whole matter. The King is well satisfied with your care in providing for the management and receipt of the Four and a Half *per cent.* duty until the arrival of orders from England.	
Mar. 31.	Privy seal for 20,000*l.* to Robert Werden for the use and service of the Queen Consort, without account: the King intending "to make a suitable addition to the jointure of our dearest Consort the Queen, for the support of her royal estate and dignity and it being also our pleasure that in the meantime such sums of money shall be furnished at the Receipt of our Exchequer as shall be necessary for the use and service of our said dearest Consort until the settlement of the said addition to her jointure can be made and perfected."	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 49.
	Royal warrant to the Attorney or Solicitor General for a great seal for a demise to Robert Saunders, gent. of "all that our ancient duty arising within our county of Cornwall, commonly called or known by the name of the Post Groats, being 4*d.* payable by the tinners there for every hundredweight of tin coined between Michaelmas and Midsummer yearly": to hold same during pleasure, paying a rental of 10*l. per an.*, payable half yearly either into the Receipt of the Exchequer or to the Receiver of the Duchy of Cornwall.	*Ibid*, p. 67.
	Royal sign manual for the issue of the following sums on the 10,000*l.* dormant privy seal of Feb. 27 last, viz.:	*Ibid*, p. 69. *Money Book* VI, pp. 28, 29. *Order Book* I, pp. 7, 8.
	320*l.* 5*s.* 0*d.* to Sir Henry Goodrick as Envoy Extraordinary from Charles II to Spain: as in part of 360*l.* 6*s.* 0*d.* for his oxtraordinaries therein 1679, June 12, to Nov. 8, his bill for said sum being allowed the 27 inst. by the Earl of Sunderland with the exception of one article therein for 37*l.* for glazing his house.	
	606*l.* to John Robinson for 606 days 1682–3, Feb. 1, to 1684, Sept. 29, residing at Sweden by order of Charles II till the King's Envoy to that Coutr should arrive there.	
	100*l.* to Philip Rycaut, Agent and Consul General, for Charles II, at Algiers in Barbary for half a year 1684, April 25, to Oct. 25, on his 200*l. per an.* for his support and maintenance in that employment.	
	(Three money warrants datod April 3 hereon for the above three sums respectively. Three money orders dated April 4 hereon for said sums respectively. The money warrant for said Goodrick contains the statement of said bill of extraordinaries as follows:	
	Madrid, Nov. 8, 1679. Sir Henry Goodrick, Envoy Extraordinary to the Catholic King, craves allowance of the following extraordinaries, 1679, June 12, to Nov. 8.	
	l. s. d.	
	for passing privy seals, warrants, Exchequer fees and two passes to leave the kingdom 48 0 0	
	the charges of my journey to Brussels to receive his Royal Highness's [the Duke of York's] commands .. 46 0 0	

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1685.		
		l. *s.* *d.*
	to the ship that transported my family from London to St. Andero	67 0 0
	for boats to land them and the goods	6 0 0
	for the carriage of my family, being 16 persons with their diet from St. Andero to Madrid at 12*s.* apiece 18 days more than allowance	82 16 0
	for carriage of furniture and goods in six carts to Madrid	55 0 0
	fees at several Custom houses	33 0 0
	for the King's arms	5 0 0
	to the officers of the Currios	17 10 0
	for glazing my house	37 0 0
		£397 6 0
	Followed by allowance dated Whitehall, Mar. 27 inst., by Secretary Sunderland of the above bill, "except the last article."	
Mar. 31.	Royal sign manual for the issue out of the abovesaid dormant privy seal of 471*l.* to Edward Randolph (who has ever since 1675 been employed here [in England] and in New England in reducing that Province [of New England] to the obedience of our laws and government, which is now accomplished): all as in full satisfaction of his charges and disbursements in eight several voyages to and from there and in prosecuting the *Quo Warranto* brought against the Charter granted to the Colony of Massachusetts Bay, and also of the great losses he sustained in his goods by storms at sea [the accounts for] which have been examined by William Blathwayte and sworn to by said Randolph. (Money warrant dated April 3 hereon. Money order dated April 4 hereon.)	*King's Warrant Book* X, pp. 69–70. *Money Book* VI, p. 27. *Order Book* I, p. 7.
	Money warrant for 200*l.* to Anthony Stephens for one year to 1682, Sept. 29, on his salary as one of the [Exchequer Court] auditors of the revenue.	*Money Book* VI, p. 23.
	Same for 40*l.* to William Norrington, Receiver General for co. Essex, of the late Seventeen Months' Tax, Poll, Eighteen Months' Tax and Six Months' Tax, as a reward for his charges in bringing up the moneys of the said taxes from time to time: the [late] Agents for Arrears of Taxes (viz. Sir Richard Mason, since deceased, and Bartholomew Fillingham) having reported that above 60,000*l.* passed through petitioner's hands and that he was always looked upon to be a very good and diligent receiver and as they believed brought up the greatest part of those assessments to London at his own charge in specie and that all his accounts are clear to about 65*l.* Before the present warrant be satisfied Norrington is to pay in the said 65*l.* remaining in his hands. (Money order dated April 7 hereon.)	*Ibid*, p. 32. *Order Book* I, p. 9.
	Royal warrant to the Clerk of the Signet for a privy seal for the felling of timber in Whittlewood Forest (viz. in the coppices called Chambersaile, Hawkspath, Buckingham-Thicks, Little Cattshill and other coppices there) up to the value of 12,000*l.* in all: the proceeds whereof are hereby to be paid into the Receipt for the Earl of Arlington: the present privy seal being in effect merely a renewal of the privy seal of 1684, April 30, *ut supra*, *Calendar of Treasury Books*, Vol. VII, pp. 1112-3, "by virtue of	*King's Warrant Book* X, pp. 70–2. *Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, pp. 45–7.

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1685.	which privy seal and of a warrant dated 1684, May 6, in pursuance thereof there have been felled so many trees there as have produced 2,000*l.* or thereabouts, which is paid or intended to be paid into the Receipt. It is hereby directed that warrant be given for felling such timber *ut supra, ibid.* to a total value *ut supra, ibid.* and under such regulations and directions etc. *ut supra, ibid.*: and that all the receipts for such timber be kept apart in the Exchequer and issued to said Earl from time to time as it shall be paid in: all as royal bounty without account. (Treasurer Rochester's warrant accordingly dated May 2 to Sir William Farmer, bart., William Harbord, Surveyor General of Crown lands, Tho. Agar, Surveyor General of Woods [Trent South], Tho. Newton, woodward of said forest, Henry Farmer, esq., and Sam. Rolt, gent. for the marking and felling such timber, etc.)	
Mar. 31.	Warrant from Treasurer Rochester to employ Charles Orchard (Customer of Exeter and Barnstaple ports with their members) as Collector of Exeter port for his patent salary [as Customer] only: he to reside in the head port of Exeter. The salary of 50*l. per an.* allowed to the present waiter and searcher at Margate for keeping a horse, is to be applied to the maintenance of a boat and two men with the addition of 5*l. per an.*; one of the boatmen to have the command of the boat at 30*l. per an.*, the other at 25*l. per an.*: John Kneebone to have the command of the boat: as proposed by the Customs Commissioners the 16 and 23 inst. Christopher Merret [present waiter and searcher of Margate] to be removed to be waiter and searcher in Boston port *loco* Adam Howes, deceased. Robert Walbanke (Walbank) and Tho. Howard to be inserted in the establishment as tidesmen in fee, Bristol port, to complete the establishment of that port "and to make their number twenty." Timothy Bearcliffe as a tidesman, Berwick port *loco* Tho. James, lately deceased.	*Out Letters* (*Customs*) X, pp. 12, 13.
	Henry Guy to the Auditor of the Receipt to advance to the Earl of Arlington what money has been paid into the Receipt and now remains there, arising by the sale of timber in Whittlewood Forest and not exceeding 12,000*l.*; as the King has confirmed the grant thereof to the said Earl and a privy soal is now passing, which with the other warrants [to authorise such advance as herein] will be sent you as soon as may be.	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 16.
	Same to same to issue to Auditor Stephens the 200*l.* paid into the Exchequer by Visct. Falkland, Treasurer of the Navy, [as repayment of money] formerly imprested to him [Falkland, for the Navy].	*Ibid.*
	Same to same to issue as follows out of such money of the Customs, Hearthmoney and Excise money as is directed to be this week paid into the Exchequer viz.: *Out of Customs.* to the Treasurer of the Navy in part of 7,743*l.* 5*s.* 0*d.* for one quarter more to the yards at Chatham and Sheerness .. .. 2,336 18 0 to ditto to finish the demands for fitting out several ships to sea .. 310 0 0	*Ibid*, pp. 17, 18.

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1685.		*l.*	*s.*	*d.*	
	to ditto for Mr. Taylor according to his new contract, to perfect the sum for the month of March	2,282	0	0	
	to ditto towards paying off the sea officers and [Navy] bills etc. in course according to directions lately sent to the Navy Commissioners	400	0	0	
	to ditto for the Victuallers' weekly money	600	0	0	
	to the Treasurer of the Ordnance [for one week on the Ordnance Office's] weekly money	1,000	0	0	
	to Philip Packer, in further part of Sir Christopher Wren's estimate for preparing for the Coronation: [to be paid] by way of advance ..	400	0	0	
	Out of Hearthmoney.				
	to the Treasurer of the Navy in full of 7,743*l.* 5*s.* 0*d.* for one quarter more to the yards at Chatham and Sheerness	5,406	7	0	
	Out of Excise.				
	to Charles Fox, Paymaster of the Forces	5,000	0	0	
	to the trustees of the Duke of St. Albans by way of advance.. ..	750	0	0	
	to me [Guy] for secret service ..	375	0	0	
	to Sir Robt. Vyner towards the charge of the Coronation: by way of advance	500	0	0	
	to Sir John James and partners in full of all	500	0	0	
	to Sir William Killigrew	125	0	0	
		£19,985	5	0	

(Same dated Mar. [*sic.* for Apr.] 2 to the Customs Cashier, enclosing the paper of the disposition of the Customs cash for the present week, the said paper including the first seven of the abovesaid items [payable out of Customs money in the Exchequer] together with the following item [payable direct out of the Customs Office on tallies] viz. 2,000*l.* to Richard Kent and Charles Duncombe in [further] repayment of loan. Total disposition, 9,328*l.* 18*s.* 0*d.*)

(Same dated April 2 to the Commissioners of Excise and Hearthmoney, enclosing the paper of the disposition of the cash of Excise and Hearthmoney for the present week; said paper including the last seven items of the abovesaid sums [payable out of the Exchequer] together with the following items [payable directly out of the Excise Office on tallies] viz. 1,000*l.* to Mr. Toll in part of his debt; 500*l.* to Mr. Hornby in part of his debt; 1,500*l.* to Mr. Freind and Calvert in part of their debt: total disposition, 15,656*l.* 7*s.* 0*d.*, 10,250*l.* thereof out of Excise and 5,406*l.* 7*s.* 0*d.* thereof out of Hearthmoney.)

Mar. 31. Treasurer Rochester to Edwyn Stede, Receiver [General of Revenues], Barbados. By order in Council of Jan. 21 last the King has ordered that the bond given at Barbados by Capt. Richd. Young, commander of the ship *Malaga Merchant*, be prosecuted for the escape of Samuel Hanson, the King's prisoner; *Out Letters* (*Plantations Auditor*) I, p. 162. *Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 40.

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1685.	and Sir Richard Dutton is to levy the 2,000*l.* [penalty] of said bond and put it into your hands. You are to remit this sum by bills of exchange to Henry Guy with the first opportunity, after deduction of the damage that any private person shall appear to have sustained by the said forfeiture according to law as also the necessary charges of prosecution and remittal. Send vouchers of these deductions. You are without delay to send a stated accompt of all moneys received by you or outstanding debts belonging to the King since your being Receiver "that orders may be given therein."	
Mar. 31.	Henry Guy to Mr. Portman. As you are the person employed by Sir Tho. Littleton to pass his accounts you are to forthwith attend the Auditors of Imprests therewith as the auditors are to prepare same for declaration with all dispatch. If you fail herein process *ad computandum* will issue against him.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 39.
	Same to the Customs Commissioners. On your report on the petition of William Bird and others, bonelacemakors *ut infra*, you are to give them or their nominee a testimonial recommending them to the Customs officers in all the ports of England to assist them in searching for and seizing foreign bone lace imported contrary to law: "and likowise to give Treasurer Rochestor an account from time to timo of what proceedings are made thereupon."	*Ibid.*
	Treasurer Rochester to the Justices [of Peace] of co. Devon. I have received your certificate on the petition of William Bird *et al.* on behalf of themselves and the rest of the bone lace makers in the towns of Honiton, Ottery and other places in co. Devon. You thereby certify me of tho great decay of trading and of the manufacture itself among those petitioners caused by the importation of foreign lace and you have desired me to make such provision among tho Customs officers as might prevent such importation for the future. On reference thereof to the Customs Commissioners they report that all imaginable care and industry has been already used by them to provent such importation and that great quantities of that commodity have been and are daily seized by the Customs officers who will be always ready on any reasonable notice from petitioners to assist in searching for and seizing same. I have directed them to reserve a moiety of the value of such seizures to the informer and to give the petitioners or their agents a testimonial *ut supra*: which is the most effectual means to prevent the said importation of foreign lace for the future. I will require an account hereof from time to time from the Customs Commissioners "that your desires herein may be the better answored."	*Ibid*, p. 43.
	Henry Guy to Mr. Frowd. I am to send you the enclosed [missing] which is only a form to guide the Receiver of the Post Office in making his weekly certificates to the Lord Treasurer. The first certificate is to be for only five days ended yesterday; the subsequent certificates for every week successively are to end on Monday inclusively and to be presented to the Lord Treasurer every Tuesday afternoon. No further payments are to be made on the Duchess of Cleveland's pension out of the said [Post	*Ibid*, p. 40.

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1685.	Office] revenue till a warrant for same be issued by the Lord Treasurer.	
Mar. 31.	Report by Treasurer Rochester to the King on the petition of the inhabitants of Guernsey as by the reference of Feb. 17 last praying the like benefit they formerly had, and as enjoyed by the inhabitants of Jersey, of importing coals from Newcastle, Swansea and other ports [enjoyed] till their licences were obstructed by the Customs Commissioners. Hereon the said Commissioners have reported to me that the collector (charter) of Guernsea limits the transport of coals and other goods from England to Guernsey to the ports of London, Southampton, Weymouth, Poole, Lyme and Plymouth and that thereupon they refused to permit the export of coals from Newcastle and Swansea; but that there does not occur to them any reason why the inhabitants of Guernsey should not enjoy the like privileges as those of Jersey provided the coals be restricted to a quantity not exceeding 300 Newcastle chaldrons yearly.	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, p. 27.
	Warrant by same to the Surveyor General of Crown Lands for a particular and ratal of the fishing of the river of Tamar called Calstock Weir with a view to a lease thereof to Sir Richard Edgcomb for 99 years terminable on three lives at the yearly rents of 10*l.*, 26*s.* 8*d.*, and 4*s.* and fine of 40*l.* *Prefixing:* (*a*) note of said Edgcomb's petition as referred Feb. 5 last *supra Calendar of Treasury Books*, Vol. VII, p. 1526. (*b*) Report dated Mar. 16 from the said Surveyor General thereon. The said fishing being in decay at the Restoration was thought by Sir Richd. Prideaux to be of little or no value, but if [the weir were] put in repair he conceived it might be worth 50*l. per an.* (including the rents): "which was done by this petitioner's father at the taking the lease in 1661." It requires so great and constant a care and cost to keep [up the weir] that no undertenant will undertake it and so lies wholly upon the lessee and hath been much damnified by the floods and ice these two last winters, and is only a royalty which he lets with others of his own in the same river that are of better value. The rents of 10*l.* and 26*s.* 8*d.* I think so high that a fine of 40*s.* may suffice for adding two lives therein upon exchange of his sister's: and 4*s.* [as rent *per an.* will suffice] for the other decayed fishing in Landulph which is nothing worth.	*Ibid*, p. 28.
	Same by same to the Customs Commissioners to discharge the seizure of the ship *Adventure* of Whitehaven of 80 tons burden, William Woodall master and principal owner: the case thereof being as stated *supra Calendar of Treasury Books*, Vol. VII, p. 1525, as appears by the report from the Customs Commissioners of Mar. 11 inst.	*Ibid*, pp. 29–30.
	Privy seal for the payment to Sir Henry Goodrick as Envoy Extraordinary for the late King to the King of Spain of such sums as are due to him as such "which respective sums cannot be paid unto him without our letters of privy seal directing the same, by reason that his former letters of privy seal for payment thereof are determined by the said late King's death."	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 117.

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1685. April 1.	Henry Guy to Mr. Stephens [Cashier to the Treasurer of the Navy] to advance to Visct. Falkland for the discharge of the *Mary* yacht the 145*l.* 17*s.* 0*d.* mentioned in a letter from the Navy Commissioners. That sum shall be appointed you [by the Treasury Lords] next week without fail.	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 16.
	Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners. It appears from Richard Kent's account for the year ended 1683, Sept. 29, as Receiver General and Cashier of Customs, that there is in several [Customs] Collectors' hands 30,400*l.* in money besides bonds. You are to effectually prosecute such collectors as have not already cleared the said arrears so that the King may speedily have an account of the said moneys.	*Out Letters* (*Customs*) X, p. 14.
	Henry Guy to same. In a letter to Mr. Blathwaite of Jan. 9 last Sir William Stapleton, Governor of the Leeward Islands, has proposed that one of the Commissioners or Collectors for the Four and a Half *per cent.* duty be resident at Antigua, where he says there is most likelihood of the King's being defrauded of his right, and that through the multiplicity of shipping places: another thing is to get beams and scales which he says will quit cost, the cask being of an extraordinary bigness. Treasurer Rochester desires you to consider this. The King has appointed Col. Stede to be Lieutenant Governor of Barbados and given him leave to make a deputy to act for [him in] the Four and a Half *per cent.* duty.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 42.
	Same to Mr. Pepys for a copy of the last establishment of half pay for the flag officers.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Solicitor General. Send the Lord Treasurer your opinion on the enclosed papers [missing, being the same alluded to *supra*, pp. 87–8] concerning Plantation goods.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Darcy and partners. Have you [or the Great Wardrobe] ever furnished any colours for the three Troops of Horse Guards?	*Ibid.*
	Royal sign manual to Edwyn Steede. By commission of Mar. 30 last you are appointed Lieutenant Governor and Commander-in-Chief of Barbados and other the Caribbee Islands lying to windward of Guadeloupe upon the death and in the absence of Sir Richard Dutton, Captain General and Governor-in-Chief of the said islands. As soon as you enter upon the said Government you are hereby to substitute and appoint some able person, for whom you will be answerable, to be Receiver of the rents, revenues, prizes, fines, escheats, forfeitures and other duties whatsoever in the said colony of Barbados and all arrears thereof (such duties and impositions only excepted, for which the King has otherwise provided), and to answer and pay same towards the support of the Government of Barbados, as also to accompt for same pursuant to the King's directions in that behalf; with such powers etc. as were contained in your own Commission dated 1682, Dec. 20, for the like office: such powers to be exercised during the time of your being Lieutenant Governor as above, "after which you are to proceed	*King's Warrant Book* X, pp. 67–8. *Out Letters* (*Plantations Auditor*) I, p. 163.

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1685.	in the execution of the office of our Receiver as formerly."	
April 1.	Royal sign manual to Edwyn Steede, to similarly appoint an interim deputy in his own stead to be Commissioner of the Four and a Half *per cent.* duty [in Barbados and the Leeward Islands] "with all such powers, directions and authorities as have been given you for the inspection and management of our said revenue."	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 68. *Out Letters* (*Plantations Auditor*) I, p. 168.
	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners to pay 120*l.* to Henry Fanshaw, Register in the King's Remembrancer's Office, for half a year from Christmas last for his clerks in reward for their extraordinary pains and service in looking after the coast bonds. This is to be inserted in the establishment as payable by two equal sums [moieties] at Lady day and Midsummer provided Fanshaw comply with the rules proposed Nov. 11 last by the Customs Commissioners in relation to the said service.	*Money Book* VI, p. 24.
April 2.	Royal sign manual for 375*l.* to Henry Guy, for secret service, without account: to be issued on the 10,000*l.* privy seal dormant of Feb. 27 last. (Money warrant dated April 2 hereon. Money order dated April 3 hereon.)	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 74. *Money Book* VI, p. 27. *Order Book* I, p. 6.
	Henry Guy to the Customs Commissioners to send the following parcels to Treasurer Rochester's lodgings at Whitehall, "they being for the service of his lady." *Appending:* schedule of said parcels (silver and gold fringe, lace, loops, petticoat with fringe all silver etc.)	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 42.
April 3.	Same to the Auditors of Imprests, enclosing Mr. Slingsby's petition. The Lord Treasurer will appoint a day for hearing all parties concerned.	*Ibid*, p. 43.
	Treasurer Rochester to the Duchess of Portsmouth. Mr. Guy, Mr. Oglethorpe and Mr. Adderley have presented an account of the moneys by them received for the profits of the office of Master of the Horse and how they have paid same for the Duke of Richmond. By a patent of the late King they were to pay such profits to such person as the late King should direct by warrant under his sign manual. There was no such warrant obtained. They now apply for a discharge from the [present] King from all further accounts for the said profits. I send you the said account desiring you to peruse it and to return it to me with your objections if any.	*Ibid.*
	Henry Guy to the Customs Commissioners to report on the enclosed proposal [missing] for preventing frauds in the [Irish] Customs; same having been sent to the Lord Treasurer by the Revenue Commissioners, Ireland.	*Ibid*, p. 44.
	Same to the Commissioners of Excise and Hearth-money to attend the Lord Treasurer on Tuesday afternoon.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Mint Commissioners to forthwith prepare 1,000 Healing medals (for the Coronation) which will be made use of before Easter. When you let me	*Ibid.*

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1685.	know the charge of them the Lord Treasurer will provide it.	
April 3.	Henry Guy to the Auditor of the Receipt, enclosing the amended book [of lists] of pensions.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 44.
	Same to the Auditor of the Receipt to advance 100*l.* to me [Guy] for secret service out of the 600*l.* of the Four and a Half *per cent.* money now remaining in the Exchequer. You shall have a [money] warrant for same so soon as it can be passed.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Solicitor General to report on (*a*) *infra*. *Appending :* (*a*) [draft of] undated circular letter from the Treasury Lords to Sir Nicholas Crispe, collector outwards, London port, Sir John Shaw, collector inwards [*ibid.*], John Backwell, Comptroller [*ibid.*], Charles Porter, surveyor [*ibid.*], George Nicholas, surveyor genoral [*ibid.*], the five soarchers of London port, — Waterson, Rich. Smith, — Burton, Edward Brewer, William Jackson, — Kersley and all others concerned. Great complaints are made of frauds in the payment of Customs through the non-observance of the Acts of 3 Hy. VII, c. 1, 1 Eliz. c. 11, and 14 Car. II, c. 11, and more especially through the omission of exacting punctual entries upon oath of ships outward or homeward of the goods and lading and names of the merchants concerned. You are to meet and consult how same may be remedied ; and you are forthwith to return to tho Lord Treasurer an exact list and account of the several ships named in the catalogue hereto annoxed [missing] [specifying] when each of them made entry outwards and by whom, together with the names of the several mates, pursers or others who appear to have charge of same, the names of the merchants that laded same and the merchandise laded with the marks and numbers and the like account of their entrios inwards and by whom and in whose names the Customs were paid ; to the end the Lord Treasurer may have a eertain knowledge of your proceedings and how it corresponds with the said Acts and thereby what will be necessary to be done for preventing the like frauds for the future.	*Ibid*, pp. 44–5.
	Same to Mr. Chiffinch. The King does not intend to use tho diversion of hawking so much as the late King did, but yet is willing that the office be kept up at as small charge as may be. Make such retrenchments as you think fit in tho enclosed list of falconers and return to the Lord Treasurer. *Appending :* said list of the falconers : William Russell, serjeant ; James Russell, William Seakens, Thomas Dychampe, Arthur Witchell, Marmaduke Conway, Silvanus Rowley, William Poulton, Col. John Legg, Peter Crowles, John Potter, John Preston, Thomas Duffield, Thomas Cooke, Richard Eedes, Richars Milles, John Silvester, John Ryves, John Bacon, Philip Berenbrooke, Nicholas Poole, John Garrell, John Bradford, Andrew Holmes, William Prettiman, Thomas Daniell, falconers. Some of them have double places. The salary of all these falconers is 1,440*l. per an.* and the salary of the Master [of the Hawks] and all charges that belong to buying of hawks is 1,372*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.*, the total being 2,812*l.* 10*s.* 0*d. per an.*	*Ibid*, p. 45.

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1685. April 3.	Henry Guy to Mr. Kent [Customs Cashier] to pay the sums already due to the Earls of Sunderland and Middleton, the Principal Secretaries of State, for last Lady day quarter on their 1,850*l. per an.*: and to continue same from time to time hereafter.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 45.
	Same to Mr. Darcy *et al.* The Queen would have the inner little bedchamber (wherein the Queen Dowager now is) furnished with a grey cloth bed with such quilts and bedding and such hangings for the room and closet as the Queen shall direct. You are to attend her Majesty with the patterns of the cloth and as to the choice of the hangings and then acquaint the Lord Treasurer therewith. Also you are to provide the scarlet cloth for the three servants as in the following order of Council, according to the proportions certified by Mr. Townsend. *Appending:* copy of an order of the King in Council dated Whitehall, April 1, made upon the petition of Philip Kinnersly, Peter Hume, and John Chase, the King's servants in the Removing Wardrobe, showing that at the Coronation of the late King [they] and divers others their predecessors had scarlet cloth allowed to make them robes in which they officiated at the altar and in several other places at that great solemnity: it is hereby ordered that the Lord Treasurer grant them such quantity of scarlet cloth as he shall think necessary.	*Ibid*, p. 46
	Same to Sir Gilbert Talbott. The method his Majesty has taken is to be informed by the Masters of [the various departments or] offices what retrenchment may be made in each office. You are to inform the Lord Treasurer what may reasonably be retrenched in the enclosed list [missing] of the officers of the Jewel Office.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Darcy *et al.* to provide new furniture as follows for the House of Peers, except 160 ells of canvas to make sacks and cover stools and forms, 12 todd of wool for stuffing all the forms and stools which are appointed for the Lords and hay to fill the said sacks with; "which you are not to provide. The rest of the furniture is to be got ready with all expedition." *Appending:* letter dated Mar. 31 from the Earl of Arlington, Lord Chamberlain, to the Earl of Rochester. There is great necessity of new covering the benches and woolsacks and seats in the House of Peers, the present furniture being old and unfit for further service: and the furniture of the Archbishop of Canterbury's room, the Lord Chancellor's room, the Lord Treasurer's room and the Lord Great Chamberlain's rooms are old and unserviceable. Please order the following to be delivered to Sir Tho. Duppa, kt., Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod, for making ready the House of Peers against the Coronation on April 23rd next, the Parliament also being to sit on May 19 next, viz.: 22 pieces of say of the largest size, 160 ells of canvas to make sacks and cover stools and forms, 12 todd of wool for stuffing all the forms and stools which are appointed for the Lords and to pay for hay to fill the said sacks: and to provide thread, lyars and nails: and that the two seats on both sides the [chair of] state be covered with crimson velvet, nailed down with silver and gold galloon lace:	*Ibid*, p. 47.

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1685.	and also as much green serge as will hang the Archbishop of Canterbury's room, the Lord Chancellor's, the Lord Treasurer's and the Lord Great Chamberlain's, to be done in all respects as they were before: also nine great pewter candlesticks and four pair of snuffers for the House of Peers and Prince's lodgings, six lesser candlesticks and four pair of snuffers for the Archbishops, Chancellor's, Treasurer's and Great Chamberlain's rooms; four large pewter candlesticks and one pair of snuffers for the Painted Chamber, nine close stools with double pans and nine pewter chamber pots; seven dozen of Turkey work chairs; one red cloth cushion for the bishop to kneel upon that reads prayers: and to pay for the workmanship of all the premises and to furnish what else shall be needful for that service against April 23 next: "these having been the particulars formerly allowed for furnishing the House of Peers and rooms adjoining and after this manner whensoever it was new furnished."	
April 3.	New money warrant for 8,000*l.* to Richard Kent and Charles Duncombe in satisfaction of the like sum lent by them at the Exchequer 1684, May 7, for which they had an order of repayment dated same day with 6 *per cent.* interest and 2 *per cent.* reward "which order became of no force upon the death of his late Majesty." By virtue of the privy seal of Mar. 25 last 6 *per cent.* interest is hereby to be paid (or to be made into principal at the end of every quarter) on said loan from 1684, May 7. The said former order is hereby to be cancelled. (Money order dated April 7 hereon. *In the margin:* to be paid out of the moneys arising by the sale of tin farthings.)	*Money Book* VI, p. 26. *Order Book* I, p. 10.
	Dormant warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Cashier to pay Charles Orchard the yearly fee or salary of 83*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.* as Customer of Exeter and 50*l. per an.* as Customer of Barnstaple.	*Money Book* VI, p. 27.
	Money warrant for 10,000*l.* to Philip Packer, as imprest and in part of the 20,000*l.* as by the privy seal of Mar. 31 last for the service of the Works. (Money order dated April 4 hereon.)	*Ibid*, p. 27. *Order Book* I, p. 6.
	Same for 1,715*l.* to Richard, Visct. Preston, for 343 days to Mar. 9 last on his ordinary of 5*l.* a day as late Envoy Extraordinary to France. (Money order dated April 6 hereon.)	*Money Book* VI, p. 30. *Order Book* I, p. 11.
	Same for 821*l.* 14*s.* 0*d.* to same for his extraordinaries 1684, Mar. 31, to Sept. 30 as Envoy etc. as above. *Appending:* bill of said extras as allowed Nov. 24 last by the Earl of Sunderland.	*Money Book* VI, pp. 30–1, *Order Book* I, p. 10.

	Livres Tournois.
For my journey with this Court into Flanders, being of 50 days, viz. 1684, April 22, to June 10, at 5*l.* a day additional to my ordinary as was allowed to me when I followed this King the year before 250*l.* sterling or	3,075 0
For prints, gazettes, copies of papers, Gazettes à la main, and postage of inland letters	654 4

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1685.		
		Livres Tournois.
	Postage of letters from England .. 1,487 10	
	For my journey to Versailles and for sending servants and expresses at several times thither about business 537 18	
	For a pound of ultramarino for the King at the rate of 36 Louis d'or the pound and for two pound of lacque at 6 Louis d'or 462 0	
	For bonfires and other expenses at the rejouissance for the taking of Luxembourg, which all people here were obliged to make .. 60 0	
	For intelligence 1,551 16	
	Carriage of goods coming from England and Customs paid for them 568 2	
	Voyage to Chambord 881 0	
	Voyages to Fontainebleau 453 10	
	Interest for plate for six months, 30*l.* sterling or 390 0	
	10,121 0	
	Which at the rate of 1,230 *livres Tournois* per 100*l.* sterling is .. 821 14 0	
	(Money order dated April 6 hereon.)	
April 3.	Money warrant for 300*l.* to Richard, Visct. Preston, for his extraordinary attendance upon the French King in his first voyage, at 5*l.* a day "which was omitted in all his bills of extraordinaries hitherto allowed."	*Money Book* VI, p. 31. *Order Book* I, p. 10.
	Appending: bill of said extraordinary as allowed Mar. 23 last by Secretary Sunderland. (Money order dated April 6 hereon.)	
	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Auditor of the Receipt [*sic erratum* for the Customs Cashier] to pay John Langwith 15*l.* for 1685, Lady day quarter, on his allowance of 3*s.* 4*d.* a day as messenger attending the Customs.	*Money Book* VI, p. 32.
	Allowance by same of said Langwith's bill of 15*l.* for the same term's allowance as messenger attending the Lord Treasurer.	*Ibid.*
	Money warrant for 3,000*l.* to Robt. Werden in part of 20,000*l.* as by the privy seal of Mar. 31 last for the Queen's use and service without account. (Money order dated April 7 hereon.)	*Ibid*, p. 33. *Order Book* I, p. 13.
	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Cashier to pay 340*l.* 14*s.* 4*d.* and 37*l.* 15*s.* 4*d.* to Henry Ayloffe, the King's Remembrancer, for parchment and other necessaries (detailed) for the blank books of the Customs (customers, comptrollers and searchers) for respectively all the [out]ports of England and Wales and for London port: all for one year beginning at Christmas last.	*Money Book* VI, p. 33.
	Same by same to same to pay 45*l.* 12*s.* 0*d.* to said Ayloffe for the fees due to himself and his clerks heretofore usually paid to him by the customers of the several ports of England and Wales, viz.: for passing their accounts for the year ended Christmas, 1684.	*Ibid*, p. 34.
	Same by same to the Barons of the Exchequer to swear William Fall into his place as	*Out Letters* (*Customs*) X, p. 14.

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1685.	Comptroller of Plymouth port, he having a reversionary grant thereof after Lewis Stewkly, whose patent thereof is determined by the death of Charles II.	
April 3.	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of Antho. Segar on behalf of his son Charles Segar for renewal of his patent as a landwaiter, Bristol port, and for his salary to be raised from 15*l.* to 30*l. per an.*	*Reference Book* III, p. 47.
	Same by same to the Mint Commissioners of the petition of Thomas Hall, chief clerk [of the Mint] and clerk of the Papers of the Mint for renewal of his patent, void by the late King's death.	*Ibid*, p. 48.
April 4.	Henry Guy to the Customs Commissioners to advise what additional salary Giles Lytcott may deserve for keeping the accounts of the Plantation duties, and also of the Four and a Half *per cent.* duty in Barbados and the Leeward Islands.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 48.
	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to the Revenue Commissioners, Ireland, of the petition of Edmund Barry, esq., for a grant of the office of searcher and gauger of the port of Cork *loco* Robert Williams, deceased.	*Reference Book* III, p. 47.
	Same by same to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of William Geddes, master of the ship *Alexander* of Inverness in Ireland [*sic*] (as by a reference from the King dated the 26th ult.): petitioner shewing that in July, 1683, he engaged with George Jackman, Joseph Jones and others in a voyage from Southampton to Delaware river in America for transporting passengers, household stuff etc. for the Plantations; that he arrived there safely and delivered the passengers etc. in good condition and preparing to return home Mr. Penn the Quaker, called a pretended Court of Admiralty and condemned the said ship and afterwards sold the ship at 300*l.* [boing] far below the value, whereby petitioner and his family are ruined: therefore prays relief.	*Ibid.*
	Same by same to the Commissioners of Excise and Hearthmoney of the petition of Edmund Anguish for a place in the Customs or Hearthmoney, being aged and unable by losses to maintain his family.	*Ibid*, p. 49.
	Same by same to Richard Graham and Philip Burton of the petition of William Haveland; shewing that he was employed by several merchants to clothe and put aboard servants to send to the Plantations, that he has been lately convicted and stood three times in the pillory and was fined 500 marks and now lies in custody for his fine for doing something contrary to the order in Council of 1682, Dec., about the merchant tailors and factors; that one Winch, Camp and Bryan have petitioned for his said fine; that they were the persons who prosecuted him and that they received money of one Badcock who was convicted at the same time as potitioner [but they] kept him out of the way that he could not come to judgment though they knew him to be the person concerned and not petitioner: therefore prays a hearing before the Lord Treasurer.	*Ibid.*

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1685. April 4.	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of Capt. James Hoop [? Hooper] shewing that he served the late King both by sea and land and been a great sufferer: prays employment in the Customs, having a recommendation from the Duke of Albemarle.	*Reference Book* III, p. 50.
	Same by same to same of the petition of Cha. Conygrave for a noontender's place in the Custom House, being above 60 years old and having been bred a fellmonger and unable to trade by many losses.	*Ibid.*
	Same by same to same of the petition of Capt. Keegle for discharge of [his] ship and goods seized for being short of three-fourths English mariners, four of his English having left him at Norway when he was obliged to hire strangers at four times the Englishmen's wages.	*Ibid.*
	Same by same to same of the petition of William Peirce, shewing that he served in the late King's lifeguard in Scotland and at Worcester fight and afterwards under Capt. Woogan in Scotland where he was wounded, taken prisoner and suffered miseries inexpressible and served in the Earl of Oxford's troop ever since their first raising till lately (being aged) he was dismissed: prays a noontender's place, London port.	*Ibid.*
	Same by same to same of the petition of Mathew Bradley, shewing that his uncle and godfather was Deputy Treasurer and Paymaster of his Majesty's Army Royal and several times what he had was taken away, being a delinquent, and petitioner's father lost his life at Oxford, leaving his mother with five children "and shortly after his mother and uncle died and left him executor, under the tuition of an overseer, who was ruinated by him after the payment of debts and legacies before he came to age": prays a place as tidesman etc. in the Custom House [London port].	*Ibid*, p. 51.
	Same by same to same of the petition of Jno. Prescott, shewing that he petitioned the late King to sue in the Attorney General's name for discovery of the estate of Edward Jackson (who was executed for clipping) in satisfaction of a debt of 450*l.* [due from him to petitioner]; that petitioner had a report of the Attorney General's thereupon and has prepared an information of a considerable discovery, but cannot proceed without [fresh] authority by reason of the late King's death: therefore prays that he may sell 13 packs of cotton wool already seized towards prosecuting those who have possessed themselves of Jackson's estate.	*Ibid.*
	Same by same to same of the petition of Tho. Spicer, shewing that he served Charles I faithfully all the time of the wars and after the Restoration was landwaiter of Lyme port for 17 yoars and turned out by Sir Richard Temple without the least crime or neglect: prays to be restored.	*Ibid.*
	Same by same to Richard Graham and Philip Burton of the petition of Richd. Winch and Tho. Campe, as by a reference from the King in Council dated Mar. 24 last; petitioner shewing that he prosecuted Abraham Baly, William Haverland and others for transporting	*Ibid*, p. 52.

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1685.	the son of Winch and a servant of Bryan's and upon trial Baly was fined 500*l.* and Haverland 500 marks, but now are about to petition for remission of said fines: petitioners therefore pray to be allowed their charges of prosecution out of said fines.	
April 4.	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to Bartholomew Fillingham, Tho. Hall and William Lownds of the petition of Averina Russell, rolict of George Russell, Receiver General of the Poll money for co. Bucks; shewing that the late Treasury Lords allowed him 30*l.* for the charge of bringing up his moneys, but that he died before his accounts were perfected and said 30*l.* was not paid; that petitioner has perfected his accounts and they show 60*l.* 5*s.* 0*d.* due from her said late husband: therefore prays allowanco of said 30*l.*	*Reference Book* III, p. 52.
	Same by same to William Harbord, Surveyor Goneral of Crown Lands, of tho petition of Nicho. Aris for a fresh grant of three tenements in co. Essex demised to him by the late King at 3*l.* rent, he having made no advantage this last seven years, tho houses being ruinous.	*Ibid.*
	Same by same to Richard Graham and Phill. Burton of the petition of Tho. Campe showing that he was bound by recognizance to prosecute Richd. Batt, and Paul Badcock for kidnapping and has prosecuted them to conviction: prays some consideration out of the forfeited recognizances of said Batt etc., and "an order to apprehend other criminals of the like nature."	*Ibid*, p. 53.
	Same by same to the Auditors of Imprests of the petition of John Canham, [late] farmer of the Law duties, shewing that as surviving Farmer thereof it was proposed that he should, by such an instrument as the Attorney General should approve of, assign over all the arrears to the King in full satisfaction of the debts due to the King [from the late Farmers of said duties]: that said instrument is executed and is all petitioner is capable of doing for payment of the debt unless he be ordered to assist in recovering the arrears: that he has spent eight years in this service and engaged his own and other estates in it and has so far complied with the covenants as, by tallies, warrants and charges of management, to have paid a considerable sum more than ever has been received: therefore prays for his accounts to be stated and for some consideration for his pains and for the covenants of the farm to be delivered him, he having assigned all his right to the King.	*Ibid*, p. 55.
Mar. [*sic* ? erratum for April 4].	Same by same to the Commissioners of Excise and Hearthmoney of the petition of John Wyatt, shewing that he has made discoveries in the Excise upon which and by altering Managers [Farmers] to Commissioners only he has saved the late King 50,000*l.* [for which service] he has received 50*l.* and the Managers were forbidden to prosecute him, but he spent said 50*l.* in two years' time in defending himself from said Managers: thereforo prays 100*l.* for the 2,000*l.* which was concealed and paid to the late King by the said Managers and further prays a landwaiter's or surveyor's place in the Customs at Bristol.	*Ibid.*
April 4.	Same by same to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of George French, water bailiff for the port	*Ibid*, p. 60.

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1685.	of Sunderland; shewing that upon complaint to the late Treasurer Southampton that the river Wear which falls into the sea at Sunderland was much annoyed by reason that the masters of ships which came in thithor for coals did unload their ballast within the full sea marks which in a short time would have made the said river unnavigable, Treasurer Southampton made an order about 1660–1, Mar. 22, requiring the then water bailiff to take care that no such abuso should bo thereafter committed or suffered in said river, and that the Customs officers should not suffer any ship or vessel to be cleared with them without bringing them a ticket under the hand of the water bailiff for the well and orderly casting of their ballast: that the said water baillff is since dead and the said order thereby become ineffectual, it being only directed to him without giving the like authority to his successors; wherefore the said abuse has continued and doth now exceedingly increase and if not timely repressed the river will be thereby wholly unnavigable; therefore prays a grant of the like order to himself, his deputies and the Customs officers there. *Appending:* certificate and recommendation by the Bishop of Durham of said petition "being satisfied that the allegations" therein are true.	
April 4.	Royal sign manual for 500*l.* to Henry Guy for secret service, without account: to be issued on the 10,000*l.* dormant privy seal of Feb. 27 last. (Money warrant dated April 6 hereon. Money order dated April 6 hereon.)	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 76. *Money Book* VI, p. 34. *Order Book* I, p. 9.
	Order by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners to observe an order of the King in Council as follows: *Prefixing:* said order dated Whitehall, April 1, made upon reading the report from the Lord Treasurer on the petition of the inhabitants of Guernsey, said petition having been referred to him Feb. 17 last, said report being *ut supra*, p. 99. Hereupon it is ordered that the said inhabitants be suffered to lade from Newcastle and Swansea such coals as they desire to an amount not exceeding 300 chaldrons yearly.	*Out Letters (Customs)* X, p. 15.
April 6.	Reference by same to William Harbord, Surveyor General of Crown Lands, of the petition of the supervisiors of the tin blowing houses of Devon and Cornwall. Petitioners thank the Lord Treasurer for renewing the warrants for their appointments and show that since their original appointment four new blowing houses have been built in co. Cornwall and more [are] likely to be built: therefore pray that their warrants may express that petitioners should take care of blowing houses lately built or hereafter to be built and divide them equally between them for the better securing of the coinage duty.	*Reference Book* III, pp. 47–8.
	Same by same to the Customs Commissioners of William Culliford's petition for renewal of his patent which is void by the late King's death.	*Ibid*, p. 52.
	Same by same to Philip Burton of the petition of the Earl of Castlehaven for a grant of the forfeited lands, goods and chattels of John Revans late of Saxtead, co. Suffolk, who became *felo-de-se* Mar. 26 last.	*Ibid*, p. 53.

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1685. April 6.	Money warrant for 758*l.* 17*s.* 3*d.* to Thomas Chudleigh, late Envoy to the States General of the United Provinces, representing 180*l.* due to him upon an order dated 1684, June 4, and 578*l.* 17*s.* 3*d.* due to him upon an order dated 1684, Aug. 20, which sums cannot be paid upon the said orders by reason that the privy seal for issuing them became void with the death of the late King. Entries are to be made on the said two orders that satisfaction has been made in full thereon. (Money order dated April 7 hereon.)	*Money Book* VI, p. 34. *Order Book* I, p. 9.
	Same for 360*l.* to Henry, Earl of Clarendon, for last Lady day quarter on his allowance of 4*l.* a day in lieu of ancient diet as Lord Privy Seal. (Money order dated April 8 hereon.)	*Money Book* VI, p. 35. *Order Book* I, p. 11.
	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Receipt for tallies of assignment on the Receiver of First Fruits for 500*l.* to Aubrey, Earl of Oxford, for last Lady day quarter on his pension of 2,000*l.* *per an.*	*Money Book* VI, p. 35.
	Same by same to the Customs Cashier to pay 100*l.* to Sir William Dugdale, Garter Principal King at Arms, for one year to 1682, Christmas, on his salary.	*Ibid.*
	Same by same for the execution of a money warrant dated 1685 [*sic*], Jan. 7, for 25*l.* 1*s.* 10½*d.* to Orlando Fitz Simonds, one of the Serjeants at Arms, for 1671, Sept. 29 quarter, on his fee of 3*s.* a day and for 1672, Sept. 29 quarter, on his allowance of 2*s.* 6*d.* a day for board wages.	*Ibid.*
	Money warrant for 600*l.* to Christopher Rosse, his Majesty's Jeweller; 300*l.* thereof for a jewel of diamonds with the King's picture given by his Majesty to Count Tilley, Envoy from the Governor of Flanders, and 300*l.* thereof for a diamond ring given by his Majesty to Monsieur de Overkirke, Envoy from the Prince of Orange. *Appending:* certificate dated Mar. 16 last by the Earl of Arlington, Lord Chamberlain, that by the King's command he had agreed with said jeweller for said jewels: the jeweller "allegeth he is to have ready money and that the fees of the Exchequer are to be paid to him besides." (Money order dated April 9 hereon.)	*Ibid*, p. 36. *Order Book* I, p. 12.
	Henry Guy to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue (out of the 264*l.* 19*s.* 2*d.* now remaining in the Exchequer of goods seized), 236*l.* 17*s.* 10*d.* to John Walker, usher of the Exchequer Court, on his order of Mar. 10 last *ut supra*, p. 42.	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 19.
	Same to same. On Mar. 31 last I requested you to advance 750*l.* to the Trustees of the Duke of St. Albans. Treasurer Rochester to-day directs that same be not advanced to said Trustees, but to Roger Hewett for said Duke's use for which there is present occasion. The regular warrant shall be passed and sent you with all speed.	*Ibid.*
	Same to same to issue as follows out of the remains of Alderman Duncombe's loans on the Hearthmoney, viz.:	*Ibid.*

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1685.		
	to Sir Henry Goodrick 320 5 0	
	to Mr. Robinson (*in the margin :* to be respited) 606 0 0	
	to Mr. Rycaut 100 0 0	
	£1,026 5 0	
April 6.	Henry Guy to William Hewer, Treasurer for the affairs of Tangier, or, in his absence, to Mr. Bowdler, enclosing a petition from nine poor Tangier soldiers for some present relief to keep them from starving till some other provision be made for them either by disposing them into Companies or otherwise. You are to make these petitioners the like allowance for a fortnight as is made to others under the same circumstances and meantime Treasurer Rochester will take care to provide otherwise for them.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 48.
	Same to Mr. Darcy *et al.* for a speedy answer to the letter of the 1st inst. *supra*, p. 100, concerning Colours for the three Troops of Horse Guards.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Customs Cashier to pay Charles Orchard 83*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.* *per an.* and 50*l.* *per an.* for his respective patent fees as customer of Exeter and customer of Barnstaple.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Bishop of London to report on the enclosed papers [missing] one from yourself, the other from the Earl of Sunderland, being received by Treasurer Rochester "among other papers relating to the King's Household." *Appending :* memorandum of said papers being a list of the officers of the Chapel [Royal] signed by the Bishop of London ; and an establishment of the Chapel Royal so far as concerns the Dean, Sub-Dean, Gentlemen and organists.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Sir Christopher Wren. Treasurer Rochester has signed warrants for renewing the patents of yourself and the rest of the officers of the Works. There are no petitions before him for the serjeant plumber, master bricklayer and master plasterer. They are to petition and you are to certify same. Also inform his lordship whether the clerk ingrosser be not a patent office and ought he not to renew like the rest.	*Ibid*, p. 49.
	Same to Mr. Darcy and partners. You are to provide necessaries for the Maundy according to the retrenchments mentioned in your letter of to-day.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Lady Clutterbuck. You are to sign over to Jno. Peter Frigone as attorney to the heirs of Seigneur Milanesi the five bills or debentures from the Office of the Ordnance now remaining in his hands, representing a total of 1,102*l.* 7*s.* 2*d.*	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Attorney General. The Lord Treasurer hereby renews the instructions given you in August last by the late Treasury Lords as to the information in the Exchequer upon John Prescott's discovery of the estate of Edward Jackson. You are to proceed on the said information or exhibit a new one as you think fit.	*Ibid.*

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1685. April 6.	Henry Guy to David Crawford. There has been imprested to John Bains, esq. deceased [late Commissary General of the Forces] 15,685*l.* 14*s.* 10*d.* for the pay of the Barbados Regiments under Sir Tobias Bridges. The Lord Treasurer is informed you can put the account into the right way of being adjusted. Do so as soon as you conveniently can.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 49.
	Same to Auditor Bridges. You are to wait till Auditor Done comes to town before attending the Lord Treasurer concerning several accounts.	*Ibid,* p. 50.
	Same to Sir Christopher Wrenn. Tho Lord Treasurer has read over all the rules relating to the officers of the Works and wishes your opinion on his proposed alterations as follow or any further alteration you may think requisite for the better government of that office. As to the salaries and additional allowances to the officers he will hear you thereon at any time. Ho desires your opinion on the article stating that it is the King's pleasure that the Treasurer of England should nominate a Commissioner to be present and made acquainted at the monthly meetings of the officers of the Works and the necessary service of that office. Has this ever been practised ? *Prefixing :* note of [such of] the said articles [as the Lord Treasurer has amended]. (2) The Surveyor to recommend the clerks but the Lord Treasurer to approve. (5) The officers shall be directed by the Lord Chamberlain, but they shall not undertake any such works without the Lord Treasurer's warrant. (10) To be expressed here 'by the four officers and Clerk of the Works' and the same in the rest of the orders. (13) This service to be done by the Surveyor instead of the Purveyor. (14) The office of Purveyor being sunk this article must be changed. (15) Without leave of the chief officers. Instead of 'officers' put 'Surveyor.' (18) The four officers and clerk to judge whether the materials be unserviceable and all contracts to be made by them at their board together. (24) The business of the Purveyor proper to be done by the Surveyor. (26) This to be quite left out. "My Lord Treasurer observed that the roll was not signed by the King."	*Ibid.*
	Same to Lord Dartmouth to report on the enclosed report [missing] of the Royal Africa Company to the Lord Treasurer about hand guns.	*Ibid.*
	Money warrant for 375*l.* to George, Marquess of Halifax, President of the Privy Council, for last Lady day quartor on his 1,000*l. per an.* in lieu of diet and 500*l. per an.* as royal bounty. (Money order dated April 8 hereon.)	*Money Book* VI, p. 38. *Order Book* I, p. 11.
	Entry of Treasurer Rochester's signature of the docquet of a lease to Mary Hellowes, widow, of a tenement called the Sign of King Henry in New Windsor and of several acres of land and pasture there for 14½ years in reversion from 1701, Lady day, at 4*l.* 5*s.* 4*d. per an.* rent and fine of 20*l.*	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, p. 30.

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1685. April 6.	Report by Treasurer Rochester to the King on the petition of Capt. Toby Caulfield as by the order of reference of Mar. 20 last: petitioner shewing *ut supra, Calendar of Treasury Books*, Vol. VII, p. 1465. I have advised hereon with the Duke of Ormondo who informs me that all petitioner's allegations are true, that he sold his annuity to buy the said Company to go to Tangier and that his case and merits are extraordinary and he thinks it reasonable to allow petitioner a pension of 100*l. per an.* till his debt be satisfied and half a year after to cover the charges of receiving the pension. I concur with the Duke of Ormonde therein and advise that said pension be paid out of the revenue of Ireland.	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, pp. 31–2.
	Same by same to same on the petition of Caroline Windham, daughter of Sir Edmund Windham, late Knight Marshal, and of Mary Elliot, daughter of Thomas Elliot, late one of the Grooms of the Bedchamber to Charles II, as by the order of reference thereof of Feb. 17 last. Petitioners pray *ut supra, Calendar of Treasury Books*, Vol. VII, p. 1163. Hereupon Richard Grahme and Philip Burton have certified that they have sent out a special outlawry against Norton's goods and estate and the sheriff of Dorset has taken an inquisition and returned same into the King's Bench and has thereby found that Norton was seized in his demesne in a messuage, garden, orchard and 80 acres of land, 150 acres of pasture and 20 acres of wood at Ash in the parish of Stower Paine [Stourpaine], co. Dorset, called Lazerden Farm, of the value of 70*l. per an.* It may be bestowed on petitioners.	*Ibid*, p. 32.
	Warrant by same to the Clerk of the Pipe for a grant to John Pottinger of the custody of all that part of the house of the late Star Chamber late in the custody of John Lawrence by grant dated 1674, Aug. 6, and before him in the custody of Prudence Willis, widow. The fee of 20*l. per an.* formerly granted to said Willis but withheld from said Lawrence is hereby not to be granted to said Pottinger.	*Ibid*, p. 33.
April 7	Money warrant for 152*l.* 1*s.* 0*d.* to Anthony Segar, 142*l.* 1*s.* 0*d.* thereof for disbursements for the Treasury Office in 1685, Lady day quarter, and 10*l.* thereof for same quarter's salary for attendance at said office. (Money order dated April 7 hereon.)	*Money Book* VI, p. 36. *Order Book* I, p. 12.
	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners to pay the 1685, Lady day quarter's salary bill of the outports (being 4,467*l.* 11*s.* 8*d.* established salaries, and 589*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.* additional salaries: total, 5,057*l.* 1*s.* 8*d.*).	*Money Book* VI, p. 37.
	Dormant warrant by same to Brooke Bridges and Thomas Done, Auditors of Imprests, to allow in account the salary of 200*l. per an.* as from 1684, Christmas, to Philip Burton as solicitor for negotiating and looking after the affairs of the Treasury *loco* Thomas Lloyd.	*Ibid.*
	Money warrant for 1,460*l.* to Christopher Ross, his Majesty's jeweller, 1,100*l.* thereof for a jewel of diamonds with the King's picture given by the King to the Marshal De L'Orge [De Lorges], Envoy Extraordinary from France; and 360*l.* thereof for a	*Ibid*, pp. 37–8. *Order Book* I, p. 12.

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1685.	jewel of diamonds with the King's picture in it given by the King as a present to Monsieur D'Estampes, Envoy from the Duke of Orleans: as by the certificate of the 6th inst. from the Earl of Arlington, Lord Chamberlain. *Appending:* said certificate. (Money order dated April 9 hereon.)	
April 7.	Report by Treasurer Rochester to the King on the petition of Cornet Thomas Pownall as by the order of reference of Feb. 17 last, petitioner praying *ut supra, Calendar of Treasury Books*, Vol. VII, p. 1448, he having served as cornet in the garrison at Tangier in the whole last war with the Moors and having been wounded by a shot in the head. Hereon William Hewer reports to me that Col. Sackville, then commander-in-chief at Tangier, certifies petitioner's allegations to be true. By direction of the late Treasury Lords Henry Guy paid Cornet Hugh Windham 40*l.* as royal bounty in consideration of the loss of his arm at Tangier.	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, p. 33.
	Money order for 20*l.* to Wendiver Lowndes and William Wekett, without account: as reward for carrying letters upon several occasions for his Majesty's service until Lady day last.	*Order Book* I, p. 9
	Henry Guy to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue to Mr. Fitz Simonds, one of the Serjeants at Arms, the 25*l.* 1*s.* 10½*d.* reserved for him in the Exchequer.	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 19.
	Same to the Navy Commissioners to assign, out of the Navy's weekly money, 25*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.* to Sir William Jennings on his bill dated 1681, Dec. 21, for his half pay from 1679–80, Jan. 1, to 1680, Mar. 25.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Customs Cashier, enclosing the disposition of the Customs Cash for the present week, viz.:	*Ibid*, pp. 20, 21.

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
to the Treasurer of the Navy in part of 5,357*l.* for one quarter for Dartmouth yard	1,022	0	0
to ditto to complete the pay of the *Mary* yacht	145	17	0
to ditto towards paying off the sea officers and bills in course	400	0	0
to ditto for the [Navy's] weekly money	1,500	0	0
to ditto for the Victuallers	1,200	0	0
to the Treasurer of the Ordnance [for two weeks on the Ordnance Office's weekly money]	2,000	0	0
to me [Guy] for secret service ..	500	0	0
to Richard Kent and Charles Duncombe in part of their debt ..	2,000	0	0
	£8,767	17	0

(Same dated April 8 to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue the first seven of the abovesaid items out of such Customs money as is paid in or directed to be paid into the Exchequer this week, the total of such issues being 6,767*l.* 17*s.* 0*d.*; the remaining item being payable directly out of the Customs Office on tallies.)

	Same to the Commissioners of Excise and Hearth-money, enclosing the paper of the disposition of	*Ibid*, pp. 20, 21.

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the cash of the Excise and the Hearthmoney for the present week, viz.:

Out of the Excise.	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*
to Charles Fox, Paymaster of the Forces	5,000	0	0
to Mr. Toll in part of his debt ..	1,000	0	0
to Mr. Hornby in part of his debt	500	0	0
to the Earl of Lichfield	725	7	0
to the Earl of Sussex	600	0	0
to Sir Robt. Vyner	500	0	0
to Visct. Brouncker the Cofferer as advance for the Household	1,500	0	0
to Mr. Griffin [Treasurer of the Chamber] for one quarter to the Yeomen of the Guard ..	1,387	10	0
to the Treasurer of the Navy for Sick and Wounded	400	0	0
to the Commissioners of the Mint for Healing medals by way of advance	250	0	0
to Philip Packer for the executors of William Waite, the late gardeners at Whitehall	371	19	6(8)
to Henry Guy for secret service for Mr. Fashion	46	10	10
to Mr. Griffin [Treasurer of the Chamber] for the Herbwoman [herbstrewer]	10	0	0
to the Warders at the Tower ..	551	4	0
to Sir Peter Wych	273	0	0
to Philip Packer in further part of Sir Christopher Wren's estimate for the Coronation ..	400	0	0
	£13,515	11	6

Out of the Hearthmoney.			
to Mr. Deering in part of his tallies	1,000	0	0
to the Treasurer of the Navy in part of 5,357*l.* for one quarter for Portsmouth yard	4,335	0	0
	£5,335	0	0

(Same dated April 8 to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue 14 of the abovesaid items out of such Excise money as is directed to be this week paid into the Exchequer, the two items to Toll and Hornby being payable direct out of the Excise Office on tallies.)

(Same to same dated April 8 to similarly issue out of such Hearthmoney as is directed to be this week paid into the Exchequer the abovesaid 4,335*l.*, the item of 1,000*l.* being payable directly out of Hearthmoney in the Excise Office on tallies.)

(Same to same dated April 8 to issue as follows out of such Post Office money as is directed to be this week paid into the Exchequer, viz.:

	l.
to the Treasurer of the Navy to fit out the *Mermaid* and *Monmouth* yachts	246
to Sir Gabriell Silvius	955
to me [Guy] for secret service by way of advance	400
to Seigr. Verrio by way of advance for painting Henry VIII.'s chapel at Windsor	200
Total of said letters of direction out of moneys in the Exchequer of Customs, Excise, Hearthmoney and Post Office, 24,919*l.* 8*s.* 6*d.*)	

(Same dated Mar. 8 to Mr. Griffin, Treasurer of the Chamber, to pay the abovesaid 1,387*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.* to

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1685.	the officers and Yeomen of the Guard for one quarter and 10*l.* to Mary Doule, herbwoman.)	
April 7.	Henry Guy to Mr. Darcy *et al.* The arras men and tailors [of the Great Wardrobe] have represented to the Lord Treasurer that they have half a year's wages in Mr. John Knight's hands but cannot receive the same without order from his lordship. You are to direct him out of the 187*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.* which he received Jan. 20 last, to pay 93*l.* 18*s.* 0*d.* for half a year's wages to six arras men and 93*l.* 12*s.* 0*d.* for same to nine tailors.	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 22.
	Same to Mr. [Charles] Fox [Paymaster of the Forces] to advance 400*l.* for one month's pay to the four Captains of Horse that came lately from Tangier, they having landed and been mustered in England 1684, April 14, but their pay in the said Paymaster's Office commenced only May 1 following whereupon they petitioned "the late Treasury Lords for the pay of the said month of April, who in lieu thereof the 9th of Dec. last desired a month's pay to be advanced to them which should be deducted from their pay that should grow due after the 1st of Jan. last," which said Fox has accordingly done. The present advance is to be deducted out of their pay, and is in consideration of their necessities.	*Ibid.*
	Warrant from Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners to insert Edward Harrison on the establishment as waiter and searcher at Lydd in the port of Hythe and Romney with 20*l.* *per an.* salary. John Lambert (one of the extraordinary tidesmen, Hull port) to be employed as tidesman in fee *ibid.* *loco* Charles Fuller, who has relinquished. Benjamine Whiting (riding surveyor in Plymouth port and the adjacent coast) as tidesurveyor in said port *loco* Philemon Coddan, who has deserted said employment. The office of riding surveyor in said port is to be hereby sunk and the salary of 50*l.* *per an.* thereby saved to the King.	*Out Letters* (*Customs*) X, p. 16.
April 9.	Henry Guy to Mr. Darcy *et al.* enclosing (*a*) *infra.* Why was this petitioner left out of the list of those for whom half a year's wages [in the Great Wardrobe] is provided ? *Appending :* (*a*) petition of Edward Bird, one of the tailors belonging to the Wardrobe ; shewing that he gave 50*l.* to be one of the tailors belonging to the Wardrobe, that by great losses he is become very poor and has been several times in prison for debt ; is informed that there is half a year's pay ordered for the other tailors ; being excluded, prays for his pay and for his place to be continued, having nothing else left to maintain his wife and family.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 51.
	Same to the Customs Commissioners to forthwith send up to London a parcel in canvas seized at Dover and marked with a S. Give Treasurer Rochester notice as soon as it arrives.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Mint Commissioners to prepare, for the Coronation, 100 medals of gold and 800 of silver of the King and 50 gold and 400 silver medals of the Queen.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Lord Dartmouth. The King has appointed 1,000*l.* to be paid to the elder Duchess of Richmond.	*Ibid.*

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1685.	A privy seal must be prepared for this payment. Let me know in whose name this privy seal is to be passed.	
April 9.	Henry Guy to Mr. Fetherstonhalgh for an account of what you have laid out in building houses or otherwise in tho forest of Teesdale.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 51.
	Same to the Auditor of the Receipt for a certificate what money has been paid at tho Exchequer on orders grounded on debentures or certificates signed by the Commissioners for Disbanding the late [New Raised Forces or] army or some of them ; specifying which of the said Commissioners signed same, to whom payable and in what capacity the parties were entitled to the money : also for a certificate what orders remain unsatisfied upon the Register for Disbanding the said Army, specifying the like details therein as above.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Commissioners of Excise and Hearth-money to respite till next month the coming up of Mr. Herbert Aubrey, an officer of yours in Herefordshire.	*Ibid*, p. 52.
	Same to Lord Dartmouth, enclosing the petition and papers [missing] of Mathew Gibbon. Why has the money due upon his debentures not been paid out of the money issued for the service of the Ordnance?	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Commissioners of Excise and Hearth-money enclosing the bills of incidents and salary bills of the Excise and Hearthmoney [Office]. As to the incidents you certify that the work is done. You are further to certify whether the bills be reasonable. And so also for the salaries. What salary is Mr. Noell to have for the additional work performed by him in relation to the Hearthmoney ?	*Ibid.*
	Same to Lord Dartmouth to pay 150*l.* to Capt. John Temple for his service in weighing 20 great guns etc. in the West Indies. The Lord Troasurer will take care to shortly supply [to you] again the said money.	*Ibid*, p. 53.
	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners of a draft warrant from the Lord Treasurer to the King's Remembrancer (and every one to whose hands the writ of apprisomont as follows may come) to forbear to issue any writ of delivery for any red Saundors wood seized bofore the beginning of next term, without warrant from the Lord Treasurer : it appearing that John Glovor, one of the Customs officers, has latoly seized in or about Margate Road a considerable quantity of such wood as forfeited to the King and has taken out a writ of appraisement by the name of Stockwood.	*Reference Book* III, p. 54. *Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, p. 34.
	Same by same to Phil. Froud, esq. of the petition of Stephen Lilly, shewing that having been for above seven years last past Receiver of the revenue of the Post Office his said place is renewed, thereforo desiring to know to what value he must give security, he paying the profits of said Offico into the Exchoquer weekly.	*Reference Book* III, p. 54.
	Same by same to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of Francis Spendlove for renewal of his patent as Comptroller of Customs, Yarmouth port,	*Ibid*, pp. 55, 56, 58, 59.

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1685.	his said patent being void by the death of Charles II. of Job Dowle for the like as searcher of Gloucester port. of Rowland Thrupp for the like as Customer Inwards, Bristol port. of John Fitzherbert as Customer Outwards, Bristol port. of Field Dunn as Customer of Berwick port. of Christopher Barret as searcher in Yarmouth port. of Tho. Lysons as Customer of the port of Kingston upon Hull. of George Shepheard as Comptroller of Berwick port. of John Needler as Comptroller of the Great and Petty Customs, London port. of Ralph Williamson as Comptroller of Newcastle port, formerly granted to him on his surrender of a searcher's place, London port. of Capt. Venn as Comptroller of Bridgwater port.	
April 9.	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners, of the petition of Jno. Wade, master of the *Dove*, of Weymouth, shewing that one Step. Decure hired the [said] ship to freight for a voyage to Maryland to load tobacco and return to Galloway with same: that he laded 112 hogsheads of tobacco and a parcel of bulk and carried same to Galloway [*sic*] in Ireland and there delivered it to one Lynch and Stephen Deane, who produced a counterfeit certificate of bond given in England according to the Act of Navigation, petitioner being but a common sailor, though he bore the name of master and the said Deane and Lynch were the principal men: therefore prays the discharge of his ship "there being no proceedings in the Exchequer as the petitioner can find."	*Reference Book* III, p. 56.
	Same by same to Richard Graham and Philip Burton of the petition of John Bennett of Grays Inn, shewing that Sir Samuell Barnardiston, bart., was found guilty of publishing false and seditious papers and letters and has been fined 10,000*l.* whereupon process of extent issued to the sheriff of Suffolk to extend and seize his estate into the King's hands and thereupon the sheriff has seized his house called Brightwell and the lands thereto: therefore prays a grant of the premises at a reasonable rent.	*Ibid*, p. 57.
	Same by same to Sir Stephen Fox [late Paymaster of the Forces] of the petition of Sir Tho. Daniell on behalf of himself and four gunners and two soldiers included in his patent of Captain of Arcliffe Fort in Dovor: petitioner shewing that in 1683 the late King made an establishment for the pay of the Castles within the Cinque ports by the Paymaster General [of the Forces] "and they have received the same till January, 1684–5: that there is 12 gunners, six of which have been paid; that the other six and Captain are payable out of the Exchequer, but [remain] yet unpaid: doubts it will cause disorder if they are not all paid alike": therefore prays an order for said arrears to pay himself and said gunners, being 97*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.*	*Ibid.*
	Same by same to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of Martin Simonds, master of the *Hope* of Amsterdam of 100 tons burthen	*Ibid*, p. 59.

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1685.	now in the Thames; petitioner shewing that he arrived lately from Amsterdam loaden with piece goods for which he paid duty, that being discharged and entered outwards two red herring barrels were put on board when he was nearly loaden "as containing only red herrings of English fishing and curing which are liable to no customs," but Peregrine Bertie on examination found therein a false package of wool and sand and only the tails of the herrings which appeared through the staffes of the casks and thereupon seized on petitioner and his ship, although neither petitioner nor his seamen were privy to the cheat: therefore prays a discharge.	
April 9.	Reference to Lord Dartmouth of the petition of Philip Doughty, esq. to the King; shewing that in 1672 by permission of Charles II. petitioner purchased of William Morgan the place or office of Clerk of his Majesty's stables, paying 1,000 guineas for same and petitioner was along with said place to enjoy for life certain lodgings, stable and coach houses in the Mews, great part of which [has been] rebuilt at petitioner's own charge; that soon after the King wanting for himself and the Queen several coach houses and a convenient piece of ground to erect them on, the Duke of Buckingham, then Master of the Horse, proposed that if petitioner would quit said premises and ground he would procure for him a grant for life of certain lodgings designed by the King to be built over the said coach houses; that petitioner readily consented and gave up possession and the said coach houses and lodgings were begun by Mr. Samuell, one of his Majesty's surveyors: but the money ordered by the King for that purpose fell short to finish same and the work stood still, whereupon petitioner proposed to furnish so much of his own money as would finish it, provided that instead of a term for life he might have a grant for 41 years of the designed lodgings: that the King consented thereto and ordered a patent for same and petitioner, not doubting thereof, disbursed 713*l.* of his own money as appears by a certificate of Sir Christopher Wren; about which time the Duke of Buckingham by the King's appointment surrendered his said office of Master of the Horse to the Duke of Monmouth with proviso that petitioner should not any way be prejudiced thereby; but notwithstanding all the promises the Duke of Monmouth gave he no sooner passed his patent for Master of the Horse but by his power [he] stopped the passing of petitioner's patent of said lodgings and for his own use possessed himself of them as also so far took the advantage of petitioner's religion (which soon after rendered [him] uncapable of enjoying any office to his Majesty) not only to defeat him of the said lodgings and money thereon expended, but [also of] the said office of Clerk of the Stables, Equerry and other places in reversion as by several warrants appears; all which places petitioner hoped in justice (as well as the rest of his Majesty's servants under his circumstances) to have been permitted to dispose thereof [by sale] which was absolutely refused him by said Duke nor his petitioner as yet had the least redress: further that there is due to him from the Receipt of the Exchequer above 2,600*l.* as appears by orders	*Reference Book* III, pp. 61–2.

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1685.	and certificates from the Auditor of the Receipt which renders him under very uneasy circumstances: therefore prays redress.	
April 9.	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to the Surveyor General of Crown Lands of the petition of Cornelius Manley as by a reference from the King dated Whitehall, Mar. 30 last: petitioner desiring renewal of his patent of the office and place of Constableship of Harlech ("Harleigh") co. Merioneth and Principality of North Wales, with the annual fee of 50*l.*: same being during pleasure and now void by the King's death.	*Reference Book* III, p. 62.
	Same by same to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of Capt. Edward Furlong, a King's waiter, Bristol port, shewing that his place being void and finding he must renew prays leave to resign or else his patent to be passed at the King's charge.	*Ibid*, p. 63.
	Same by same to the Commissioners of Excise and Hearthmoney of the petition of Tho. Deare for a general receiver's place in the Hearthmoney, he having been bred up a lawyer and being recommended by Sir Tho. Mumpesson and Col. Windham.	*Ibid.*
	Same by same to Richd. Graham and Phil. Burton of the petition of Tho. Fisher, of London, as by a reference from the King dated Whitehall, April 6 inst.: petitioner shewing that in 1672 he purchased a toft whereon an ancient messuage adjoining the King's Arms Inn, near Holborn Bridge, London, did stand before the great fire in London, to which messuage several lights and watercourses did belong which did look into and had passage through the yard of said inn: that one John Parsons did upon the rebuilding of said inn so much encroach upon part of the foundation of said messuage where the said lights and watercourses formerly were that petitioner has been over since hindered from rebuilding said messuage: that petitionor applied to the Lord Mayor and Aldermen of London, according to the Act for the rebuilding the city and after great trouble did in Jan., 1682–3, obtain a decree against Jno. Seagood, the executor of said Parsons, and against Ferdinando Lockwood then and still the tenant of said inn: that in April following Seagood and Lockwood were bound in 200*l.* each to remove said obstructions within a month: yet same are not removed and Seagood and Lockwood have petitioned Chancery for a rehearing of said matters, although said decree of the Mayor and Aldermen ought to be without appeal: petitioner's charges and losses amount to 500*l.*, including the darkening the lights of four of potitioner's adjoining houses, two of which havo ever since stood empty: therefore having no remedy at law to have the said obstructions removed he prays that he may at his own charge cause their recognizances to be estreated into the Exchequer and there put them in suit, and that he may have what shall be thereby obtained. *Appending:* note of a certificate of petitioner's loyalty and of the truth of his case subscribed by the Lord Mayor and Aldermen, viz. James Smith, Mayor, Ja. Edwards, William Prichard, Jno. Moore, Robt. Geffery, Tho. Beckford, Jno. Chapman, Simon Lewis, Jonathan Raymond.	*Ibid*, pp. 63–4.

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1685. April 9.	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to tho Commissioners of Exciso and Hearthmoney of the petition of Tho. Bassett, stationer, showing that he served as stationer to tho late Managers [Farmers] of the Hearthmoney during the whole of their time and was continued by the present Excise Commissioners, but they have lately dismissed him without reason stated: therefore prays to be continued as he has delivered over 300*l.* worth of goods into said office and has a great family to maintain, and serves tho King with as good wares and as cheap as any other person.	*Reference Book* III, p. 68.
	Same by same to the Mint Commissioners of the petition of Visct. Grandison, Sir Edward Villiers, Knight Marshal, and Elianor Villiers: shewing that James I on the surrender of the place of Master Worker of the Mint by Sir Edward Villiers granted to him for 21 years a patent out of the profits of gold and silver thread and wire either imported or wrought here: that upon the former considerations Charles I granted to Barbara Villiers his [Sir Edward's] widow, a lease for tho same term of years, "and a manufacture being settled here, the profits of the said grant came to nothing": that upon these considerations Charles I granted the [said] Lady Villiers a patent for 2*d.* per lb. tale Troy weight of silver [coined in the Mint] and another [patent] for 500*l.* *per an.* out of the Court of Wards: that Charles II in consideration that Lady Villiers had made little of them by ill payments and iniquity of the times and late disorders did by patent dated 1660, Aug. 20, grant to [the said] Dame Barbara Villiers, petitioners' mother, a patent of 2*d.* per lb. tale Troy weight of silver money [coined in the Mint] and by other patent of 23 Car. II added 10 years to the grant, viz. from 1681, Aug., to 1691, Aug.: that upon the alteration in the Mint by the Act of 1660 [*sic* erratum for 18 and 19 Car. II, c. 5] and proviso [in clause 12] therein it was ordered that Lady Villiers in consideration of her patent should have a compensation not exceeding 600*l.* *per an.* which was much less than the profit that came to her by the abovesaid patent: that Charles II by patent dated 1662–3, Jan. 6, granted her upon the said considerations an annuity of 500*l.* out of the rents and other duties arising of Post Fines etc. for 21 years from 1662, Sept. 29: that by patent of 1671, Aug. 26, Charles II added 10 years to this grant, viz. from 1683, Sept. 29, to 1693, Sept. 29: that by the death of said Dame Barbara Villiers and by her will and assignment the benefit of said letters patents is vested in petitioners. Therefore pray the Lord Treasurer to procure from tho present King "the continuance of the favour for tho unexpired time of the said patent."	*Ibid*, p. 69.
	Same by same to Marmaduke Darcy, George Benyon and Robt. Phillips, esq. of the petition of Francis Churchman, shewing that having applied to the late Treasury Lords for 217*l.* 14*s.* 4*d.* due [to him] for work done at his Majesty's Tennis Court at Windsor he obtained a reference thereon, but nothing further done: therefore prays another reference.	*Ibid*, p. 71.

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1685. April 9.	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners of an order of reference from the King in Council of the petition as follows. *Prefixing :* said order dated Whitehall, April 1 inst., made upon reading the petition of the Master, Wardens and Commonalty of Handgun makers, London, setting forth that James I granted them by patent leave to export handguns to Africa and other foreign parts in amity with this nation, whereby also they are strictly enjoined to view and prove all their guns and to mark them, by which proof at least a third part is continually destroyed ; that other nations being under no such tie can afford guns much cheaper than petitioners, of which the Africa, Hudson's Bay and other Companies and merchants took advantage and buy all their handguns beyond sea, importing them in great quantities and shipping them out as English manufacture and sell them for such to the natives of those parts, which guns being very false and deceitful brings a great scandal to the English trade and tends to the utter ruin of petitioners and their art ; and therefore praying relief : it is hereon hereby ordered that said petition be referred to the Lord Treasurer.	*Reference Book* III, p. 73.
	Same by same to the Surveyor General of Crown Lands of the petition of Sarah White for extension of her lease of the farm of the Original Seal and Pre Fines in Carnarvon, Anglesea and Merioneth, under the yearly rent of 9*l.* : she having petitioned the late Treasurer Danby for a renewal and thereupon had a reference and a ratal of the particular, "but the Treasury soon after altering into a Commission she petitioned the Commissioners to grant her a further lease which they seemed unwilling to do in regard no lease of that nature had been renewed [by them]" whereupon petitioner acquiesced, but finds that leases of the like nature have been since granted.	*Ibid*, p. 74.
	Warrant by same to same for a particular and ratal of several coppice woods within the manor of Calstock, called Harewood, Northealewood, Southealewood, Grimscomb, and Castlewood with a small messuage built on one of them, with a view to a lease thereof to Henry Manaton for 99 years terminable on three lives under the old rent of 8*l.* 10*s.* 0*d. per an.* and fine of 132*l.* viz. 102*l.* to buy off the increased rent and 30*l.* for adding a third life. *Prefixing :* said Surveyor General's report on said Manaton's petition for same. The premises were valued by the Parliamentary survey at 35*l.* 10*s.* 0*d. per an.* above the old rent of 8*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.* This is esteemed more than they are now worth. They were in the possession of Edmund Fowell, at the Restoration, in right of his wife Alicia, formerly wife of John Connock as the survivor of three lives granted 4 Car. I. Fowell had a reversionary grant in 1661 for [the lives of] his two sons, John and Henry, at the old rent and 12*l. per an. de incremento* for the moiety of the increased value. This has lain heavy on the estate as the profits arise by fall of the coppices which are not usually cut under 14 years. The said Alice died in 1663. By the rules 8½ years' purchase must bo paid to buy off the increased rent.	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, pp. 37-8.

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1685. April 9.	Money warrant for 16,000*l.* to John Knight, gent., as imprest for such goods, wares or provisions as Marmaduke Darcy, George Benyon and Robt. Philips shall pursuant to Treasury warrant buy for his Majesty's service [in the Great Wardrobe]. (Money order dated April 14 hereon.)	*Money Book* VI, p. 38. *Order Book* I, p. 14.
	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to William Roberts, Receiver of revenues for the Honor and Castle of Windsor, to pay 70*l.* to Charles Bowles for two years' rent to Christmas last for his house at Windsor which was hired of him by the Earl of Arlington, Lord Chamberlain, for Signor Verrio to live in.	*Money Book* VI, p. 38.
	Same by same to the Auditors of Imprests to allow in the accounts of William Hewer, Treasurer for the affairs of the late garrison of Tangier, 30*l.* paid by him (by Treasurer Rochester's direction) to Jane Ennis and 8*l.* similarly paid to Jane Urquhart as royal bounty in consideration of the loss of their husbands, officers in the Earl of Dumbarton's Regiment at Tangier and slain there, same being to enable them to transport themselves and families to Ireland.	*Ibid*, p. 39.
	Same by same to same to similarly allow in said Hewer's accounts the following payments made by direction of the late Treasury Lords.	*Ibid.*

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
by letter dated Dec. 2 last: to three widows 5*l.* each as royal bounty	15	0	0
to a discharged soldier	9	10	6
to Nathl. Johnson for Lady day quarter's salary as city serjeant at Tangier	5	0	0
by letter dated Dec. 3: to Mr. Clench for half a year's salary as purveyor for the victuals here [*sic* for Tangier] to 1682, April 14 ..	26	0	0
by letter dated Dec. 23: to Robt. Harris as the King's bounty ..	5	0	0
by letter dated Jan. 19: to 10 discharged soldiers in full of their arrears	60	0	0
by letter dated Jan. 20: to several discharged soldiers for ditto ..	172	7	10
advanced to several poor people on account of money due to them from the King	254	17	4
	£547	12	8

April 10.	Henry Guy to the Customs Commissioners to send to the Lord Treasurer the abstract as in (*a*) *infra*. Also send an officer to the Duchess of Portsmouth's lodgings in Whitehall to view her goods in order to their being transported to France. *Appending:* (*a*) paper [? from the Clerk of the Council to the Lord Treasurer] desiring an abstract of every year's importation and exportation since 1664 of all lawns and cambric and of all such Holland and Flanders linen as is valued in the Book of Rates at 5*s.* per ell: with the number of pieces and of ells. Likewise an abstract of the numbers of pieces of all calicoes (unmixed with silver, gold or silk) imported and exported: for same years.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 52.

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1685.	Likewise an abstract of calicoo lawns imported and exported in same years.	
April 10.	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to Philip Froud, esq. of the potition of Dorothy Robinson, shewing that the late King granted her a pension of 60*l.* *per an.* in consideration of her husband's troubles in settling the Post Office and of her great want: and praying a continuation of said pension.	*Reference Book* III, p. 56.
	Royal warrant to the Attorney or Solicitor General for a great seal for a grant to Bernard Greenville (Greeneville) of the office of Comptroller General of the accounts of Wine Licence revenue: with power to inspect, examine and control all the books, entries and accounts of the Commissioners, Receivers General or Cashiers, accountants, clerks and other officers employed: to hold during pleasure as amply as lately enjoyed by Henry Howard by grant from Charles II: with the salary of 200*l.* *per an.* payable quarterly from Lady day last: he to give accounts from time to time of the produce of said revenue to the Lord Treasurer and to observe the orders and instructions of the said Lord Treasurer in all matters relating to said office.	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 76.
	Two royal sign manuals for respectively 500*l.* and 546*l.* 10*s.* 10*d.* to Henry Guy for secret service, without account: to be issued on the 10,000*l.* privy seal of Feb. 27 last. (Two money warrants dated April 13 hereon. Two money orders dated April 14 hereon.)	*Ibid*, p. 77. *Money Book* VI, p. 40. *Order Book* I, p. 14.
	Royal warrant to the Clerk of the Signet for a privy seal for the yearly salary or allowance of 380*l.* to Nathaniell Lodington, esq. as Consul at Tripoly: to be payable quartorly as from Lady day last.	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 77.
	Same to same for a same for the instalment of the First Fruits of Thomas Ken, D.D., as Bishop of Bath and Wells: same to be payable in three instalments of 119*l.* 19*s.* 6*d.* on 1685–6, Jan. 21, 119*l.* 19*s.* 6*d.* on 1686–7, Jan. 21, 239*l.* 19*s.* 1½*d.* on 1687–8, Jan. 21 (total 479*l.* 18*s.* 1½*d.*): on the personal bonds of said bishop only and with the usual clause for any remaining liability thereof to cease at avoidance.	*Ibid*, pp. 78–9.
April 11.	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to the Commissioners of Excise and Hearthmoney of the petition of Edward Gibbs for a collectorship of Hearthmoney of some county in the West of England or towards Wales, having been formerly recommended for same and having faithfully served the King both in civil and military affairs.	*Reference Book* III, p. 66.
	Henry Guy to Mr. Darcy *et al.* to provide furniture as follows for the Queen's bedchamber and to deliver same to Francis Rogers, keeper of the Standing Wardrobe in Whitehall. *Appending:* undated letter from the Earl of Arlington, Lord Chamberlain, to Treasurer Rochester. The Queen, through Lord Godolphin, her Lord Chamberlain, desires that the bedchamber in Whitehall wherein the Queen Dowager lately lodged be hung with black cloth, with black taffeta curtains for the alcove and the window, the floor of the alcove to be covered with black cloth, two elbow chairs,	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 53.

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1685.	four stools of black cloth, carpets of blackcloth for two tables.	
April 11.	Henry Guy to the Commissioners of Excise and Hearthmoney to restore — Jackson, an officer of Excise or Hearthmoney at St. Albans, who was lately dismissed, and another put in his place.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 53.
	Treasurer Rochester to the Earl of Bath, Lord Warden of the Stannaries. From a paper presented to me by Mr. Upcott and Mr. Treweeke, two of the supervisors of the tin blowing houses in Cornwall, it appears that four new blowing houses have been built in Cornwall and more likely to be built. Please consider whether the continuanco [of these] or the increase of blowing houses be for his Majesty's service. "I am likewise informed that the great prejudice to his Majesty's service is the placing of them upon pretence of having their coals readyler brought to them nigh the sea or a navigable river where the tin is easily and frequently embezzled and carried away without bringing it to the Coinage Halls as particularly it may be done at Penryn and Gweek; and yet to make use of these blowing houses the tinners are contented to carry their tin some of them seven miles or more to those smugling places." Consult with the officers of the Stannaries and send me your opinion hereon.	*Ibid.*
	Henry Guy to the Attorney General to report on the enclosed drafts [missing] of two warrants for stay of process against several of the King's subjects who had been sufferers for their loyalty in the late rebellion.	*Ibid*, p. 57.
April 13.	Same to Capt. John Baynes, heir and executor to the late Commissary Baines, to forthwith carry to the Auditors of Imprests your father's accounts and vouchers for moneys imprested to him for paying the officers and soldiers of the late Sir Tobias Bridges' Regiment: otherwise process will issue against you.	*Ibid*, p. 54.
	Same to Mr. Normansell, one of the secondaries in London, to forthwith pay into the Exchequer the 229*l.* 3*s.* 4*d.* lovied by you of the rents and profits of several houses in London formerly discovered to belong to priests and Jesuits or given to superstitious uses.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Commissioners of Excise and Hearthmoney to report on the following papers. *Appending:* note only of said papers; being a letter dated Trowbridge, April 8 inst., to Sir Gilbert Talbot, signed B. M. brewer [? Brewer]; a paper dated Mar. 30 signed Ro. Roche containing what he will swear against Samll. Roberts, collector of Hearthmoney, co. Wilts, if required; another to the same effect dated Mar. 13 signed Antho. Simes; another of same date signed William Somner.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Darcy and partners to provide a scarlet cloak as follows. *Appending:* (*a*) order of the King in Council dated Whitehall, April 8. Upon reading the petition of the High Constablo for the City and Liberties of Westminster, setting forth that of ancient right and custom the said High Constable, giving his	*Ibid.*

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1685.	attendance has constantly had a scarlet cloak given him at the Coronation of the Kings of England, it is ordered that such a cloak be provided for him accordingly.	
April 13.	Henry Guy to Mr. Darcy and partners to provide the particulars following. *Appending :* (*a*) order of tho King in Council datod Whitehall, April 10 inst., for the providing of two false stools with coverings and cushions for the Queen. (*b*) letter dated April 9 from the Earl of Arlington, Lord Chamberlain, roquesting the following particulars to bo provided as wanting in the Removing Wardrobe to be used in the furnishing the rooms and other places at Westminster against the Coronation : viz. 10,000 of large tenter hooks, 20,000 lesser ditto, 40,000 tacks, 2,000 crotch hooks, 12 hammers, 12 whiskes, six brushes, 12 lb. of packthread and 40 lb. of large thread lyar.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 55.
	Same to same to provide the following for the King's Champion. *Appending :* order of the King in Council dated April 10 inst. for the providing for the King's Champion a plume of feathers of 17 falls of the colour of the three nations viz. red, blue and white, and bases of cloth of gold ; a rich great field saddle with harness and trappings of cloth of gold ; rich holsters ; rich bridle bit ; and bosses with a plume of feathers in the head stall ; and two Trumpet Banners of the Champion's own arms.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Burton. Take the information of this bearer, Mr. Cooper, as to where assets are to be found belonging to Bullein Rymes, who is indebted to the King.	*Ibid*, p. 56.
	Same to the Customs Commissioners to forthwith employ James Croston as a quayman in London port as desired, *supra*, p. 68.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Fillingham. Treasurer Rochester is informed by Sir William Boreman this morning that the officers of the Greencloth had the use of the Long Gallery at the Coronation of the late King. You are to let them use it again, taking care that no prejudice be dono to his Majesty's records that are kept there. Sir William Boreman has declared that no person but themselves shall come thero.	*Ibid.*
	Same to tho [Exchequer Court] Auditor for Wales for a certificato what arrears are now due to the King from any of the Receivers, bailiffs, fee farmers or tenants of the King's land revenues in Wales.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Customs Commissioners to report on the enclosed proposals [missing] concerning lead. Also send an account what lead has been exported from the several ports of England within three years last past.	*Ibid.*
	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners of tho petitions of Jno. Steventon, William Barret, Edwd. Lassells, Jno. Cary, and Benja. Whichcott, merchant importers and traders in tobacco, shewing that debentures due upon	*Reference Book* III, p. 58.

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1685.	tobaeco exported from London to Newcastle and thence transported by land carriage to Scotland are refused to be paid to potitioners contrary to the continued practice ever since tho making of the Book of Rates and never before disputed save onco about seven years since and then given against the King by judgment of law; therefore pray rolief.	
April 13.	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of George Eastman to be promoted from a tidesman's to a tido-surveyor's or coastwaiter's place, ho being the husband of the daughter of Capt. Robt. Courser, who served the late King in several fights and was prisoner at Chelsea College two years, losing 2,000*l.* which was all he had.	*Reference Book* III, p. 62.
	Same by same to the Attorney and Solicitor General of the following paper. *Prefixing:* report dated April 13 [to Treasurer Rochester] from [Auditor] W. Aldworth and W. Lowndes. We have considered the point whether the late Contractors for the Hearthmoney should in their account be charged only with the rent answered to them [by their sub-Farmers] for Wales and the four Northern counties or with the gross produce [of the Hearthmoney] for those places. We find in their contract no covenant on their part to account for the gross produce, nor any covenant to restrain them from sub-farming in any plaee whatsoever. It is also true, as they allege, that the late Excise Farmers in their account were charged only with the rent paid by the sub-farmers of Excise in Wales and the four Northern Counties and not with the gross produco there. On the other hand it is plain that the persons called Contractors were mado only collectors, receivers and officers for the collecting, receiving and managing the revenue; in which quality thoy differ from absolute farmers and (without any express covenant) they seem liable to be accountants for the [whole Hearthmoney] revenue itself. The King covenanted to allow them 26,000*l.* for management if upon tho yearly accounts of said revenue it should appear that it had *bona fide* arisen to or made more than the yearly sum agreod upon, bad debts and arrears included. We conceive that the yearly account of the revenue here mentioned must needs be of the [whole] gross produet because it was to include arrears and bad debts and not merely such rent as the contractors would agree for "who in such case might make the rent and their own account by it to be as little as they should please." The said 26,000*l.* for management is mentioned to be for their charge and pains in management of the said revenue, to wit the [said] revenuo in genoral and not for part of it. If the Contraetors did do a lawful act in subfarming the Hoarthmoney of Wales and the four Northern Counties, (Farmers for years having generally an implicit power to make under leases when not restrained) yet the King may nevertheless have an account of what tho revenue itself arose to there and such account seems in this caso to bo tho more reasonable and necessary because if the Farmers could let part and account only for the rent, they might have lot more or the whole and have accounted only for the rent and so they might have gained to themselves	*Ibid*, pp. 65-6.

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1685.	the whole 26,000*l. per an.* or such part of it as they pleased without being at any charge at all, [which is] contrary to reason and the tenor of the contract. The case of the Hoarthmoney Contractors differs from that of the Excise Farmers in these respects. (1) Tho Excise Farmers by the patents by which they were to have their allowances for management had express leave to subfarm the Excise of Wales and the four Northern Counties at certain rents, without mention made that any abatement should be made of their allowances bocause they would be at no charge in Walcs or the said Counties ; but tho contract for the Hearthmoney contains no such express licence. (2) The Excise Farmers satisfied the Treasury Lords (when they accompted for the first three years) that the whole [allowance of] 55,000*l. per an.* and more was expended in management, which appears by the Treasury Lords allowing them 56,000*l. per an.* But it does not appear that the Hearthmoney Contractors have expended so much as their 26,000*l. per an.* We therefore think the King ought to have his account for the gross product of the Hearthmoney in the places aforesaid, "but it being a question of law wherein particularly tho power which the Contractors had to sub-farm the Hearthmoney may be considerable" we propose that the question be submitted to the King's Counsel.	
April 13.	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to Sir Robert Sawyer, Attorney General, of a draft warrant for tho Duke of Beaufort's allowances as Lord President of Wales.	*Reference Book* III, p. 68.
	Warrant by same to the Clerk of the Pipe for a lease to Col. William Morgan of premises as follow for 31 years from Lady day last at 10*l. per an.* *Prefixing :* (*a*) constat of the premises, being a piece of ground in the parish of St. Giles, Cripplegate, in a place called Middle Row or Rotton Row etc. *ut supra*, pp. 74–5. (*b*) ratal dated April 8 by the Surveyor General of Crown Lands of said constat. The lessee is to assert the King's title and recover possession at his own charge and to pay said rent from such recovery. Also ho is to rebuild the old and decayed houses at his own charge with brick walls and good and sound timber for the floors, windows and roof according to the scantlings and dimensions prescribed for the buildings within the city of London and to deliver yearly to the Auditor a perfect particular of every house so built or enjoyed by him : and likewise to keep same in repair etc. (For the signaturo docquet of this grant *see infra* under dato 1685, June 12.)	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, pp. 34–5.
	Fiat by same for royal letters patent to constitute Matthias Millar, Comptroller of Carlisle port, to wit, the office he held at the death of Charles II.	*Ibid*, p. 35
	Same by same for same to constituto Morgan Powell Comptroller of Milford port, being tho office he had *ut supra.*	*Ibid*, p. 36.
[?]	[Entry of the signaturo by Treasurer Rochester and Sir J. Ernle, Chancellor of the Exchequer, of the] docquet of a grant to John Pottenger, esq. of the custody of that part of the house of the Star	*Ibid*, p. 35.

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1685.	Chamber in Westminster which John Lawrenee lately had the custody of.	
April 13.	Money warrant for 2,795*l.* 18*s.* 10*d.* to Charles Toll for interest and gratuity on several sums lent by himself, or by others by his appointment, for the service of the late King: as by an aecount thoreof made up to the 1st inst. by Auditor Aldworth and allowed by Treasurer Rochester the 8th inst. viz. 39,441*l.* due to him at the foot of his last aecount [as made up to Jan. 1 last] the interest thereon being from Jan. 1 last to the 1st inst.; and on 20,000*l.* lont in the names of Anthony Sturt, snr. and junr., the interest thereon being from 1684, June 30, to the 1st inst.; and on 36,000*l.* lent in the name of Edward Noell, the interest thereon being from Oet 20 last to the 1st inst.; and on 4,000*l.* lent in the name of James Nihil, the interest thereon being from 1684, Mar. 30, to the 1st inst. (Money order dated April 14 horeon.)	*Money Book* VI, p. 40. *Order Book* I, p. 15.
	Same for 3,207*l.* 2*s.* 2*d.* to Richard Kent and Charles Duncombe for interest to Mar. 25 last on several sums by them advanced and lent for tho service of the present and late King as by an account thereof made up to that date by Auditor Aldworth and allowed the 8th inst. by Treasurer Rochester. (Money order dated April 14 hereon.)	*Money Book* VI, p. 40. *Order Book* I, p. 14.
	Same for 2,599*l.* 12*s.* 9*d.* to said Kent and Duncombe for interest to 1684, Dec. 25, on several sums by them advanced for the servico of the late King Charles II as by an aecount thereof made up to that date by Auditor Aldworth and allowed Mar. 3 last by Treasurer Rochestcr. (Money order dated April 14 hereon.)	*Money Book* VI, p. 41. *Order Book* I, p. 14.
	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Cashier to pay the 1685, Lady day quarter's salary bill of the Customs, London port; except such patent offieers as are paid by particnlar warrant and excepting also 300*l.* therein inserted for Sir Dudley North, who is not to receive that quarter's salary, not having aetod as a Commissioner of the Customs by virtue of the present Commission until 1685, Lady day was past. (Total bill, 5,702*l.* 2*s.* 0*d.* for established salaries, 116*l.* 5*s.* 0*d.* for additional salaries, or in all 5,818*l.* 7*s.* 0*d.*)	*Money Book* VI, p. 41.
	Money orders for 20*l.* each to John Lowe (Low), gent., and Peter Le Neve, gent., deputy Chamberlains of tho Roceipt, for 1684, Michaelmas and Hilary terms, on their additional increase of fee in respect of extraordinary serviee in sorting and ordering his Majesty's Reeords as woll foreign as domostie romaining in tho Treasury at Wostminster.	*Order Book* I, p. 15.
April 14	Referenee by Treasurer Southampton to the Customs Commissioners (on a referenee from the King dated April 3) of the petition of Michael Levy for pardon he being indieted in the King's Bench by roason that one William Plumb, elerk to the solicitor of the customs, altered the indentures of tho appraisement of some prohibited goods and thoreupon to exeuse himself, accused petitioner of having persuaded him thereunto.	*Reference Book* III, p. 67.
	Samo by same to same of the petition of Philip Rycaut, late Consul at Algier, for delivery to him	*Ibid.*

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1685.	of 15 casks of wine of that country which, before he heard of his recall from Algier, he had made in his own house [at Algiers] for his own use and which, desiring to bring home for a novelty, he laded on the *William* of London, Dutch built, but made free in England, on which he himself also embarked, there being at the time no other vessel in port bound for Christendom, but on arrival at London same is seized under the Act which prohibits the import of any commodities of the growth of the Ottoman dominions in other than English built ships; petitioner being ignorant that Algiers was esteemed part of the Ottoman Empire. Hereon the Customs Commissioners are directed to deliver said wines if they find it proper so to do.	
April 14.	Henry Guy to the Solicitor General to report on the enclosed draft [missing] of a letter. "Letter mentioned [is] not to be entered."	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 56.
	Same to Mr. Darcy *et al.* to provide habits for the musicians as follows. *Appending:* order of the King in Council dated Whitehall, April 10, for the providing of habits for the following 36 musicians who are to attend at the Coronation, viz.: Dr. Staggins, Master [of the King's Music], Thomas Farmer, William Clayton, Jeffry Aleworth, John Twiss, John Crouch, John Banister, Henry Heale, Will. Hall, Rob. Carr, Rob. King, Tho. Fitts, Nat. French, John Gosdin, Edm. Flower, Edw. Hewton [Hooton], James Banister, Richard Tomlinson, James Peasable, Henry Brockwell, Thomas Finall, Robert Strong, Richd. Robinson, Simon Hopper, John Singleton, Tho. Staggins, Will. Grogory, Fred Stefkins, John Moss, Charles Coleman, Fra. Crewes, Hen. Gregory, Tho. Lanier, Dr. Blow, Hen. Purcell, John Lenton.	*Ibid.*
	Treasurer Rochester to the Earl of Craven. The officers and clerks of the Exchequer by an ancient privilege (whereof there can be no question made) have been exempted from musters and are only by their places to attend the Lord Treasurer with their arms and furniture whenever there shall be occasion. Some of them are summoned to appear with their arms and particularly Mr. Wardour, Clerk of the Pells, on pretence that he lives not in one of the King's houses as some other of the said officers do, but in a house of his own building which he built on purpose to be near to attend his employment. Please discharge him and the rest of said officers and clerks from service and attendance at the musters.	*Ibid*, p. 57.
	Order by Treasurer Rochester for the execution and satisfaction of a money order dated 1684, Nov. 4, for 16,000*l.* to the Earl of Rochester *ut supra*, *Calendar of Treasury Books*, Vol. VII, p. 1368. *Appending:* extract [from the issue books of the Tellers of the Exchequer] of three payments made by [Teller] Vernon in part of the said order; viz. 1,000*l.* on the 1st Dec., 1684, 1,000*l.* on Dec. 22, 1,000*l.* on Dec. 31.	*Order Book* I, p. 14.
	Warrant by same to Mrs. Amey Lawrence, widow of John Lawrence, late Receiver of First Fruits. to pay to Robert Squibb, present	*Money Book* VI, p. 41.

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1685.	Receivor of First Fruits, 64*l.* 18*s.* 6*d.* (viz. 12*l.* 5*s.* 9¼*d.* remaining in her late husband's hands at the determination of his last account 1684, Dec. 31, and 52*l.* 12*s.* 10⅓*d.* received between that dato and his decease, as is certified by John Brewer, doputy Auditor of First Fruits) and also all such further sums as shall appear to bo due from hor said late husband upon the [final] stating and declaring of his accounts.	
April 14.	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue to Philip Packer, Paymaster of tho Works, tho 375*l.* remaining unissued on the 500*l.* directed for him Nov. 6 last by tho late Treasury Lords for one year to 1684, April 1, for the repair of Audley End (on which direction only 125*l.* has been paid out of the farm of unwrought wood) and similarly 300*l.* to same remaining unpaid on tho direction of same date for 400*l.* to Packer for his Majosty's paving in extraordinary for one year (on which direction there has been only 100*l.* paid out of tho abovo fund). Both these present issues aro to be made on the order of the 4th inst. *supra*, p. 104, for 10,000*l.* to Packer for tho Works and are to be satisfied out of the farm of unwrought wood.	*Money Book* VI, p. 42.
	Same by same to said Packer to pay to the oxecutors of William Wayte, late keeper of the Privy Garden at Whitehall, 371*l.* 19*s.* 8*d.* for wages and disbursements for keeping the said garden and the Fountain Garden there and for cleansing the long Stone Gallery in Whitehall Palace for one year onded 1683, Mar. 25; as by four bills signed by Philip Kirke, housekeeper of said palace.	*Ibid.*
	Allowance by same of the 1684, Christmas half year's salary bill of the Hearthmoney (total 995*l.*: the officers being as follows, Alderman Duncombe, Treasurer, at 400*l. per an.*; Cha. Dering, Comptroller, at 320*l. per an.*; William Man, Auditor General, at 320*l. per an.*; Edward Noell, Secretary, at 200*l. per an.*; Samuel Richardson, Accountant General, at 100*l. per an.*; Edward Stack, clerk of the securities and correspondent, at 100*l. per an.*; George Blackborn, accountant of tho London district, at 120*l. per an.*; Benj. Read, Maw. Fitz Gerald, Edmd. Cotter, Tho. Pockham as country accomptants at 100*l. per an.* each; John Richardson, Tho. Spann, Tho. Hunton, Sam. Johnson, Jno. Weager as assistants to tho abovesaid accountants at 50*l. per an.* oach; Thomas Gill as doorkeoper and storekeeper at 40*l. per an.*; William Coal as messenger at 20*l. per an.*).	*Ibid*, p. 43.
	Same by samo of the 1685, Lady day quarter's salary bill of the Hearthmoney as above. (Total, 567*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.*)	*Ibid*, p. 44.
	Same by same of the 1685, Lady day quarter's salary bill of the Excise Office. (Total, 4,759*l.*: the officers being as follows: seven Commissioners at 1,000*l. per an.* each; five Commissioners of Appoals at 200*l. per an.* each; Register at 100*l. per an.*; messonger and doorkeeper at 40*l. per an.* each; Auditor at 700*l. per an.*; Comptroller at 740*l.* and 500*l. per an.*; Charles Duncombe, cashier, at 1,550*l. per an.*; two Registers at 350*l. per an.*; solicitor at 200*l. per an.*;	*Ibid*, pp. 44–5.

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	housekeeper at 400*l. per an.* ; Mr. Noell, additional salary 225*l. per an.* ; Mr. Sheldrake, assistant to Noel, at 100*l. per an.* ; Mr. Haines, clerk to Noel, at 40*l. per an.* ; Mr. Dafforn at 150*l. per an.* ; Mr. Nokes at 110*l. per an.* ; Mr. Widdowson, his assistant, at 50*l. per an.* ; Mr. Hussey, correspondent, at 80*l. per an.* ; Mr. Berkeley, his assistant, at 40*l. per an.* ; Mr. Houghton, accountant to the London brewery, at 100*l. per an.* ; Mr. Vickers, ditto, at 80*l. per an.* ; Mr. Chambers, Mr. Crowder and Mr. How, accountants for tho country [Excise], at 80*l. per an.* each ; Mr. Lloyd, Mr. Taylor, Mr. Sampson and Mr. Man, messengers to the London brewers, at 50*l. per an.* each ; Nat. Wood, doorkeeper, at 40*l. per an.* ; Hen. Wright, porter for parcels to the carriors, at 30*l. per an.* ; Thom. Foster, John Grice, William Lee, watchmen, at 30*l. per an.* each ; Francis Hutchins, yardkeeper, at 15*l. per an.* ; 10 surveyors of the London brewers at 70*l. per an.* each ; 37 London gaugers at 52*l. per an.* each ; 10 seven shilling men at 18*l.* 4*s. per an.* each ; John Farmer, chief examiner for the country books, at 100*l. per an.* ; Benj. Larke, Thom. Rand, John Smith, three other clerks for the same [country books], at 70*l. per an.* each ; John Beal, collector at the Custom House for imported liquor, at 80*l. per an.* ; Mr. Shrub, surveyor of imported liquors at the Custom House, at 100*l. per an.* ; Mr. Godfery, landwaiter at the Custom House, at 80*l. per an.* ; Mr. Walker, gauger of the imported liquors and general gauger of all vessels in London, at 140*l. per an.* ; Mr. Sheppard, his assistant, at 40*l. per an.* ; Mr. Edward Pilsworth, senr., general surveyor of the officers for strong waters and coffee, at 300*l. per an.* ; Anthony Mason, clerk for strong waters, at 100*l. per an.* ; William Day and John Stoad, surveyors for strong waters, at 55*l. per an.* each ; seven gaugers for strong waters, at 50*l. per an.* each, and two others at 40*l. per an.* each ; Daniel Pilsworth, an outgauger, at 30*l. per an.* ; John Wickham, supernumerary, at 30*l. per an.* ; Thom. Hurdis, clerk for coffee, at 80*l. per an.* ; Edwd. Pilsworth, clerk for coffee, at 60*l. per an.* ; William Baker and Jno. Whittacre, surveyors for coffee, cider etc. at 50*l. per an.* ; Robert Longford, coffee gauger, at 30*l. per an.*)	
April 14.	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to Edward Ange, solicitor for his Majesty in matters relating to Recusants, to write to the respective sheriffs to whom any process is directed against the Rocusants named in tho schodulo hereto annexed [missing] requiring them to forbear the execution thereof until the end of next Easter term.	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI. p. 36.
	Constitution and appointment by same of George Collins of Helston, co. Cornwall, gent., to be one of the four supervisors of the tin blowing houses in Cornwall and Devon (to wit, the office which he held [up to the doath of Charles II.] by instrument from the late Treasury Lords dated 1681–2, Jan. 14) to attend, survey and take care of the particular blowing houses following, viz. one in the parish of St. Allen, one in St. Agnes, one in Illogan, one in Redruth, one in Gwennap, one at Penryn and another called Trecoas, lately built near Penryn, all in co. Cornwall : all during the King's pleasure and with power to seize tin under the law or custom of the Stannaries : and likewise with authority over	*Ibid*, pp. 38–9.

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1685.	all blowing houses that shall hereafter be built [within his supervision district]. Tho like of William Upcot of Truro, esq. for three blowing houses in Kenwyn, one in St. Stephen's, one in St. Austell, one at Polgooth in the parish of St. Ewe and another lately built called Bessow House in the parish of Kea, near Truro, all in co. Cornwall: (his former commission being dated 1680, Aug. 16). Tho like of George Treweeke of Maddern [Madron], co. Cornwall, for one called Godolphin House in the parish of Bryack [Breage], one in Ludgvan, one usually called Chyandower House, in the parish of Gulval, three in Gwendron [Wendron] and one latoly built called Rose Kymershouse in the parish of Mawgan, near Helston, all in co. Cornwall: (his former commission being dated 1680, Aug. 16). The liko of Nathll. Luggar of Bodmin, co. Cornwall, for ono in Plympton, one in Shestow [Sheepstor], co. Devon, ono in Blasy [St. Blazey], one in St. Neot, ono in Linkinhorne, ono in Calstock, and one lately built in the parish of St. Agnes: (his former commission being dated 1680, Aug. 16).	
April 14.	Henry Guy to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue to Philip Packer, Paymaster of tho Works, tho 1,500*l.* now remaining in the Exchequer and formerly intended to be issued to him: same to be as in part of the order of the 4th inst. for 10,000*l.* and is to be employed in the King's buildings at Winchester.	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 22.
	Same to the Commissioners of Hearthmoney, enclosing the paper of the disposition of the moneys of the Excise and the Hearthmoney for the present week as follows:	*Ibid*, pp. 23, 24.

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Out of the Excise.			
to Charles Fox, Paymaster of the Forces	4,500	0	0
to Mr. Toll in part of his interest account to April 1 inst.	1,000	0	0
to Mr. Hornby in part of his interest account to 1684, Christmas ..	696	4	4
to Sir Robt. Vyner	500	0	0
to Excise Commissioners [Office], their quarter's salary due at Christmas last	3,655	0	0
to the [Excise Office] under officers, their salary due at Lady day last	1,754	0	0
to me [Guy] for secret service ..	310	0	0
	12,415	4	4
Out of Hearthmoney.			
to Mr. Deering on his tally	1,000	0	0
to Mr. Noell in part of his interest account to 1684, Oct. 20	1,000	0	0
to ditto on his tallies in part of his debt	1,000	0	0
to seventeen Serjeants at Arms for half a year	853	3	9
for the [Hearthmoney Office] quarter [salary] book due at Christmas last	995	0	0
to the Treasurer of the Navy for Luke Noone, the slopseller ..	500	0	0
to ditto for Sir Tho. Beckford in part of 500*l.*	182	15	0
to Sir George Etheridge	273	0	0
	£5,803	18	9

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1685.	(Same dated April 15 to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue items 1–4 and 7 of the Excise moneys above and items 1, 2, 4, 6, 7, 8 of the Hearthmoney moneys out of such of those moneys as is directed to be this week paid into the Exchequer: [the remaining items being payable direct out of the Excise Office on tallies].)	
April 14.	Henry Guy to the Customs Cashier, enclosing the paper of the disposition of the Customs cash for the present week as follows:	*Disposition Book* IV, pp. 23, 24.

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
towards paying the quarter book [of the salaries, London port]	2,000	0	0
to Richard Kent and Mr. Duncombe for interest due at Christmas, 1684	2,599	12	9
to the Treasurer of the Navy [on the Navy's] weekly money	3,000	0	0
to ditto towards paying off the sea officers and bills in course	400	0	0
to ditto for the Victuallers	600	0	0
to ditto for Mr. Taylor in further part of his contract for stores ..	2,000	0	0
to the Treasurer of the Ordnance [on the Ordnance Office's] weekly money	2,000	0	0
to me [Guy] for secret service ..	500	0	0
to the late Treasury Lords for last Christmas quarter's salary ..	2,000	0	0
to Mr. Packer in full of Sir Cristopher Wren's estimate for the Coronation	15	0	0
to ditto for repairing the two Courts of Wards	200	0	0
to the Earl of Sunderland for secret service	1,000	0	0
to Mr. Knight on account of the late King's funeral and the Coronation	1,000	0	0
	£17,314	12	9

(Same dated April 15 to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue all except the first of the above items out of such Customs money as is directed to be this week paid into the Exchequer: [the said first item being already warranted and directed].)

April 15.	Same to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue out of the Post Office money 317*l.* 5*s.* 0*d.* to the Treasurer of the Navy for Sir Thomas Beeford [which with the above 182*l.* 15*s.* 0*d.*, p. 133, will complete the said 500*l.* to him].	*Ibid*, p. 24.
	Same to same to issue to Treasurer Rochester as in further part of 16,000*l.* granted to him out of the estate of Ford, Lord Grey, the sum of 900*l.* which is paid into the Exchequer by Mr. Graham out of the profits of said estate.	*Ibid*, p. 22.
	Privy seal for the payment to John Robinson, agent in the Court of the King of Sweden, of such ordinary and extraordinaries as are now in arrear or shall become due to him at his return into the King's presence: without accompt.	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 117.
April 16.	Henry Guy to Mr. Duncombe [Treasurer of the Excise] to forthwith pay 3,000*l.* to Col. Werden for the Queen and to go to him immediatoly this very day to know	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 24.

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1685.	how he will have it paid. You are to put said sum into your next [weekly] certificate of the Excise.	
April 17.	Authorization by Treasurer Rochester (as Farmer to the King of all fines on writs of Covenant and writs of Entry and of issues and profits and other things compounded for in the Alienation Office) to John Pottinger (Potenger), one of the masters of the High Court of Chancery, to attend in the Office of Alienations for taking such oaths of the King's subjects and signing all such writs of Covenant and writs of Entry concerning lands or tenements holden or not holden; as formerly used: to enjoy the said place with all fees, profits etc. thereof during the Lord Treasurer's pleasure and as fully as Nathaniell Crew, Richard Courthop or any other heretofore.	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, p. 36.
April 18.	Henry Guy to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue the 3,000*l.* of Hearthmoney now remaining in the Exchequer to Col. Werden for the Queen's use, on the order of the 7th inst., *supra*, p. 105.	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 24.
	Same to the Navy Commissioners to assign payment to Luke Noone, slopseller [to the Navy], of 500*l.* on account of what is due to him.	*Ibid.*
April 20.	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners to discharge the seizure of Martin Simonds, shipmaster, and his ship the *Hope*, of Amsterdam; the said Commissioners having reported the 15th inst. (on said Simonds' petition *ut supra*, pp. 118–9) that vessels owned or part owned by aliens on which any wool etc. shall be laden is forfeit by the Act of 12 Car. II. [c. 32, § 10], but it does not appear that the master was privy thereto, but that on the contrary great art was used in contriving the package the better to pass the said wool as red herrings which was done by a Dutchman, who is since fled: and further that by an old statute it is provided that a ship shall not be forfeited for a small matter and that the case deserves compassion.	*Out Letters* (*Customs*) X, p. 17.
	Henry Guy to Richard Kent, the Customs Cashier. Send Treasurer Rochester the copy of your agreement with the late Treasurer Danby [concerning the regular pay of the Navy etc.] and also the copy of your patent [as Customs Cashier].	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 57.
	Same to Mr. Darcy *et al.* to immediately provide two rich cushions for their Majesties' crowns to be carried on at the Coronation.	*Ibid.*
April 21.	Same to Alderman Duncombe [Cashier of Excise etc.] to forthwith upon sight hereof advance 500*l.* to Mris. Gwynne "and to bring it in your next week's certificate of the Excise." Treasurer Rochester likewise commands me to put you in mind of paying the Forces for this week.	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 24.
	Same to the Customs Commissioners to send to the Countess of Sunderland's lodgings at Whitehall a box directed to Mr. Hosier for her.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 58.
	Same to the Mint Commissioners. It is the King's pleasure that there be provided against the Coronation 100 gold medals of the King and 50 gold medals of the Queen more than have been before directed to be provided.	*Ibid.*

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1685. April 21.	Henry Guy to the Auditor of the Receipt to advance, out of the money remaining in the Exchoquer for redemption of English captives, 500*l.* to Robt. Squibb junr., for that service. The warrants for tho regular issuing thercof shall be sent to you as soon as they can be passed.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 58.
	Same to the Customs Cashier. Although you bring no certificate [of the Customs recoipts and payments] for this week being a broken week, yet you are to bring two distinct certificates this day week, viz. one for tho week ending to-day, the other for the week ending this day week. (The like letter to Mr. Frowde for tho Post Office and to Mr. Duncombe for the Excise and Hearthmoney.)	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Customs Commissioners, enclosing (*a*) *infra*. If the matter is as alleged you are to order the stuffs to be delivered. *Appending:* (*a*) undated, unsigned paper. On Saturday the 18th inst. nino pieces of rich gold stuffs were landed at Dover, being to serve at the Coronation and having been cleared there, as usually were sent by an express with the cocquets from the Custom House in good form, but on the following day they were stopped at Gravesend by Stephen Chuseman and Richard Evans, soarchers, "pretending they should be carried into the Custom House at London, as it is usual, without any regard to the present circumstances," the goods being expected by several peeressos.	*Out Letters* (*Customs*) X, p. 18.
	Warrant from Treasurer Southampton to the Customs Commissioners to employ William Brisban (one of the extraordinary tidesmen, London port) as a tidesman in fee *ibid. loco* Tho. Eagleston, lately dismissed. Richd. Saunders as a same [*ibid.*] *loco* Edward Enston, lately dismissed. Lawrence Cole (registor of certificates in the isle of Jersey) as surveyor at Poole *loco* Thomas Cope, lately dismissed: with 10*l. per an.* additional salary to enable him to keep a horso for preventing frauds. William Hely (tidesman in Cowes port) as register of certificates in Jersey *loco* said Cole. John Watts as a tidesman, Poole port *loco* Thomas Lymo, lately dismissed. The salary of the boatmen and tidesmen in Poole port (who have 10*l. per an.* and 2*s.* per day when employed) to be made 25*l. per an.* certain by way of salary without incidents. Tho. Fenwick (waiter and searcher at Clovelly) to be waiter and searcher at Neston in Chester port *loco* Tho. Singleton, lately deceased. Hugh Archor as waiter and searcher for the Four and a Half *per cent.* duty and the Plantation duty at Bridgetown in Barbados *loco* John Comly, lately deceased. Spencer Bretton (riding surveyor between Yarmouth and Mundsley) as surveyor at Norwich *loco* John Nicholls, lately deceased: and the salary of the said riding surveyorship to be sunk. Henry Hastings, surveyor at Parkstone in Poole port, to be laid aside and his office suppressed, and one of the landwaiters of said port to be reduced by removing Daniel Slater, one of the said landwaiters, to be waiter at Christchurch in Southampton port	*Ibid*, pp. 20, 21.

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1685.		
	loco John Imber, deceased, until a place offer for him of equal salary with that at Poole.	
April 21.	Money warrants for 50*l.* 3*s.* 9*d.* each to the following, for half a year each to the respective dates on their fee of 3*s.* a day and allowance of 2*s.* 6*d.* a day for boardwages as sergeants at arms, viz.: Roger Charnock, esq. to 1682, June 24. Sir Roger Harsnet to 1684, June 24. Richard Shoreditch to 1684, Aug. 16. George Smith to 1677, Lady day. William Bishop, esq. to 1679, Oct. 10. Edmund Williamson to 1674, Michaelmas. Richard Maddox to 1684, Michaelmas. Thomas Paine, to 1678, Michaelmas, on his fee and to 1678, Christmas, on his allowance. Francis Vassall, to 1683–4, Mar. 24. The executors of William Mease, to 1680, Christmas. Thomas Charnock, esq. to 1683, Michaelmas. John Templer, to 1680, June 24. Joseph Harvey, to 1680, Christmas. John Topham, to 1680, Christmas. Orlando Fitz Simonds, to 1672, Lady day, on his fee and to 1673, Lady day, on his allowance.	*Money Book* VI, p 46.
	Same for 9*l.* 2*s.* 6*d.* to Sir William Bishop for half a year to 1682, Lady day, on his fee of 1*s.* a day as serjeant at arms attending the House of Commons; and for 41*l.* 1*s.* 3*d.* for same time to make his fee equal to the fees and allowances of the rest of the serjeants at arms. (Money order dated April 25 hereon for said 41*l.* 1*s.* 3*d.*)	*Ibid*, p. 46. *Order Book* I, p. 15.
	Same for 50*l.* 3*s.* 9*d.* to Henry Ball for half a year to Michaelmas last as a serjeant at arms: the fee and allowance thereof having been granted 1684, Mar. 25, to John Ramsey (since deceased), and said Ball, which patent was surrendered in November following. (Money order dated April 27 hereon.)	*Money Book* VI, p. 47. *Order Book* I, p. 19.
	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Auditor and the Receiver of the revenue of the Duchy of Cornwall to pay to Sir Bernard de Gomme 118*l.* for half a year to Lady day last on his fee, wages or allowance of 13*s.* 4*d.* a day as Chief and Principal Engineer of all his Majesty's garrisons, castles and fortifications.	*Money Book* VI, p. 47.
	Royal warrant to the Attorney or Solicitor General for a great seal for a grant to Sir Christopher Wren of the office of Surveyor of the Works within the Tower of London and in all the King's honors, castles, lordships and manors which the King usually reserves for his repair and abode: which office he held by grant from Charles II dated 1669, Mar. 29, during pleasure, which grant is determined or supposed to be determined by the late King's death: to hold said office by himself or sufficient deputy with the wages and fees of 2*s.* a day for himself and 6*d.* a day for his clerk payable half yearly from Lady day last, and 4*s.* a day for diet, boat hire and ridings of him and his deputies, to be paid by the Paymaster of the Works as often as any such causes and charges shall prove requisite: also for a grant to said Wren of the office of Comptroller of the works of Windsor Castle and of all manors, lodges etc. in Windsor Forest as enjoyed	*King's Warrant Book* X, pp. 80–1.

Date.	Nature and Substance of the Entry.	Reference.
1685.	by Hugh May, lately deceased; with the fee of 6*d.* a day payable quarterly from Lady day last out of the revenues of the Castle of Windsor: he to obey all the orders of the Treasury Lord or Lords.	
April 21.	Royal warrant to the Attorney or Solicitor General for a great seal for a grant to Mathew Banks of the office of Chief Carpenter of all the King's Works within the Kingdom of England, to wit the office he held by grant dated 1683, May 18, from the late King: with the fee of 12*d.* a day payable half yearly as from Lady day last.	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 81.
	Royal sign manual for 310*l.* to Henry Guy for secret service, without account: to be issued on the 10,000*l.* privy seal dormant of Feb. 27 last. (Money warrant dated April 27 hereon. Money order dated April 28 hereon.)	*Ibid*, p. 81. *Money Book* VI, p. 47. *Order Book* I, p. 19.
	Royal warrant to the Attorney or Solicitor General for a great seal for a grant to John South of the messuages etc. as follow and also the personal estate of Richard Nelthorpe *alias* Nelthrop, forfeited to the late King by attainder: to hold the said messuages etc. for said Nelthorpe's life and to hold said personal estate for ever, he paying thereout 14*l.* 15*s.* 0*d.* to John Booth and John Thornton for so much by them disbursed for repairs: it appearing that by virtue of a commission dated Dec. 13 last an inquisition was taken at East Retford, co. Notts, Jan. 10 last, before Sir Edwd. Nevill etc. when it was found that said Nelthorpe was in 1682–3, Mar. 2, seized of five messuages or cottages called farm houses, and eight cottages with common of pasture and three cottages without common of pasture and divers closes of arable and pasture land in Clayworth, co. Notts, to the value of 120*l. per an.* and then in the possession or tenure of John Booth and John Thornton and that there remained in the hands of said Booth and Thornton 89*l.* 5*s.* 6*d.* for arrears of rent, and in the hands of Eustace Hooker 120*l.* 14*s.* 6*d.* of said Nelthorpe's money received by said Hooker for another parcel of the arrears of rent, and 30*l.* in the hands of John Booth of London, soapboiler, and further that said John Booth first named and John Thornton had laid out 14*l.* 15*s.* 0*d.* in necessary reparations after said Mar. 2. The present grant is in consideration of the faithful services of said South and family and in performance of the intentions of the late King Charles II.	*King's Warrant Book* X, pp. 82–3.
	Same to same for a same to create an office of agent and solicitor for the affairs of the Wine Licence revenue to the end the said revenue may be the better managed and improved; and for a grant of said office to Edward Ange, gent.; to hold during pleasure with the yearly fee or salary of 150*l.* payable quarterly as from Lady day last: he to obey the instructions of the Treasury Lord or Lords and of the Wine Licence Commissioners.	*Ibid*, p. 83.
	Same to same for a same for a grant and restitution to George Porter of all his personal estate forfeited by the felonious killing of Sir James Hacket, kt.	*Ibid*, p. 84.
	Same to same for a same for a grant to William Ireland of the office of Chief Glazier of all the King's	*Ibid*, pp. 85–6.

Date.	Nature and Substance of the Entry.	Reference.
1685.	buildings within the kingdom of England as granted to him by the late King 1683, Nov. 15: to hold during pleasure with the fee of 1*s.* a day and 24*s.* *per an.* for a livory: as from Lady day last.	
April 21.	Royal warrant to the Attorney or Solicitor General for a great seal for a grant to Robt. Streater of the office of the King's Serjeant Painter and Serjeant Painter of all the King's Works as well belonging the palaces and royal houses as to the Great Wardrobe and all such other works for which he was appointed painter by the patent of 1679, May 17: to hold during pleasure with the fee of 10*l.* *per an.* payable half yearly as from Lady day last.	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 86.
	Same to the Clerk of the Signet for a privy seal to continue to Thomazine Fincher, widow of Major Richard Fincher, for 10½ years from Michaelmas last, the annuity of 80*l.* granted to said Richard Fincher by the late King 1664, Aug. 26, for his active and faithful service towards the Restoration and payable by the Receiver of the Duchy of Cornwall out of the profits of the manor of Fordington, co. Dorset, which annuity has been paid up to Michaelmas last and being only granted under the privy seal no further payments can be made thereon in consequence of the death of Charles II. Hereby the 40*l.* due for last Lady day half year is to be forthwith paid.	*Ibid*, pp. 87–8.
April 25.	Authorisation by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners for their granting such extraordinary commissions as they think fit for seizing uncustomed and prohibited goods under such instructions etc. as in the like order of the late Treasury Lords: the said Commissioners having represented that the late Treasury Lords gave them like authorisation and that by such authority they have with good effect to the King's service given commissions to the officers of Excise round the coast of England by which means they hope in time to reduce the charge of the riding surveyors; and that they daily have other occasions to grant such commissions.	*Out Letters* (*Customs*) X, p. 19.
	Henry Guy to Mr. Griffin, Treasurer of the Chamber. In pursuance of the King's pleasure I have paid Serjeant Branch 200*l.* as in part of what is due to him in your Office.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 58.
	Same to the Customs Commissioners to pass without any further stop the Duchess of Portsmouth's goods now on board the *Katherine* yacht, Capt. Davis commander; and to view the remainder of her goods at Whitehall with a view to their being transported.	*Ibid*, p. 59.
April 27.	Royal warrant to the Attorney or Solicitor General for a great seal to constitute John Dryden ("in consideration of the many good and acceptable services performed by him to our royal brother and our self") to be Poet Laureat and Historiographer Royal with the annuity or pension of 200*l.* *per an.* and 100*l.* *per an.* by way of addition for his encouragement diligently to attend the said employment: payable quarterly as from Lady day last: and also for granting him one butt or pipe of the best Canary wine yearly: and all other profits etc. to said office appertaining: to hold	*King's Warrant Book* X, pp. 95–6.

Date.	Nature and Substance of the Entry.	Reference.
1685.	during pleasure: he having had a similar grant of said office with said 200*l.* *per an.* by grant dated 1670, Aug. 18, and of said 100*l.* *per an.* additional by grant of 1677, July 31.	
April 27.	Henry Guy to the Commissioners of Excise and Hearthmoney for a certificate of the product of the 8*d.* per gallon on brandy for two or three years last past.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 59.
	Same to the Attorney General. In renewing the patent of Mr. Dryden as Poet Laureat the clause for the butt of Canary yoarly is to be omitted, "that having not been allowed of late."	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Customs Cashier. Send this afternoon your certificate of the Customs [cash] for the week ended Tuesday last. The like to Mr. Lilly for the same week's certificate of the Post Office [cash].	*Ibid.*
	Treasurer Rochester to the Justices of the Peace in co. Sussex. Complaint is lately made to me that divers justices of your county refuse to hear and determine informations of offences committed against the Excise by several brewers and victuallers of said county, on pretence that the offences were committed out of their rape or division, though they are in truth the justices residing near the place where the offence is committed, whereas the justices of the rape concerned live more remote. By the Excise Acts such offences are to be heard by two or more justices residing near the place where the offence is committed without any respect to the division, "and I well know that every Justice of the Peace appointed in each county is a Justice of the Peace for the whole county and he may act in every part thereof if occasion be." I desire that henceforth every justice for your county act according to the Excise laws without insisting on the nicety of the rape or division.	*Ibid*, pp. 59–60.
	Henry Guy to Mr. Hewer to pay Job. Atkins the 10*l.* due to him April 1 inst. for half a year on his pension. Prepare the necessary warrant for Treasurer Rochester to sign for allowing this.	*Ibid*, p. 60.
	Same to the Mint Commissioners. It is the King's pleasure that medals (of gold of the King and of the Queen) be presented to the 21 public ministers and the six other strangers of quality as follows. You are to prepare same and delivor them to Sir Charles Cotterell [Master of the Ceremonies] who is to present same to them. "And because the medals made against the Coronation, being done in haste, could not be very exact," these are to be made more exact and better than the others were, Treasurer Rochester being of opinion that the King's stamp [or image] may be now made more plain than it was, viz.: *Public Ministers.* the French ambassador. the Spanish ambassador. the ambassadors from Holland. the Emperor's Envoy. the Envoys of Sweden, Denmark, Portugal. the Envoys Extraordinary of Brandenburg, Savoy, Hanover, Modena.	*Ibid*, pp. 60–1.

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1685.	the Residents of Venice, Brandenburg, Cologne, Florence, Neuburg. Monsieur Resigni of Modena. the Envoyé of Hesse Homberg. the Secretary of Genova. *Other strangers of quality.* the Prince of Nassau. two Princes of Saxe. a nephew of the Elector of Treves. Monsieur de Chateau-Vilain-Mortain [Chateau-villain Morstein]. Monsieur Bouckwalt [Buchwald].	
April 27.	Henry Guy to the Customs Cashier to delivor to Robt. Woolly so many of the bonds given by the East India Company as will satisfy the money due to him for saltpetre according to his tallios.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 61. *Reference Book* III, p. 70.
	Same to Mr. Darcy *et al.* to provido for the Dey of Tripoli the like present as was sent to the Dey of Algiers by Mr. Erlisman. It is to be sont by Mr. Lodington, who is going to Tripoli in the quality of Consul there, viz.: *l. s. d.* two pair of holster caps richly ombroidered with gold on green velvet with holster shanks (of William Hookes, sadler) .. .. 6 10 0 40 yards of rich gold and gold and silver brocard (of Matthew Howard, mercer) .. .. 100 0 0 several parcels of fine cloth and a Bowdye serge (of Nicho. Charlton, woollen draper) .. .. 195 6 0 four pair of fine screwed pistols, two pair [thereof] with silver caps and gilt with watergold (of Tho. Roberts) 20 10 0	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 61.
	Same to the Navy Commissioners. The time for payment (out of the 200*l.* per week lately ordered for officers) of any commission or warrant officers discharged before the term of the voyage is not to commence before the payment of the respective ships' companies in which they served, but is to take place with the rest of the officers who continued to the time of the said ship's discharge "unless you can otherwise provide for the payment of such officers discharged by ticket out of the 500*l.* weekly allowod for tickets, out of which I am informed you did formerly pay them."	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Customs Commissionors to report on tho enclosed papers [missing] being Sir Jno. Knight's complaint against Leshly, a landwaiter in Bristol port; and said Leshly's answer in a letter to Treasuror Rochoster.	*Ibid*, p. 62.
	Same to Mr. Pepys. The Customs Commissioners desiro that George Layfeild, who is appointed Comptroller and Surveyor of the duties in Maryland, may with his sorvant go in tho vessel appointod to attend Lord Howard of Effingham, Governor of Virginia. You are to obtain an order to the commander of said vessel to take them.	*Ibid.*
	Money warrant for 15*l.* to Ursula Elliot, widow, for last Lady day quarter on her annuity.	*Money Book* VI, p. 49.

Date.	Nature and Substance of the Entry.	Reference.
1685. [? April 27.]	Money order for 35*l.* to the clerks and ministers of the Receipt, viz. 7*l.* to John Lowe, 7*l.* to Peter Lo Neve, 5*l.* to Saml. Langford, 5*l.* to John Taylor as reward for special labour in attending and levying tallies etc. in vacation time for one year ending Lady day last: and 6*l.* to Edward Fleetwood, clerk to William Wardour for like attendance about the Pells of issue; and 5*l.* to Philip [Packer] and John Packer, doorkeepers of the Receipt, for tho like attendance.	*Order Book* I, p. 16
April 27.	Order by Treasurer Rochester (by virtue of the privy seal of Mar. 31 last *ut supra*, p. 73) for the execution of a money order of Jan. 21 last for 1,116*l.* 17*s.* 10*d.* to Edward Noell for interest and gratuity *ut supra, Calendar of Treasury Books,* Vol. VII, p. 1417.	*Ibid.*
	Same by same (by virtue of the privy seal of Mar. 31 last *ut supra*, p. 73) for execution of a money order dated Jan. 21 last for 1,803*l.* 18*s.* 2*d.* to said Noell for interest *ut supra, Calendar of Treasury Books,* Vol. VII, p. 1508.	*Ibid,* p. 17.
	Same by same (by virtue of the privy seal of Mar. 25 last *ut supra*, p. 84) for the payment to Charles Toll of 800*l.* remaining unpaid on a money order dated 1683, April 28, *ut supra, Calendar of Treasury Books,* Vol. VII, p. 777, for 4,000*l.* to the Marquess of Halifax in repayment of loan. *Prefixing:* (*a*) copy of said order; (*b*) recordaturs of payments made thereon by Teller [J.] Loving, viz. 1,000*l.* dated 1683, Nov. 10; 1,000*l.* Dec. 10, 1683; 170*l.* 5*s.* 11*d.* for interest 1683–4, Mar. 12; 600*l.* Aug. 14, 1684; 600*l.* Nov. 29, 1684; (*c*) assignment dated 1683–4, Feb. 29, by said Earl of Halifax to Charles Toll of 2,000*l.* of said loan of 4,000*l.*	*Ibid,* pp. 17–18.
	Henry Guy to Justice Perry to deliver forthwith to the officers of the Mint (to be by them weighed, melted down and recoined) the 90*l.* in your hands of clipped money part of the forfeited estate of Eleanor Bonnett *alias* Cabourne, lately condemned for clipping.	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 25.
	Same to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue to Charles Toll (as the assignee of the Marquess of Halifax) the 500*l.* raised by wood sales in New Forest and lately paid into the Exchequer by Thomas Agar.	*Ibid.*
	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to the Attorney General of the petition of Antho. Meeke, shewing that he was granted the office of undersearcher, London port, on the death of Mr. Evans, but is at present put by the execution of it by Mr. Cowly, who pretends a grant of the same, which grant is void by the sale of said office, it being an office of trust and expressly within the statute of Edw. VI forbidding the sale of such offices: therefore prays to be admitted to his said office.	*Reference Book* III, p. 70.
	Same by same to the Commissioners of Excise and Hoarthmoney of the petition of Na[tha]nll. Richards for some vacant place of general receiver of Hearth-money for some county.	*Ibid.*
	Same by same to same of the order of the King in Council as follows: *Prefixing:* said order dated Whitehall, April 3, referring to the Lord Treasurer the petition of	*Ibid,* p. 71.

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1685.	Andrew Barry, complaining of Charlos Banson, riding surveyor of the Excise, for prosecuting him for money due to the King from Honry Banson, Collector of Excise at Nowcastle, on protence that petitioner has in his hands 700*l.* of said Henry Banson's money.	
April 27.	Reference by Treasurer Rochoster to the Revonue Commissioners, Ireland, of the petition of James Turner, shewing that for several years past he has servod as principal survoyor of Customs, Dublin, and been instrumental in the improvement of that port: therefore praying some addition to his salary of 120*l. per an.*	*Reference Book* III, p. 71.
	Report by same to the King on the petition of Robert Spencer to the late King, *ut supra*, p. 29, said petition being referred to the Lord Treasurer Feb. 17 last. In 1670 potitioner and his partners took the farm of the Four and a Half *per cent.* duty in Barbados for seven years and by a privy seal of 1678–9, Mar. 9, were made accountable for the profits of said duty at 400*l. per an.* for four years only and three *per cent.* commission and brokerage besides other allowances as a reward for their pains for the residue of said seven years. The late Treasury Lords having ordered their accounts to pass accordingly petitioner or his partners have no right to any further demand. Petitioner has his remedy at law against his partners for an equal share of salary and profits. For any further allowance he can only have recourse to your Majesty's bounty, of which I conceive him a very worthy object.	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, p. 40.
	Indenture between same of tho one part and Peregrine Bertie (one of tho sons of Montaguo, late Earl of Lindsey), Sir Edmond Turnor of the Inner Temple, kt., Edward Courthopp, son of Sir George Courthop of Whyligh, co. Sussex, Charles Middleton of St. Martins in the Fields and Percivall Brunskell of St. Androws, Holborn, whereby Treasuror Rochester constitutes them his deputies for one year for the management of the profits of the Alienation Office, which have been let to said Lord Treasurer by the King by great seal dated April 2 inst.: (viz. the fines commonly called the Queen's fines or the King's fines in Chancery for purchasing or suing forth any writs of covenant and other writs for the only levying of fines, and the fines commonly called the King's fines or Quoen's fines in Chancery for purchasing any writs of entry in the post for the only suffering any common recovery by consent of parties:) they having beon omployed for many years in tho management of said revenue: they covenanting to observe his directions.	*Ibid*, pp. 41–2.
	Constitution by same of Henry Clerko, of tho Inner Temple, gent. [as officer] to attend in the abovesaid Offico of Alienations for entering writs of Covenant and writs of Entry: as amply etc. as Robert Westcombe or Ciprian Moore or any other horetofore.	*Ibid*, p. 42.
	Same by same of Samuel Rhodes of Lincolns Inn [as officer] to attend in the said Alienation Office for endorsing all writs of Covenant and writs of Entry:	*Ibid.*

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1685.	as amply etc. as William Bartholomew, Edward Carvile, Hugh Dod or any other heretofore.	
April 27.	Constitution by Treasurer Rochester of Edward Nicholas as Receiver of the abovesaid Office of compositions for Alienations: during pleasure and as amply etc. as Sir Arthur Aty, Sir John Suckling, Henry Tweedy, Tho. Bond or any others heretofore.	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, p. 43.
	Warrant by same to the Clerk of the Pipe for a lease to [Frances Kempe of tenoments as follow, the first thereof for 99 years terminable on the lives of Tho. Reede, Francis Kempe and John Dingley, son of John Dingley of Hall, in the parish of Linkinhorne, co. Cornwall, at the rent of 11*s.* 1*d.* *per an.* and fine of 20*l.*; and the socond thereof for 99 years terminable upon three lives to be nominated by Kempe at tho rent of 2*s.* *per an.* *Prefixing:* (*a*) particular and ratal of the first of said premises being a mossuage or tenement called Upton, now or late in the tenure of Robert Ayworth, gent. and parcel of the manor of Carnedon Prior and of the late Priory of Launceston and demised to Thomas Budge of Linkinhorne, yeoman, by patent of 1661, July 10, for the lives of the said Budge, Tho. Reed, junr., of Linkinhorne, yeoman, and John Cole, son of John Cole of the parcel of St. Sampson, co. Cornwall, at 11*s.* 1*d.* *per an.* rent. (*b*) Ditto of the second item, being a tenement with appurtenances containing by estimation 8 (18) acres, parcel of the manor of Carnedon Prior and of the late Priory of Launceston, now or late in the tenure of Richard Dingley at the rent of 12*d.* *per an.* as granted 1628, June 14, in trust to Sir John Walter, Sir James Fullerton, and Sir Tho. Trevor for 31 years and afterwards assigned by them to Thomas Caldwell by deed dated [16]28–9, Mar. 17. "I am informed by Edward Kneebone, the elder, of Linkinhorne, that the said parcel of land is called by the name of Crabland and was left in the King's hands at a general taking 30 Car. I (as '*non valet reddit*') but was afterwards left to him by the said Caldwell" for tho remainder of said term and since the expiry of the lease he acquainting the [county] auditor and receiver therewith they agreed that he might hold it at double the rent till a new lease should be granted, but it being very coarse, moorish land and of no value to him by reason of much tin working within it and the ways of carriage over it he set it over to Francis Kemp to whose common ground it adjoins, and who is therefore in possession, paying 2*s.* *per an.* rent to the King by the reeves of the manor, no new grant having been made.	*Ibid*, pp. 44–5.
	Same by same to same for a lease to Thomas Broadlake of three tenements in co. Cornwall, as follows, the fresh called Sharisland for 99 years terminable on one first life in reversion of two estates in being therein (viz. of Eliz. Deacon and Thomas Broadlake *ut infra*): under the old rent of 5*s.* 4*d.* *per an.* and fine of 3*l.* and 4*l.* for buying off the increased rent of 30*s.* *per an.*; the second tenement called Prinn's under the old rent of 8*s.* 4*d.* *per an.* and 12*l.* for buying off the increased rent of 3*l.* *per an.*; and the third tenement called Easter tenement (for one fresh life in reversion of Edward and Loar Broadlake, his son and daughter, granted therein	*Ibid*, pp. 50–3.

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1685.	1683–4 [*sic*], Jan. 1) under the old rent of 7*s.* and fine of 10*l.* *Prefixing:* particulars and ratals of the said three premises (1) a tonement in Sharisland in the manor of Carnedon Prior and late belonging to the Priory of Launceston and now annexed to the Duchy of Cornwall; being formerly in the tenure of John Newton and now or late in that of John Caldecott and demised 1626, July 10, to John John *alias* Broadlako for 99 years terminable on the lives of himself, Lora his wife and Elizabeth their daughter at the rent of 50*s.* 4*d. per an.*; and likewise demised 1662, Dec. 23, to Edward Kneebone for the lives of Thomas Broadlake, son of said John John *alias* Broadlake, and Elizabeth (now the relict of William Deacon) sister of said Thomas Broadlake, at the rent of 50*s.* 4*d. per an.* and increased rent of 30*s. per an.* (2) The tenement called Prinn's tenement, in Netherton, co. Cornwall, parcel of abovesaid manor, prior and Duchy as demised 1627, April 3, to said John John *alias* Broadlake, for 99 yoars terminable on the lives of Lora his wife and John and Lora their children under the rent of 8*s.* 4*d. per an.*: and now demised 1662, Dec. 23, to said Edward Kneebone for the lives of Tho. Broadlake (son of said John) and Joan his wife in reversion of Elizabeth [Deacon] daughter of said John Broadlake, at 8*s.* 4*d. per an.* rent and 3*l. per an. de incremento.* (3) The tenement called Easter tenement in Netherton and parcel of said manor, priory and Duchy; as demised 1627, April 4, to William Dingley for 99 years terminable on the lives of John, Abell and Jacob, his sons, under the rent of 7*s.* and now demised to Richard Hicks 1673–4 [*sic*], Jan. 1, for 99 years terminable on the lives of Edward Broadlake and Loar Broadlako, children of the abovesaid Thomas Broadlake and in reversion of said James Dingley at the rent of 7*s. per an.*	
April 27.	Report by Treasurer Rochester to the King on the petition of John Grey, praying for the estate of John Waller, formerly executed for murder. Said Waller was seized in fee of the lands in question and made a mortgage thereof for 99 years for 900*l.* and was afterwards attainted and executed. If the land were held of the Crown as is suggested they revert to the Crown by way of escheat. Your Majesty's title thereto is more probable in that no other lord lays claim to the reversion, the mortgagees having been many years in possession. The lands are said to be worth 70*l. per an.* In view of the mortgage it may be let at a rent of 6*l. per an.*, the grantee to assert the Crown's title and to redoem the mortgage.	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, p. 54.
April 28.	Warrant by same to the Receipt for tallies of assignment on the Tenths for 250*l.* to Henry, Visct. Brouncker, for 1684, Christmas quarter on his pension thereon.	*Money Book* VI, p. 48.
	Money warrant for 640*l.* to Christopher Rosse, his Majesty's jeweller, 325*l.* thereof for a jewel of diamonds with his Majosty's picture givon by the King to the Envoy from Denmark; and 315*l.* thereof for a same given by the King to the Envoy from the Duke of Zelle: as by a certificato of the 16th inst. from the Earl of Arlington, Lord Chamberlain. (Money order dated May 2 hereon.)	*Ibid*, p. 48. *Order Book* I, p. 21.

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1685. April 28.	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Receipt for tallies of assignment on the Tenths for 106*l.* 5*s.* 0*d.* to Elizabeth Hamilton for last Lady day quarter on her unassigned moiety of the annuity of 850*l.* for her children; and for 125*l.* for same quarter on the annuity of 500*l.* for herself.	*Money Book* VI, p. 49.
	Same to same for the like for 106*l.* 5*s.* 0*d.* to James Hamilton for same quarter on his assigned moiety of abovesaid 850*l.* *per an.*	*Ibid*, p. 50.
	Same by same to the King's Remembrancer for a commission to inquire of the personal estate of John Revans, late of Saxtead, co. Suffolk, yeoman, who has wilfully and feloniously hanged himself whoreby his estate is forfeit as of a *felo-de-se.* The commission to be addressed to Sir Nic. Bacon, Kt. of the Bath, Richard Marryot, Edmund Jennye, Allan Cotton, Framlingham Gaudy, and John Pells.	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, p. 43.
	Same by same to same to forbear (till Michaelmas term next) process against the Bishop of Winchester for the arrears of the Tenths of the diocese of Bath and Wells of which he was lately collector as bishop thereof.	*Ibid*, p. 48.
	Henry Guy to the Navy Commissioners, with the assistance of the [deputy] Auditors of Imprests, Tho. Hall and Jno. Brewer, to peruse and consider the supers depending on the foot of all accounts of the Navy [Treasurer] and thereupon to certify the Lord Treasurer the names of all persons who are real debtors to the King, the dates of the imprest and the services for which imprested.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 62.
	Same to Mr. Pepys. Send your promised statement of the precise quantity of hemp and tar to be saved out of the quantities given in, in the Navy Commissioners' estimate.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Sir John Cope. The [ground] rent for the Custom House cannot be paid you till a new dormant warrant is prepared. It will be ready for you against next Saturday and then the Customs Cashier will have orders to pay you.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Customs Cashier. The following patent officers are put into the last Lady day quarter's salary book [of the Customs, London port]. You are to forbear payments to them till further order, viz.:	*Ibid.*

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Charles Osborne, as Surveyor General	166	13	4
George Nicholas, as General Survoyor	125	0	0
Richard Kent, as Receiver General and Cashier	250	0	0
Giles Lytcott, as Comptroller General	125	0	0
William Culliford as Register of Seizures	50	0	0

	Samo to Sir William Turnor. The Governors and Assistants of tho New Plantation in Ulster have received the whole 6,000*l.* which was agreed to be paid to the said Society for the [surrender by them of the] Customs of Londonderry and Coleraine. It is provided in the last privy seal for 4,000*l.* that the Society should make proper assurance to the King	*Ibid*, p. 63.

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1685.	of such Customs. You are to attend the Attorney General for the due preparation thoroof forthwith. (Same dated same to said Attornoy Goneral to prepare the said assurance.)	
April 28.	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners to readmit Thomas Spicer as a land-waiter in Lynn port, he being still strong and healthy, though 70 years of ago, and having faithfully served Charles I during the whole of tho late wars: and having been removed after Sir Richard Temple's circuit of said port simply on the score of age.	*Out Letters (Customs)* X, p. 22.
	Samo to same to employ John Ellotson and Roger Strickland as two additional tidesmen in Whitehaven port at 15*l. per an.* as proposed by William Kirkby and William Christian, customer of Carlisle and collector of Whitehaven. Rico Phelipps as tidesman of Bristol port *loco* Sam Douglas, removed to be tidewaiter in London port. Baptist Fenton as tidesman at Bridlington in Hull port *loco* Andrew Robinson, lately deceased. John Wood as waterman in London port *loco* William Hill, lately deceased.	*Ibid*, pp. 22, 23.
	Approval by Treasurer Rochester of the following proposals for preventing delays in accompting. [In accordance herewith] the Auditors of Imprests are to prepare instructions for each office concerned and submit same for the Lord Treasurer's perusal. *Prefixing:* proposals by Brook Bridges and T. Done [Auditors of Imprests] for preventing delays in accompting which are greatly prejudicial not only to the King but many times also to the accomptant. It is proposed that for the future all annual accomptants (except as hereafter) be required to deliver in their respective accounts duly vouched to the proper auditor (before whom they are to accompt) within three months next after the end of each year. The auditor concerned is to certify to the King's Remembrancer every case of neglect herein. Upon such certificate the King's Remembrancer to issue process of course and not to stay proceedings except by particular warrant of the Treasury Lord or Chancellor of the Exchequer. In order that accomptants may not suffer where they are not in fault it is proposed that the Auditor of the [Receipt of the] Exchequer do (within one month after same be desired of him) make out and deliver to every accomptant a particular imprest roll of what money has been paid to him at the Exchequer within the time of his accompt, and the Clerk of the Pells is to examine, sign and return said imprest roll within 20 days of its being brought to him. Where there is an Office or Board who are to examine and vouch the account by subscribing same tho officers are to be required to despatch same within one month after the account is brought to them. Several imprest accomptants do sometimes receive great sums of money from such hands as the Exchequer can take no notice of nor do appear to the auditor concerned otherwise than as the accomptant does voluntarily charge himself therewith. Hereby great prejudice may come to the	*Warrants not Relating to Money* X, pp. 43–5.

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1685.	King. To prevent same it is proposed that every warrant by virtue whereof an accomptant is to receive money, not chargeable upon him at the Exchequer, have a clause in it requiring that the said warrant before it be satisfied appear to have been entered with one of the Auditors of Imprests. By this means the auditor will be able to control an accomptant's voluntary charge. Lastly, that the auditors be roquired onco evory year, in the Lent vacation, if thought fit, to attend the Lord Treasuror with a general certificate how all accounts stand; at which time the King's Remembrancer may be required to attend. Hereby the Lord Treasurer will be informed of the true state of all accounts and by whose neglect accomptants are delayed. To these general rules may be objected: that process ought not to issue against Privy Councillors, Peers, nor Parliament men. Your Lordship may therefore except accountants under those circumstances and order that no process do go against them save by particular direction. That the Treasurers and Victuallers of tho Navy ought to have a longer time allowed them for that their accounts are very large and [are] to be examined and signed by the Navy Commissioners before they are brought to the auditor. They may therefore be allowed three months after the end of the year for preparing the ledger and threo months more to tho Navy Commissioners for examining and signing them. In order that the several Customs Collectors in the outports may have time to adjust their accounts and return their several collections, which [returns] are usually by bills of exchange not always to be had nor payable till a month or two after acceptanco, the Cashier of the Customs may be allowed from Michaelmas to Candlemas to bring in his account. A longer time may also be allowed the Accomptant General of the Customs, for his account containing the salaries and other incidents in the several outports must bo examined and allowed by the [Customs] Commissioners and their several accounts adjusted with the Comptroller General. [So] if his account be ready for the auditor by midsummer following 'tis as soon as can bo reasonably expected. A longer time may be also allowed to the collectors of Tenths who are forced to return many [persons as] in arrear who would not be so were there a longer timo allowod to make their returns, especially in the Northern Counties where by reason of distance and ill ways they cannot begin their collections till towards summer. Besides a great part of that revenue boing assigned to the payment of pensions they cannot be complied with unless a longer time be allowed them. If they be allowed till Michaelmas to complete their account they will be without excuse if according to a Treasury warrant we [the Auditors of Imprests] charge them with 12 *per cent. per an.* for all moneys remaining in their hands after that time. It may also bo for the King's service to pardon the arrears upon all very small livings, for the next incumbent being chargeable therewith, where the arrears are great nobody will accept the living whereby the King loses not only the arrears but also the growing duty.	

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1685. April 29.	Henry Guy to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue as follows out of such moneys of the Customs, Excise, Hearthmoney and Post Office as is directed to be this week paid into the Exchequer, viz.:				*Disposition Book* IV, pp. 25, 26.
	Out of the Customs.	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*	
	to Mr. Kent and Mr. Duncombe for interest to Lady day last	3,207	2	2	
	to the Treasurer of the Navy [on the Navy's] weekly money ..	1,500	0	0	
	to ditto towards paying off the sea officers and bills in course	800	0	0	
	to ditto for the Victuallers	1,200	0	0	
	to ditto for the [Navy] Chest at Chatham	5,500	0	0	
	to the Treasurer of the Ordnance [on the Ordnance Office's] weekly money	2,000	0	0	
	to the Mint Commissioners	1,500	0	0	
	to the Earl of Middleton for secret service	500	0	0	
	to James Grahme, esq., to be advanced to him on account of the Privy Purse	1,000	0	0	
	to the Mint Commissioners by way of advance for Healing Medals ..	250	0	0	
		£17,457	2	2	
	Out of Excise.				
	to Charles Fox, Paymaster of the Forces	4,500	0	0	
	to Mr. Toll on account of interest to April 1 inst.	1,000	0	0	
	to Mr. Hornby in full of his interest to Christmas last	700	0	0	
	to Sir Robt. Vyner, to be advanced to him	500	0	0	
	to Visct. Brouncker for the Household	1,000	0	0	
		£7,700	0	0	
	Out of the Hearthmoney.				
	to Mr. Noell for interest to Oct. 20 last	1,920	0	0	
	to me [Guy] for secret service, to be advanced	500	0	0	
	to the Treasurer of the Navy to be as in further part of Mr. Taylor's contract	2,000	0	0	
		£4,420	0	0	
	Out of Post Office money.				
	to Philip Burton to be paid over to Mr. Hauses	300	0	0	
	to the Lord President of the Privy Council	375	0	0	
	to the Lord Privy Seal	360	0	0	
	to Mr. Tint on his pension of 1,000*l.* *per an.*	250	0	0	
	to Mr. John Knight for charges of the late King's funeral and of the present King's Coronation ..	1,000	0	0	
		£2,285	0	0	
	Complete total, 31,862*l.* 2*s.* 0*d.*				
	(Same dated same to the Customs Cashier, forwarding the paper of the disposition of the Customs cash for the present week: the items				

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1685.	comprising all the Customs cash items as above [payable out of Customs money in the Exchequer] together with the following item [payable directly out of the Customs Office] viz. 2,000*l.* towards the quarter book [of the Customs salaries, London port]: total disposition of the Customs, 19,457*l.* 2*s.* 2*d.*) (Same dated same to the Commissioners of Excise and Hearthmoney similarly enclosing the paper of the week's disposition of the money of the Excise and Hearthmoney; the Excise items being the five items as above [payable out of Excise money in the Exchequer] together with the following items [payable directly out of the Excise Office on tallies] viz. 1,500*l.* to Prince George [of Denmark] toward last Lady day quarter on his annuity; 187*l.* 7*s.* 11*d.* to Mr. Duncombe for interest of 20,000*l.* lent to the late King in June, 1683, according to a certificate from Mr. Ashmole. Total disposition of the Excise, 9,387*l.* 7*s.* 11*d.* Similarly for the Hearthmoney: the items being the three Hearthmoney items as above [payable out of Hearthmoney in the Exchequer] together with the following items [payable directly out of the Hearthmoney Office on tallies] viz. 1,000*l.* to Mr. Noell in repayment of loan; 1,000*l.* to Mr. Price in repayment of loan. Total disposition of the Hearthmoney, 6,420*l.*)	
April 29.	Henry Guy to the Mint Commissioners to forthwith provide 250*l.* worth of Healing Medals. The Lord Treasurer will appoint money for same.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 63.
	Same to Mr. Griffin [Treasurer of the Chamber]. I have informed the Auditors of Imprests that by the King's express command I have paid Jno. Branch, Serjeant of the Buckhounds to the late King, 200*l.* as in part of arrears due to him in your Office. (Same to the Auditors of Imprests to the like effect.)	*Ibid*, pp. 63, 64.
	Same to James Graham. Tell Serjeant Branch to speak with me when he comes next to town.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Harbord and Sir Christopher Wren to report on (*a*) *infra.* *Appending:* (*a*) proposal dated 1683, Nov. 27, and signed Tho. Rider for a grant of a new lease for 21 years of the Treasury Office of the Navy (the present lease expiring at Michaelmas come 12 month) at 100*l.* *per an.* rent and fine of 1,500*l.* (as against 1,000*l.* fine and 70*l.* *per an.* rent in the present lease).	*Ibid*, p. 64.
	Privy seal for sums not exceeding 20,000*l.* in the whole to Henry, Viset. Brouncker, as imprest for the ordinary and extraordinary services of the Household of the late and present King. (Royal warrant dated April 21 for said privy seal.)	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 84.
	Same for 1,396*l.* 4*s.* 4*d.* to Joseph Hornby and Nathaniell Hornby for [6 *per cent.*] interest and [2 *per cent.*] gratuity on several sums by them advanced for the service of the late King (viz. for 40,000*l.* from 1684, June 24, to the several days of repayment of 5,000*l.* thereof and to Sept. 29 on the remaining 35,000*l.* thereof at 8 *per cent.* and from Sept. 29 to Dec. 25 at 6 *per cent.* thereon; and for 25,000*l.* from 1684, June 24, to the several days of ropayment at 8 *per cent.*; and for 560*l.* 0*s.* 5*d.*	*Ibid*, pp. 86–7. *Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, p. 48. *Order Book* I, p. 21.

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1685.	from 1683–4, Mar. 22, to the day of the repayment thereof at 8 *per cent.*) as by an account thereof to Dec. 25 last made up by Auditor William Aldworth and allowed Mar. 3 last [by Treasurer Rochester]. Together with dormant clause for 6 *per cent.* interest to them hereafter (made principal at the end of every quarter), on moneys by them lent and yet un-repaid and on any moneys they shall hereafter lend. (Royal warrant dated April 21 for said privy seal. Money warrant dated April 30 hereon. Money order dated May 5 hereon.)	
April 29.	Privy seal for payment to Sir Thomas Dereham, kt. of all arrears due to him on his ordinary of 1,000*l.* *per an.* and on his extraordinaries as Resident with the Great Duke of Tuscany as by the privy seal of 1681, April 30, [the said privy seal being determined by the death of Charles II]: and further for the payment to him quarterly in future of said ordinary and of his allowed extraordinaries: the present King having appointed him Envoy to the said Court.	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 107.
	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to the Attorney General of the petition of Mr. Ango for renewal of his warrant dated 1684, July 16 [as solicitor for the affair of the Recusants] and that same may be made to extend to all Recusants in England, Wales and the Counties Palatine of Durham, Lancaster and Chester, and that he may be directed to take care that the several late Receivers of that revenue be called to an account and to see that they pay into the Receipt the moneys in their hands (which are considerable) or that process issue against them; and that the Clerk of the Pipe be directed to make a certificate against Easter next of what money was taken in charge by the several shoriffs of England at their apposals for the year ended 1680, Sept. 29, against the two-thirds of the Recusants' estates and the 20*l.* per month, so that said Ange may be the better enabled to see that the moneys levied be duly paid into the Receipt.	*Reference Book* III, p. 72.
April 30.	Same by same to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of James Waring, late one of the Judges of the Court Merchant at Tangier, shewing that he was in a very good way of living until the demolishing that garrison by which he has been a great sufferer; and therefore praying a place in the Customs. Said petition being referred from the King in Council, the Lord Treasurer hereby recommends him to the Customs Commissioners.	*Ibid*, p. 75.
	Same by same to same of the petition of Sir Richard Dereham to be admitted as Comptroller of Lynn Regis port, granted to him by Charles II in reversion of John Anguish, whose office is determined by the late King's death.	*Ibid.*
	Same by same to Mr. Graham and Mr. Burton of the petition of William Morris to the King for a grant of the fine of 400 marks set upon William Leeke of co. Salop, an attorney at law, for misdemeanours who has continued in prison a year and a half and upwards, being unable to pay same: petitioner having been out of employment for above three years.	*Ibid.*

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1685. April 30.	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to Sir Robt. Sawyer, Attorney General, together with Mr. Fillingham and Mr. Hall, of the petition of John Wadlow, Jonathan Brome, Thomas Clements and Edmund Pendleton: petitioners shewing that John Wadlow, father of the petitioner, died indebted to the King in 47,881*l.* 8*s.* 9*d.*; that petitioners discovered a considerable part of said Wadlow's estate and said matter was referred by the late Treasury Lords to Sir Richd. Mason, Mr. Hall, Mr. Fillingham and Mr. Lawrence, but both Mason and Lawrence died before any progress therein: therefore praying a fresh reference so that a bill of discovery may be exhibited.	*Reference Book* III, pp 76–7.
	Same by same to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of George Gibbs (a watchman in extraordinary in the Customs) for a noontonder's place *loco* Oliver Hamnet, deceased. If fit, petitioner is hereby to be presented.	*Ibid*, p. 80.
	Same by same to same of the petition of Widow Thornton, shewing that her husband, Capt. William Thornton, for several years Comptroller of Hull port, suffered much there in the time of the rebellion, being dismissed his place, turned out of the town and plundered to the value of 5,000*l.*; that he furnished 2,500*l.* to Charles I at York whereby his family was reduced to great want till the Restoration, when he was restored to his said place, but at his death left her with six daughters unprovided for; that her husband obliged her son, Capt. Thomas Thornton, who was to succeed in the place, to allow her 50*l.* *per an.* out of it, but he being dead she is left destitute, being over 70 years old: therefore prays 50*l.* *per an.* out of the salary of said place.	*Ibid.*
	Same by same to same of the petition of Edward Fayrer for a place as one of the 70 tidesmen in extraordinary, London port, he being the son of a loyal clergyman in co. Berks and bred up to a trade but finding no encouragement to set up.	*Ibid*, p. 81.
	Same by same to Richard Grahme and Philip Burton of the petition of Tho. Constable for a grant of the 60*l.* levied by the sheriff on the conviction of petitioner's nephew, Sir Philip Constable, bart., for Recusancy; petitioner and his father, Sir Philip Constable, having suffered much for their loyalty.	*Ibid.*
	Same by same to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of Thomas Langley for renewal of his patent as searcher of customs at Ipswich.	*Ibid*, p. 82.
	Same by same to the Board of Greencloth of the petition of Thomas Forth, shewing that he was sworn brewer to the late King and then also was admitted brewer to his present Majesty, but being engaged in the farm [of the great branches] of the revenue of Ireland he laid out his estate [therein] and being bound for several great sums of money to enable them [said Farmers] to pay their rents to the King it brought petitioner to a sad condition and the late Board of Greencloth appointed Michael Arnold, esq. to supply the late King with beer, paying 50*l.* *per an.* to petitioner "in consideration of the said service": therefore prays to be restored to said employment or for said allowance, seeing	*Ibid*, p. 87.

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1685.	that the said Farmers have not obtained any allowances from the late King upon their just claims in compensation of their great losses.	
April 30.	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to Marmaduke Darcy *et al.* of the petition of Dr. Franklin, executor to Fra. Pointz, arrasmaker, praying that for the benefit of several orphans left by said Pointz in a very low condition he [petitioner] may be put in possession of the office [of arrasmaker] till they come of age; and that the account of moneys due to him [Pointz] out of the Great Wardrobe may be stated in order to giving relief to the said orphans.	*Reference Book* III, p. 89.
	Same by same to Bartholomew Fillingham and Tho. Hall and William Lowndes of the petition of Mris. Beatrix Copley, relict of Edw. Copley, esq., co. Yorks: petitioner shewing that in 1666 Mr. Josa Greathead, who had before that time discovered a great plot against the late King and came thereupon into favour, for a gratuity had the collection of the Hearthmoney in the West Riding of Yorks and York City and prevailed with Mr. Copley and Mr. Batt to be his sureties upon promise of partnership; that Mr. Sam. Brisby was agent for Mr. Copley for collecting the duty in the division appointed to Mr. Copley's share and that all his collection was (as is acknowledged by Greathead in a letter dated 1675, Nov. 10) paid to Mr. Greathead, except 70*l.* 10*s.* 6*d.* which was to be allowed for his pains; but Copley being dead Greathead has procured extents in the late King's name against Copley's estate to the great oppression of his widow and seven children: further that in June, 1667, Sir Robt. Viner *et al.* being Farmers of the Hearthmoney over England agreed with William Batt for the farm of the county of Lincoln for three years to pay 6,500*l.* *per an.* and Batt took in Alex. Butterworth, Edw. Copley and Greathead as partners whereupon they became bound in 12 several bonds of 3,250*l.* apiece: that Batt undertook the management of the whole business and what money came to Mr. Copley's hands he paid to Batt: but it soon appeared that the revenue was less than the rent whereupon the Grand Farmers abated considerably of what was contracted for: that Mr. Batt and Mr. Butterworth at the same time contracted with the Grand Farmers for the Hearthmoney of co. Lancs (with which Mr. Copley had nothing to do) and Mr. Batt by his management so intermixed and misapplied his payments that with the money which came to his hands he cleared the farm of Lancashire and left near 4,000*l.* in arrear in co. Linc., albeit he had moneys enough in his hands (and bought lands with it in his son's name) which would have dischargod both [Counties] and thus Mr. Copley (though he had paid more [than his porportion] by 1,550*l.* 4*s.* 6*d.* by borrowing money, as appears by the particulars of his receipts and disbursements) yet those bonds given as above were given [by ? Batt] for security and in trust for the Grand Farmers and thereupon the said Farmers did for recovery of their arrears prosecute an extent out of the Exchequer to the sheriff of York upon two of the said bonds of 3,250*l.* each, returnable at Michaelmas, 1671; thereupon Batt's lands were extended, but extent was forborne against Mr. Copley, he giving security to pay his part and to come to account: accordingly	*Ibid*, pp. 90–1.

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1685.	in Hilary term, 1671, he attended with his accounts, but Mr. Batt and Mr. Butterworth were not ready and they were all given till the following Feb. and then again Batt and Butterworth failed; but shortly afterward Batt and Butterworth came to agreement [with] Sir Rich. Lloyd, Sir Rob. Vynor *et al.* (Mr. Batt and Mr. Buttorworth having in thoir custody the books, accounts etc. and not suffering same to bo seen whoroby it would have appoared that Mr. Copley had paid his proportion) "thoy by Col. Webb's answering the whole and giving security to him (he having then a great sum of monoy in Sir Robt. Vynar's hands which he meant to take out that way) Mr. Batt and Buttorworth still suggosting that Mr. Copley was in arrears, prevailed with the Grand Farmers to prosecute new extents against Mr. Copley, howbeit the said Mr. Copley's estate was not in truth ever actually extended, but his bonds do still lie out": that Mr. Batt died eight or nine years agone and Mr. Copley soven years agone: that the Grand Farmers were bound to tho King for the whole revenues and that the late King was satisfied in part by thom and graciously pardoned the residue: that these bonds as aforesaid taken in the King's name in truth is only in trust and for the use of tho Grand Farmers: that some of the sub-farmers 12 or 13 yoars ago did fully satisfy the rent and arrears to the Grand Farmers and Mr. Copley if the books might bo seen has paid 1,500*l.* more than his proportion: that Copley's lands were long since settled and entailed and in truth not liablo to any debts (after his doath) contractod by him since his marriage which is 30 yoars ago; but some busy persons having got these bonds and obsolete extents into their hands do, to get compositions, bring ejectments and once in a trial at York Assizes by the ancient sottlement were cast but still brought down records for trial in the King's name and let them fall and no costs can be recovered because brought in the King's name: so though the lands be settled to raise children's portions little can be made of it by reason of the rumour of these incumbrances [of bonds] because if an extent came it would carry away all the farmers' goods and being at the King's suit no replevin lies: under these extremities petitioner and several of hor children have been forced for their livelihood to do service for these seven years past: therefore pray to be left to quietly enjoy the unsold remains of a great estate which was employed in the late King's service.	
April 30.	Privy seal for sums not exceeding [in the whole] 6,731*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.* to Robert Squibb, junr., gent. as imprest for the redemption of English captivos and for incidents thereto belonging: to be by him paid according to warrants from tho Lord Treasurer as the said Lord Treasurer shall be directed from time to time by orders in Council: the money to be issued out of such moneys as have been collected and paid into the Receipt from the pious and charitable uses of the King's good subjects for the redemption of English captives who are in slavery at Algiers and other places: it being the King's intention that same shall be applied in the most speedy and regular manner that may be to the use for which it was gathered. (Royal warrant dated April 21 for said privy seal.)	*King's Warrant Book* X, pp. 88–9.

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1685. April 30.	Royal sign manual for 500*l.* to Henry Guy for secret service, without account: to be issued on the 10,000*l.* privy seal of Feb. 27 last. (Money warrant dated May 1 hereon. Money order dated May 2 hereon.)	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 89. *Money Book* VI, p. 51. *Order Book* I, p. 19.
	Same for 400*l.* each to Sidney, Lord Godolphin, Sir John Ernle (Chancellor of the Exchequer), Sir Stephen Fox, Sir Dudley North and Henry Frederick Thynne for last Christmas quarter's salaries as late Treasury Lords. (Money warrant dated May 1 heron. Money order dated May 2 hereon.)	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 90. *Money Book* VI, p. 52. *Order Book* I, p. 20.
	Royal warrant to the Attorney or Solicitor General for a great seal for a grant to Charles Bertie of the office of Treasurer and Paymaster of the Office of Ordnance with the annual fee or salary of 40*l.* payable at the Exchequer and all other profits etc. thereof as from Christmas last and with all clauses as in the grant of said office to him by the late King.	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 91.
	Same to the Clerk of the Signet for a privy seal for 850*l. per an.* for the salaries of the Committee of Council for Trade and Plantations, viz. as follows: 400*l. per an.* for such of the Clerks of the Privy Council as shall attend on the business of said Committee; 250*l. per an.* to William Blathwayte for his constant attendance on said business; 150*l. per an.* to three clerks to be continually employed therein; 50*l. per an.* to a messenger and his assistant. All extraordinary charges incident in this business are to be attested by bills to be signed by said Committee and are [thereupon] hereby to be paid quarterly together with the above salaries, as from Christmas last: the payments to be made to said Blathwayte to be by him disposed of to the persons concerned. Further, all sums due at the death of Charles II on the privy seal of 1679, July 30, for 909*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.* *per an.* to said Blathwayt for said purpose (which privy seal was determined by the late King's death as was also the said Committee for Trade and Foreign Plantations) are hereby to be paid: the King being sensible of the great benefit arising to his service by the management of the said matters in the said manner and having declared his pleasure that the inspection thereof should be again left to a select Committee of the Privy Council.	*Ibid*, pp. 91–3.
	Same to same for a same for the payment of 2,306*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.* to Henry, Duke of Beaufort, formerly Marquess of Worcester, Lord President of the Council in the Marches of Wales, for the arrears for one year to Michaelmas last on the several annual allowances of 1,106*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.* for diet for the said Lord President and Council and for foreign expences (as by the privy seal of 1672, July 10) and 800*l.* for the extraordinary expences of the Court and Household there [at Ludlow] (as by the privy seal of 1672, Dec. 23, and as expressed in an establishment of said Court and Household dated 1668, Nov. 13, annexed to the said privy seal) and 400*l.* for the provision and maintenance of an honourable stable [as by the said last named privy seal]: all by reason that said arrears cannot (as is supposed) be paid by reason of the death of the late King. Further hereby from Michaelmas last the said three annual sums are to be hereby paid as they hereafter incur, during pleasure. The steward of the said Court and Household is	*Ibid*, pp. 93–5.

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1685.	hereby to keep a book of his particular disbursements upon the said establishment, the pages of which are to be signed by the said Lord President, which is to be a sufficient voucher for said account, "and because some things that may be necessary for our said service, though comprehended under the general heads of our said establishment cannot be particularly enumerated our will and pleasure is that where such particulars are allowed and signed as aforesaid that is to be looked upon as a sufficient warrant for passing the same in the account of the said steward."	
April 30.	Money warrant for 10,000*l.* to Henry, Visct. Brouncker, as imprest for the ordinary and extraordinary service of the Household of the late and present King. (Money order dated May 2 hereon.)	*Money Book* VI, p. 50. *Order Book* I, p. 21.
	Same for 20,000*l.* to Richard Kent and Charles Duncombe in repayment of the like sum by them lent into the Receipt Mar. 5 last: to be satisfied by tallies on the Excise. (Money order dated May 2 hereon.)	*Money Book* VI, p. 51. *Order Book* I, p. 20.
	Same for 3,000*l.* to Robt. Werden in further part of the 20,000*l.* to him by the privy seal of Mar. 31 last: for his Majesty's service (for the use of the Queen until a suitable addition be made to her jointure for the support of her royal estate and dignity); without account other than such as he is to render to the Queen for the same. (Money order dated May 2 hereon.)	*Money Book* VI, p. 51. *Order Book* I, p. 20.
	Same for 300*l.* to Philip Burton as imprest for Crown law charges. (Money order dated May 2 hereon.)	*Money Book* VI, p. 51. *Order Book* I, p. 19.
	Same for 1,500*l.* to John Knight for William Hewer for tapestry hangings as by the privy seal of Mar. 31 last *supra*, p. 80. Memoranda *ut ibid.* are to be entered on the former privy seal and order for the said sum of 1,500*l.* to Ralph (now Lord) Montague. (Money order dated May 2 hereon.)	*Money Book* VI, p. 52. *Order Book* I, p. 20.
	Same for 5,000*l.* to William Hewer, Treasurer for the affairs of Tangier, as imprest and in part of 50,000*l.* for the service of the late garrison there as by the privy seal of Mar. 31 last. (Money order dated May 2 hereon.)	*Money Book* VI, p. 53. *Order Book* I, p. 20.
	Henry Guy to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue as follows out of such Excise money as was paid into the Exchequer last week, viz.:	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 26.
	l. to Charles Fox, Paymaster of the Forces .. 4,500 to Col. Werden for the Queen Consort .. 3,000 to Mris. Ellen Gwynne 500 £8,000	
	(Same dated same to the Commissioners of Excise and Hearthmoney forwarding the paper of the disposition of the Excise for last week; said paper containing only the above items.)	
	Same to [the Customs Commissioners] to visit the goods of Madame de Gouverney at her lodgings in St. James's Square for their transportation.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 64.

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1685. April 30.	Henry Guy to [the Customs Commissioners] to visit the goods of the Envoy from the Duke of Savoy at his lodgings at the Three Blue Potts in the Pall Mall "because the said Envoy is now upon his return."	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 64.
	Same to same to report on the enclosed order of Council [missing] made upon complaint of the Governor and Company of Merchant Adventurers against the Countess of Portland [concerning the aulnage]. You are to examine the state of the Merchant Adventurers' trade in relation to [the shipping of] white cloths, concerning the causes of the decay of that trade and what may be fit to be done for the encouragement thereof for the future.	*Ibid.*
	Same to same to have brought up to the London Custom House the five dozen of gloves and the silver soleil seized at Gravesend by Mr. Taylor.	*Ibid*, p. 65.
	Same to Mr. Gregory, clerk to Mr. Pottinger, to forthwith attend the Lord Treasurer with the tallies in your hands levied on the Four and a Half *per cent.* duty which were formerly entrusted to Mr. Lawrence, deceased, your late master.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Sir Robt. Vyner. According to your desire Treasurer Rochester has moved the King "about taking of the jewels from the crown called St. Edward's Crown, her Majesty's two crowns, the coronet and her Majesty's sceptre which were lent." It is the King's pleasure that the jewels which were so lent be taken off accordingly.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Excise Commissioners to report on the enclosed paper [missing] being a proposal for preventing frauds in the Excise.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Lord Kingston of Ireland. The King will hear the business between you and your brother. Treasurer Rochester will give you notice of the time for the hearing.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Agar to attend Treasurer Rochester with the account of wood felled last year in Whittlewood and Salcey forest.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. [Charles] Fox to stop the 96*l.* that was paid for subsistence of 27 sick soldiers of the Scotch Regiment that came from Tangier, Mr. Hewer having reported that the said soldiers will regularly receive their proportions when the 36 days' arrear of pay due to that Regiment shall be ordered to be paid.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Darcy *et al.* A paper of things wanting in the House of Commons has been presented to Treasurer Rochester. You are to view the House and report whether it be necessary that the seats of the whole body of the House be new covered and what window curtains will be proper and necessary for the House.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Lord Keeper to attend the King at the Treasury Chambers at 9 o'clock to-morrow morning. (The like notice to the Lord President of the Privy Council, Lord Privy Seal, Duke of Ormonde, Earl	*Ibid*, p. 66.

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1685.	of Sunderland, Earl of Middleton, Lord Godolphin, Lord Chief Justice Jefferys, Sir Leoline Jenkins.)	
April 30.	Henry Guy to Mr. Hewer, enclosing a letter of Ma. Hughes. Inform Treasurer Rochester how what she desires is to be done.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 66.
	Warrant by Treasuror Rochester to the Clerk of the Pipe for a lease to Francis Gwynn of a piece of land lying in the circuit of Whitehall Palace in the parish of St. Martins in tho Fields abutting north on Scotland Yard and the Back Yard and south on another area called the Backyard and near certain Chambers or lodgings now or late in the tenure of Sir Paul Neale on the wost and other chambers or edifices now or late in tho tenure of Francis, Viset. Newport, and Richard Miller, one of the King's door-keepers on the East ; being 54 feet in length south to north and 23 feet in width : together with all the houses or sheds thoreon late in the occupation of divers servants of the King. The present lease to be for 31 years at tho rent of 6*s.* 8*d. per an.* : with power of building under the approbation of the Surveyor General of the Works but with a proviso for reassumption. *Prefixing and appending :* (*a*) particular of the premises. (*b*) Ratal dated Mar. 27 last thercof by the Surveyor General of Crown Lands. From Sir Christopher Wren's report of Oct. 14 last (*supra, Calendar of Treasury Books*, Vol. VII, p. 1521), the buildings thereon are all low mean old buildings and sheds : one small part thereof late in the tenure of Dr. Dickenson, Physician of the Household, and other parts used and enjoyed by the serjeants at arms, gentlemen sewers, and musicians to the King, whose interest Mr. Gwynn has obtained. The lessee is to covenant to erect a better and more convenient room for the uso of the King's musicians than they had before upon or near the placo where their old apartment was. (*c*) Entry [of the Lord Troasurer's signature] of tho docquet of this demise.	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, pp. 46–7.
	Samo dormant by samo to Edward Nicholas, esq. Receiver General of the Alienation Office, to pay the fees and charges of the said Office as follows for Eastor term past and for tho future termly as they shall grow due together with such incidents as shall be duly certified by threo of tho Commissioners [of Alienations] "not exceeding any former precedents for the same," viz. : to the said Commissionors (Peregrine Bertie, Sir Edmund Turnor, Edward Courthop) .. .. 40*l.* each to Edward Nicholas, Receiver General 40*l.* John Potenger, Mastor in Chancery, Henry Clerk and Samuel Rhodes, clerks .. .. 5*l.* each incidents for the said Easter term and preceding vacation .. .. 90 6 0 "And whereas I have also appointed Charles Middleton, esq. and Percivall Brunskel, esq. to be two of my deputies [Commissioners] in tho said Offico, intending to make trial of them for one year upon their proposing to advance the revenue thore," if in the account of the revenue thoreof, ending Easter next it shall have exceeded the medium of the last three years you are hereby to pay them 160*l.* each for their service in improving said revenue	*Ibid* X, p 48

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1685.	out of such improvement " or so much thereof as the said improvement will amount to."	
May 1.	Henry Guy to Alderman Duncombe to pay to Charles, Lord Murray, Master of the Horse to the Queen Consort, the value of 430 guineas at 1*l.* 1*s.* 6*d.* each (making 462*l.* 5*s.* 0*d.*). But you are to take his acquittance for 480*l.* 14*s.* 6*d.* as the fees for the warrant and at the Exchequer amount to 18*l.* 9*s.* 6*d.* which you are to detain and to pay to Mr. Squibb, one of my clerks, who is to pass the warrant. You are to enter this 480*l.* 14*s.* 6*d.* in your [weekly cash] certificate of the Hearthmoney next week.	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 27.
	Warrant dormant by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners to grant (according to the constant practice of the Customs Commissioners) new deputations to officers upon the [Customs] establishment at any time upon their request when either their deputations are worn out or defaced by accident or when by alteration of the [Customs] Commission few or none of the subscribers of these deputations have remained which sometimes occasioned disturbance and disputes about their authority " provided you do not at any time give a deputation to any officer not established by warrant from me or the Lords Commissioners of the Treasury."	*Out Letters* (*Customs*) X, p. 23.
	Henry Guy to the Customs Commissioners to attend the Lord Treasurer on Monday next when he will hear John Stevington and others, Virginia merchants, with their counsel upon your report touching the payment of debentures on exported tobacco.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 66.
	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to Auditor Aldworth to make a particular of so many farms, parcel of lands and possessions in Ireland of the present King before his accession, as shall amount to 3,000*l.* *per an.* value and to send same to the Attorney General.	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, p. 48.
	Reference by same to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of Rawleigh Radford praying to be restored to his employment as his suspension was due to a false accusation of his using indecent words against Sir Nicholas Buttler (Buttlar) viz. that Buttlar's name stunk at the other end of the town, for which he has been suspended above three months and Buttler declares he will remove him to some outport.	*Reference Book* III, p. 74.
	Same by same to same of the petition of John Brett and John Waring for renewal of their patent as searchers of Chester port, void by the late King's death.	*Ibid*, p. 75.
	Same by same to Mr. Graham and Mr. Burton of the petition of Robert Julian as by a reference thereof from the King: petitioner praying the discharge of his fine of 100 marks for which he has lain a twelvemonth in the King's Bench prison, being poor and unable to pay it; he having served the late King nine years at sea under Sir Edward Spragg.	*Ibid*, p. 76.
	Same by same to Mr. Stephens [cashier to the Treasurer of the Navy] of the petition of David Thornton for payment of 10*l.* 14*s.* 7*d.* due to him on a Navy order.	*Ibid.*

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1685. May 1.	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of John Butler for renewal of his patent as customer and collector of Boston port, to be executed by himself or his son Richard, the latter being a very loyal person and at present Surveyor of Plymouth port.	*Reference Book* III, p. 76.
	Same by same to Auditor Aldworth of the accounts as follow.	*Ibid*, pp. 77–9.
	Prefixing (*a*) an account of interest money due to 1685, April 1, to William Hewer [for moneys] by him formerly advanced on two Customs tallies by direction of the [late] Treasury Lords. *l. s. d.*	
	on 800*l.* advanced [to] Mr. Shere on a Navy imprest bill from 1683, July 28, "the time I was directed to lend him the money" to 1684, Nov. 19, when a tally was struck on the Customs for same at 6 *per cent.* 63 0 0	
	on said 800*l.* from 1684, Nov. 19, to 1685, April 1, at 6 *per cent.* .. 17 7 0	
	on 500*l.* advanced on a tally dated 1684, Nov. 16, struck on the Customs for half a year of Visct. Brouncker's pension; viz. for 1684, Nov. 26, to 1685, April 1 .. 10 5 0	
	£90 12 0	
	(*b*) account of interest due to said Hewer, as Treasurer for the affairs of the late garrison of Tangier for moneys advanced by him on tallies struck on the Customs from 1684, Oct. 1, being the determination of his last account, to 1685, April 1.	
	l. s. d.	
	on 32,250*l.* 4*s.* 10*d.* being balance of principal and interest due to him on the foot of his said last account made up to 1684, Oct. 1: viz. to 1685, April 1 .. .. 964 17 0	
	on 500*l.* advanced on a tally struck on the Customs 1684, Nov. 20 [viz. to 1685, April 1] 10 17 0	
	975 14 0	
	total principal due 32,750 4 10	
	repayments of principal money and deductions of interest for such repayments on 1,382*l.* 6*s.* 0*d.* paid 1684–5, Jan. 23, being what was due to him for interest on his [said] last account 15 5 0	
	on 1,000*l.* paid him by Mr. Kent 1684, Nov. 26, on a Customs tally dated 1682, June 2 .. .. 20 10 0	
	35 16 0	
	Total interest due, 975*l.* 14*s.* 0*d.*; total principal due (after deduction of said 2,382*l.* 6*s.* 0*d.* so repaid as above), 30,367*l.* 18*s.* 10*d.*; or together, 31,307*l.* 16*s.* 10*d.*	
	(*c*) copy of a warrant of the late Treasury Lords, undated, to said Hewer to deliver to Anthony Sturt	

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1685.	the note for 954*l.* 13*s.* 1*d.* advanced and paid to said Sturt by said Hewer in full of 1,000*l.* supplied to Hewer by the late Treasury Lords (there being due to said Sturt and Jonathan Gauden, contractors for victualling the late garrison of Tangier, a considerable sum of money on the balance of an account adjusted by Auditor Done to May 4 last): Hewer having taken only the receipt or obligation [of said Sturt] for same. In lieu of said note Hewer is hereby to take Sturt's receipt on the back of this warrant for said sum and the Auditors of Imprests are to allow same on Hewer's account as Treasurer for the affairs of Tangier and the sum is to be charged as an imprest on said Sturt and partners.	
May 1.	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of Matthew Appleyard for renewal of his patent as Customer of Hull, void by the death of Charles II.	*Reference Book* III, p. 81.
	Same by same to Richard Graham and Philip Burton of the petition of Thomas More, esq., for a third part of the discoveries he shall make of houses and lands formerly belonging to monasteries in Kent and Surrey: same being referred [from the King] Mar. 30 last.	*Ibid.*
	Same by same to William Blathwait [as Secretary at War] of the petition of Col. Hen. Farr *alias* Craven, shewing that his wife lately died in childbed of the 24th child, her death being his ruin had not the late King bestowed 4*s.* a day on him, which kept him and his children from starving, he being now 87 years of age.	*Ibid*, p. 82.
	Same by same to Richard Graham and Philip Burton of the petition of Septimus Bott and John Waldron, late sheriffs of Coventry, shewing that they paid the King's part of the fines on Dissenters to Mr. Dugdale to buy an organ for Holy Trinity Church in Coventry, which amounted to 36*l.* 0*s.* 6*d.* upon supposition that those fines belonged to them: that Mr. Feilding, steward of Coventry, has certified the said fines into the Exchequer. Therefore pray to be discharged of same.	*Ibid.*
May 2.	Henry Guy to the Surveyor General of Crown Lands. Mr. Parsons will attend you with a particular of a parcel of land lying near the King's land at Reigate. You are to view and value same.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 66.
	Same to Mr. Agar [Surveyor General of Woods, Trent South] to attend Treasurer Rochester on Monday with an account of wood sales in Whittlewood and Salcey Forest.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Peregrine Bertie, Charles Bertie and Mr. Osborne. You have not yet been to the Attorney General to make surrender of the lands etc. granted you in trust for the late Earl of Plymouth. You are to do it without delay.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Attorney General to attend the Barons of the Exchequer, with the opinions given by yourself and others (viz. Sir John Osborne, the Attorney and Solicitor General of Ireland, Sir John Meade and the Solicitor General of England) on the following case and on the opinions given thereon by yourselves, viz. whether the enumerated goods	*Ibid*, p. 67.

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1685.	coming from the Plantations without having paid the Plantation duty payable under the Act of 25 Car. II. c. 7 (whereby they become forfeit) may be seized upon their arrival in Ireland and if so in what manner they are to be proceeded against and recovered.	
May 2.	*Fiats* by Treasurer Rochester for royal letters patent to constitute Tho. Lysons as Customer of the port of Kingston upon Hull, to wit the office he held at the death of Charles II. Richard Evans as searcher of Milford port: similarly held by him. Walter Middleton as Customer of Milford port: similarly held by him. John Martin as searcher of Plymouth port: similarly held by him.	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, pp. 48, 49.
	Royal warrant to the Clerk of the Signet for a privy seal for issues as follows for the Stables. By privy seal dated June 30 last the late King directed 6,964*l.* 1*s.* 6*d.* to Henry Griffith, esq., viz. 975*l.* 18*s.* 0*d.* part thereof for a surplusage due to him and the remainder for the service of the Stables for 1683. Thereon an order was drawn Nov. 22 last for said sum and thereon there has been issued to him 3,598*l.* 11*s.* 1*d.* By reason of the death of Charles II the 3,365*l.* 10*s.* 5*d.* remainder of said order cannot now be paid without further direction from the King. It is hereby to be paid by issues either on said order or on a new order to be drawn for it. Further Henry Guy, Theophilus Oglethorpe and Charles Adderley, late Commissioners of the Stables (Commissioners for executing the office of Master of the Horse) to the late King have presented a list of the arrears unpaid to the Stables at the death of Charles II as follows, viz.: 3,738*l.* 14*s.* 0*d.* for the usual expense and service of the Stables for 1684; 1,439*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.* for the livery clothing for the servants of Charles II and his Consort for said year (over and above 1,000*l.* paid at the Exchequer for that service); 1,512*l.* 5*s.* 10*d.* for moneys disbursed for horses, hire of stage coach horses etc. for said year; 541*l.* 4*s.* 6*d.* for disbursements to defray the charges of several privy seals, Exchequer fees etc.; 100*l.* 1*s.* 11*d.* to several tradesmen for divers particulars from 1681, Christmas, to 1682, Lady day, not paid by the then Commissioners of the Stables. These sums amounting to 7,331*l.* 16*s.* 3*d.* are hereby to be paid to said Griffith. Further there is hereby to be paid to him 500*l.* to defray the charges of mourning for the late King's servants provided by command of the King. The full total of all the above sums is 11,197*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.* and is to be applied by said Griffith to said uses according to such directions as he shall receive from said Commissioners. But no account, imprest or other charge is to be set in the Exchequer upon said Griffith for same. Further by a great seal dated 1681–2, Jan. 22, Charles II granted to Charles, Duke of Richmond and Lennox, the office or place of Master of the Horse with the fee of 100 marks *per an.* and all other profits thereto belonging to be held by him after attaining the age of 14 and during pleasure and the said Guy, Oglethorpe and Adderley were to be Commissioners for executing said place till	*King's Warrant Book* X, pp. 97–102.

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1685.	said Duke attained said age; they to account for the profits of said place as the King by his sign manual should direct. They have accordingly presented to the present King an account made up to 1684–5, Jan. 1, shewing receipts of 2,992*l.* 15*s.* 10*d.* which with 500*l.* received by said Oglethorpe for the equipage of said Duke when he went into France amount in all to 3,492*l.* 15*s.* 10*d.*; and likewise showing payments by them for said Duke of sums amounting to 3,465*l.* 19*s.* 4*d.* leaving them with 26*l.* 16*s.* 6*d.* in hand on Jan. 1 last. Being satisfied that the late King's intention was that sums so received by them should be so expended to the use and service of said Duke, although directions for so doing were not signified by the late King's sign manual as mentioned in said great seal, and being satisfied that the said sums were really paid for said service (the account thereof having been seen and not objected against by our beloved cousin Louisa, Duchess of Portsmouth, mother of the said Duke) said account is hereby approved as if same had been paid by express direction of the late King's sign manual; and the said accomptants are to be hereby absolutely acquitted and discharged of said sum of 3,492*l.* 15*s.* 10*d.* and also of their receipts between 1681–2, Jan. 22, and 1684–5, Jan. 1, as above, except the said remain of 26*l.* 16*s.* 6*d.* Further at the death of Charles II several sums remained due and unpaid in the office of Cofferer of the Household or elsewhere upon the allowance of the Master of the Horse. It is hereby directed that said Guy, Oglethorpe and Adderley shall receive same and apply same (as also the abovesaid remain of 26*l.* 16*s.* 6*d.*) towards the satisfaction of said Duke's debts. Further they are hereby to cause the remains in the stables of the late King which are specified in a schedule hereto to be delivered to said Duke for his own use without account. *Appending:* said schedule: being horses detailed (6 pads; 7 hunters; 2 bottle horses, one for the celler, one for the field; 4 sumpter horses; 7 old grey horses and 1 old coach of state in J. Clarke's charge; 7 black Dutch horses, 1 body coach, 1 travelling coach, 1 set of harness etc. in Chaire's charge; 7 black Dutch horses, 1 travelling coach, 1 set of harness in Baldwin's charge; 1 hand chair, 4 saddles and furniture, some sadler's wares in the sadler's office; 2 old waggons in the Mews; 1 private chair in Mris. Gwyn's charge; 7 running horses at Newmarket).	
May 2.	Royal sign manual for 480*l.* 14*s.* 6*d.* to Henry Guy for secret service, without account: to be issued on the 10,000*l.* dormant privy seal of Feb. 27 last. (Money warrant dated May 5 hereon. Money order dated May 6 hereon.)	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 103. *Money Book* VI, p. 54. *Order Book* I, p. 22.
	Same for 655*l.* 16*s.* 4*d.* to William Harbord, Survoyor General of Crown Lands, without account: in full satisfaction of what remains due to him as well of the sum of 2,101*l.* by him disbursed to several persons for lands bought for the accommodation of the late King's buildings at Winchester and for making a park there "which said lands and tenements are now in our actual possession by good conveyances" as for the interest on said sum to April 30 last as by an account thereof examined by	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 103. *Money Book* VI, p. 54. *Order Book* I, p. 22. *Disposition Book* IV, p. 27.

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1685.	Auditor William Aldworth. The present sum to be issued on the 10,000*l.* dormant privy seal of Feb. 27 last. (Money warrant dated May 5 hereon. Money order dated May 6 hereon. Henry Guy dated May 2 to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue said sum out of the moneys of the revenue of the Duchy of Cornwall "upon such warrant as you shall receive." It is to be issued to Harbord without fees.)	
May 2.	Royal warrant to Sir Robert Sawyer, Attorney General, to enter a *noli prosequi* upon the several informations which by the procurement of Charles Stistod have been exhibited in the Exchequer Court against Roger Clutterbuck, Laurence Pryor, Edwd. Duko, Edward Leneve, Richard Hosier, Richard Boys and Edward Man, deputed searchers in London port, upon pretence that they have severally taken from merchants or others some small fees not established: the King being informed that the said prosecution is malicious and either altogether groundless or for very frivolous matters.	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 104.
	Same to the Clerk of the Signet for a privy seal to instal the First Fruits of Peter Mew, D.D. (late Bishop of Bath and Wells) as Bishop of Winchester: same to be payable on his own security only by instalments of 718*l.* 9*s.* 7⅞*d.* on 1685, Nov. 23, 718*l.* 9*s.* 6*d.* on 1686, Nov. 23, and 1,436*l.* 19*s.* 0*d.* on 1687, Nov. 23 (total First Fruits, 2,873*l.* 18*s.* 1⅞*d.*: after the Tenth is subducted): with the usual clause for the ceasing of all liability hereon upon avoidance.	*Ibid,* pp. 104–5.
	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to Phillip Burton to pay 300*l.* to Charles Hauses for money by him disbursed and to be disbursed for his Majesty's service.	*Money Book* VI, p. 53.
	Money warrant for 2,000*l.* to Henry, Earl of Arlington, Lord Chamberlain, out of wood sales in 1684 in Whittlewood and Salcey forests and as in part of his 12,000*l.* thereout, as by the privy seal of April 8 last. (Money order dated May 4 hereon.)	*Ibid.* p. 53. *Order Book* I, p. 22.
May 4.	Henry Guy to the Board of Greencloth to give order for 170*l.* to the King's and Queen's cooks for their charges in their attendance on their Majesties at the Coronation according to your report of April 18 last to the Duke of Ormonde, Lord Steward of the Household: viz. 50*l.* to the King's Master Cook, 40*l.* to the Queen's Master Cook, 40*l.* to the King's second Master Cook, 40*l.* to the Queen's Italian Master Cook.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 67.
May 5.	Same to the Customs Commissioners to have brought up to London the cantoon of an embroidered bed seized at Dover.	*Ibid.*
	Same to same to seal up at the lodgings of the Count de la Trinité a parcel of red wool and to pass same provided it be not above 60 or 70 lb. weight.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Capt. Tho. Cornwallis for his answer in writing to the enclosed copy [missing] of the petition of Francis de Carterett of the island of Jersey.	*Ibid,* p. 68.
	Same to Sir Philip Lloyd to go with Capt. John Pery and demand of Mr. Harrison, a goldsmith in the	*Ibid,*

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1685.	Strand, 100*l.* which is in his hands of the money lately belonging to Eleanor Bonnett, who was convicted for clipping.	
May 5.	Henry Guy to Mr. Darcy and partners to provide the following particulars that are wanting for furnishing and fitting the House of Commons for the [meeting of] Parliament. *Appending:* letter dated May 2 to the Lord Treasurer from the Earl of Arlington, Lord Chamberlain of the Household. The House of Commons has been viewed by the officers appointed by you and report that the following particulars are wanting, viz. the Speaker's chair and footstool to be new covered with green velvet, with a green velvet cushion, all trimmed with silk fringe; the table to be covered with a carpet of green cloth, with a silk fringe and a leather carpet to cover it; six green cloth cushions; drum lyar to draw the window curtains; the seats of the House to be mended and repaired; green serge to hang the lobby where the messengers from the House of Lords retire; green serge to hang the clerk's seat and cover the desk at the entrance into the House; a green serge curtain for the serjeant's window in his little room; 2½ dozen of pewter candlesticks; two dozen of snuffers; 1½ dozen of tin sconces; 1½ dozen of stands; one dozen of pewter chamber pots; one large close stool with two pans; three long brushes; three rou[n]d brushes; seven doz. of Turkey work chairs; three elbow chairs of Turkey work.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 68.
	Same to the Customs Commissioners to appraise and sell 13 packs of cotton wool, part of the estate of Edward Jackson, lately executed for treason, [same being] seized at Manchester and remaining in the hands of Robt. Alexander, Joseph Brookshaw and Matthew Bottes, merchants, and Rob. Stanton, carrier in Manchester and Bolton: the wool being in a perishing condition.	*Ibid*, p. 69.
	Same to Sir Richard Haddock and to Sir John Narborough, to consider, together with Auditor Done and Mr. Lowndes, and to report on the matter in difference between Major Brett and partners, late Victuallers of the Navy, and Alderman Sturt concerning the prices of provisions sent by the [said] alderman by order of the King in Council to the late garrison of Tangier.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Sir Gilbert Talbott to send to all officers and others that have any of his Majesty's plate to forthwith bring same into the Jewel House. When it is all brought in you are to give the Lord Treasurer an account thereof.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Commissioners of Excise and Hearth-money to forthwith send for Thomas Span and John Richardson to attend the Lord Treasurer, if they are officers employed in the Hearthmoney.	*Ibid.*
	Royal warrant to the Attorney or Solicitor General for a great seal for a grant to Thomas Hall, gent. of the place of Chief Clerk of the Mint and also of the office or place of Clerk of the Papers belonging to the Mint: to wit, the offices he held at the death of Charles II: to hold during pleasure: his salaries	*King's Warrant Book* X, pp. 105–6.

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1685.	to be inserted on the establishment of the Mint and to be paid quarterly as from Christmas last.	
May 5.	Royal warrant to the Lord Treasurer to give warrant to Tho. Agar, Surveyor General of Woods Trent South, with the approbation of two or more Justices of Peace of co. Gloucester, and of such officers of the Forest of Dean as the Duke of Beaufort, warden thereof, shall direct, to fell and sell in the Lea Bailiwick of said forest such a quantity of old oaks and beeches (not being ship timber) as may raise 2,000*l.* *per an.* for three years: Agar to pay the receipts therefrom into the Exchequer and to account before the Auditor for co. Gloucester: all by reason that it has been certified by said Agar in a report dated April 27 last to the Lord Treasurer that it has been often represented by several Commissions [issued for inquiring as to said Forest] that it were highly expedient for the future service of the Crown to fell and carry off such old oaks and beeches with all speed for the benefit of the growth of the young coppice enclosed according to the late Act of Parliament [of 19 and 20 Car. II. c. 8]; and that the Navy Commissioners after many views and trials of said trees, have rejected them as utterly unserviceable to the Navy. (Treasurer Rochester, dated May 5, to the Earl of Chesterfield, giving him notice of the intention to issue said warrant.) (Treasurer Rochester's warrant accordingly dated May 12. You are to be very careful that the wood be not sold for firewood or at under rates, but to the best profit that may be: and no poundage or other benefit is to be taken by any person. You are to keep a book of details of all your contracts for such sales.)	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 114. *Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 69. *Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, pp. 62–3.
	Henry Guy to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue as follows out of such moneys of the Customs, Excise, Hearthmoney and Post Office as are paid or directed to be paid this week into the Exchequer, viz.:	*Disposition Book* IV, pp. 27–8.

Out of Customs moneys.	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*
to the Treasurer of the Navy [on the Navy's] weekly money	3,000	0	0
to ditto towards paying off sea officers and bills in course ..	400	0	0
to ditto for the Victuallers	600	0	0
to ditto for fitting out the *Kingfisher*	121	0	0
to the Treasurer of the Ordnance [on the Ordnance Office's] weekly money	2,000	0	0
to Sir Henry Robinson in repayment of loan	1,000	0	0
to Mr. Hewer for the service of Tangier	625	15	0
Philip Packer for the Works for two quarters of the ordinary [of the Works] to Lady day last ..	2,000	0	0
to ditto towards repairing the mews at Hampton Court	500	0	0
to the Mint Commissioners	1,000	0	0
to Mr. Segar on his warrant	152	1	0
to Mr. Langwith	60	6	8
to Wen[dover] Lowndes and William Wekett	20	0	0
to be reserved for the Lord Treasurer's disposal (viz. 300*l.*			

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1685.		*l.*	*s.*	*d.*	
	for the keepers of Waltham Forest and other particulars and 54*l.* 15*s.* 0*d.* for the keepers of New Park)	354	15	0	
	to Henry Guy, for secret service ..	200	0	0	
		£12,034	7	8	
	Out of Excise moneys.				
	to Charles Fox, Paymaster of the Forces	5,000	0	0	
	to Mr. Toll in full of his interest to April 1 last	795	18	10	
	to Visct. Brouncker for the Household	1,000	0	0	
		£6,795	18	10	
	Out of the Hearthmoney.				
	to the Treasurer of the Navy for Mr. Taylor in full of his contract for [Navy] stores for the month of April last	643	0	0	
	to Mr. Knight for the charges of the funeral of the late King and of the Coronation of the present King	700	0	0	
		£1,643	0	0	
	Out of the Post Office Moneys.				
	to Philip Burton by way of advance	700	0	0	
	to Mr. Poley in part of what is due to him as late Agent at Ratisbon	640	11	0	
		£1,340	11	0	
	Total direction	£21,813	17	8	

(Same dated May 8 to the Customs Cashier, enclosing the paper of the disposition of the Customs for the present week; the said paper including the abovesaid 15 Customs cash items, save that the total sum for Langwith, Lowndes and Wekett is stated at 126*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.* [all the preceding being payable out of Customs money in the Exchequer] together with the following items [payable directly out of the Customs Office on tallies] viz. 1,101*l.* 13*s.* 8*d.* to finish the quarterly book [of salaries, London port] for last Lady day after the deduction of 716*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.* for the patent officers put into the said quarter book and whose payment was ordered April 28 last, *supra*, p. 146, to be forborne till further order; 1,000*l.* to Sir Benj. Bathurst in part of his debt; 2,000*l.* to Richard Kent and Charles Duncombe in part of their debt; 137*l.* for the rent of the Custom House. Total disposition of the Customs, 16,318*l.* 14*s.* 8*d.*)

(Same dated May 7 to the Commissioners of Excise and Hearthmoney, enclosing the paper of the disposition of the moneys thereof for the present week; said paper including for the Excise the above three items [payable out of Excise money in the Exchequer] together with the following items [payable directly out of the Excise Office on tallies] viz. 500*l.* to Prince George in full of 1685, Lady day quarter [on his annuity]; 500*l.* to Mr. Hornby in part of his debt; 1,500*l.* for the bankers' interest.

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1685.	Total disposition of the Excise, 10,795*l.* 18*s.* 10*d.* And similarly for the Hearthmoney; the disposition including the abovesaid two items [payable out of Hearthmoney in the Exchequer] together with the following items [payable direct out of the Hearthmoney Office on tallies] viz. 1,000*l.* to Mr. Price in repayment of loan; 1,000*l.* to Mr. Bertie in repayment of loan. Total disposition of the Hearthmoney, 3,643*l.*)	
May 5.	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to Sir Christopher Wren, Surveyor of the Works, to suffer Francis Gwynn to erect on the piece of ground which is being leased to him in Whitehall Palace such new buildings as you shall approve of.	*Warrants not Relating to Money* X, p. 49.
	Fiat by same for letters patent to assign to Rowland Thrupp [the place of customer or collector of] strangers' and aliens' customs and subsidies in Bristol port in accordance with the liberties granted to aliens by Edward III (viz. 2*s.* for scarlet cloth, 18*d.* for mixed cloth, 12*d.* for cloth, 12*d.* for quintal of wax, 3*d.* per £ *ad valorem* on divers other cloths, horses, corn etc.) and with the Act of Parliament of 11 Hy. IV; and likewise of the Customs of English wool cloth exported abroad: that is to say 14*d.* of denizens and 21 pence for aliens for each asize cloth; 2*s.* 4*d.* of denizens and 3*s.* 6*d.* of aliens for each scarlet cloth and so in proportion according to the mixture of the fibre; and 1*d.* of denizens and 1½*d.* of aliens for a cloth of entire worsted; 5*d.* of denizens and 7½*d.* of aliens for a cover cloth of simple worsted; 9*d.* of denizens and 13½*d.* of aliens for a double coverlet; and likewise customer of the Customs of wool, skins, lead and tin in said port: all during pleasure.	*Ibid.* XI, pp. 55-56.
	Instructions by same to Aldred Seaman, senr., gent., steward of the King's borough of Milverton, co. Somerset. You are hereby to call before you at the Courts Leet for said borough the several persons who enjoy any dwelling house or have erected anything on any of the wastes or streets belonging to said borough or who have enclosed any part of the said waste which are not yet arented or compounded for; and in open Court you are to contract with them to hold the same as tenants at will under such yearly rents as you think fit. You are to return [to me] the names of all refusing to so contract so that information of intrusion may be preferred against them.	*Ibid*, p. 56.
	Warrant by same to the Clerk of the Pipe for a grant to abovesaid Seaman of said office of steward of the county [*sic* ? courts] within the borough of Milverton: as granted to him 1663-4, Mar. 10, with the yearly fee of 13*s.* 4*d.*: the Auditor for co. Somerset having certified that he has behaved well therein and has delivered in the rolls thereof fairly written on parchment. *Prefixing:* (*a*) note of said Seaman's petition *ut supra*, p. 33: (*b*) report dated Mar. 17 last from the Surveyor General of Crown Lands thereupon.	*Ibid*, p. 57.
May 6.	Dormant privy seal for 10,000*l.* to be issued in such proportions, to such persons and for such uses as the King shall direct by his sign manual either upon imprest or without account as the respective	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 90.

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1685.	cases shall require. (Royal warrant dated April 30 for said privy seal.)	
May 7.	Warrant from Treasurer Rochester to the Surveyor General of Crown Lands for a particular of certain premises (*see infra*, p. 186) with a view to a fresh lease thereof to Nicho. Arris. *Prefixing:* report dated April 8 from said Surveyor General on said Arris's petition for same. Tho threo tenements or cottages in question were a discovery made by petitioner in 1660 as escheated to the Crown for want of an heir of Emme wife of Jno. Hedges, petitioner having served the late King [Charles I] in the wars. His existing lease will expire 5 April, 1693, his rent 3*l. per an.*; valued in 1660 at 10*l. per an.* but being now grown old and in decay are not worth so much.	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, pp. 57-8.
	Report by same to the King on the petition of tho Mayor and burgesses of Newcastle concerning the Castle Garth, as by the reference thereof from the King of Feb. 17 last: petitioners shewing that their predecessors enjoyed the piece of ground with the appurtenances called tho Castle Garth in Northumberland for about 50 years which ended in 1664, when Charles II granted a lease thereof to the Earl of Macclesfield for three lives yet in being: that said place never brought profit to the Crown save the yearly rent of 40*s.* and is only a receptacle for strangers and others to the great inconvenience and damage of the freemen of the town. Therefore pray the reversion of the premises after the Earl of Macclesfield. Tho Surveyor General reports hereon to me that James I 1619, April 14, granted the old Castle of Newcastle with the Castle Garth, horbage and other appurtenances to Alexander Stephenson, one of the Pages of the Bedchamber, for 50 years at 40*s. per an.* rent excepting the Moothall and other inconveniences [*sic*] for keeping the assizes and sessions for the use of the county of Northumberland; but the town finding it very necessary to them purchased in the said grant from Stephenson and prayed a renewal from the late King but the now Earl of Macclesfield prevented them and got a grant 1664, Aug. 13, for 99 years terminable on tho lives of himself and Charles and Fitton Gerard his sons, under the same rent and exceptions. Stephenson's grant expired in 1669, April 14. The Surveyor General is certified by several gentlemen of the neighbourhood, Sir William Blackett, bart., Sir Ralph Jenison, Sir Nathll. Johnson, Sir Henry Brabant and Timothy Davison April 18 last, that the rental thereof is 149*l.* 1*s.* 8*d. per an.* as the tenements and premises seem now to be let, being improved by late buildings thereupon from the yearly value of 116*l.* 15*s.* 6*d.* at the time of the Parliament's survey. But Sir Nathll. Johnson further affirmed April 27 last that the rents arise to the said value by strangers living there, being a place not subject to the government of the town and so consequently pay no taxes nor contribute to the support of the said government which privilege has brought it [the rental] to the highest improvement it is now capable of and would fall to less than half if it were within the government of the said Corporation. Therefore the Surveyor General thinks the town's proposal of delivering 100 chaldron of	*Ibid*, pp. 58-60.

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1685.	coals yearly will be a very great rent for the premises, especially if tho town covenant to deliver the coals immediately after the passing of the grant [and so before they become possessed which can only be at the end of the Earl of Macclesfield's term]. If they so deliver 100 chaldron of coals London measure yearly before Aug. 1 in the Pool in the port of London to the hands of Charles Fox, Treasurer of Chelsea Hospital, it will be a very full and valuable consideration for a grant for 31 years to them.	
May 7.	Henry Guy to the Customs Commissioners, enclosing a copy [missing] of an agreement between the Royal Africa Company and Mr. Ludlow and Mr. Stacy, concerning a parcel of wood seized out of the ship *Resolution*, Richard Cobb master, and condemned at Barbados. Advise whether it is to his Majesty's service for the Lord Treasurer to make the like agreement for the King's moiety of the said wood. He is informed that Mr. Steed cannot sell the wood in Barbados to any advantage at all.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 70.
	Same to the Excise Commissioners to report on the enclosed paper [missing].	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Commissioners of Excise and Hearth-money to report on the enclosed paper [missing] concerning brandy. Discourse with Thomas Forth thereupon.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Charles Osborne to execute the surrender of the lands etc. in trust for the late Earl of Plymouth; Peregrine Bertie and Charles Bertie having executed same.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Customs Commissioners. One Richard Westcombe of the island of Teneriffe continues an annual trade of remitting Canary wine thence to New England and has a vessel called the *Lidia*, Robert Cole master. You are to do your utmost to have said vessel seized for so carrying said wines to New England "without first touching here" [England].	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Wardrobe Commissioners, enclosing a letter [missing]. Before you make any provision of those things you are to inform the Lord Treasurer what has been done in the like case heretofore.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Customs Commissioners. Where is the ship of Benjamin Clerke out of which some goods were seized about the beginning of March?	*Ibid.*
	Treasurer Rochester to Sir Charles Stapleton. Your late brother, Gregory Stapleton, deceased, by his last will bequeathed the manor of Askham Bryan, co. Yorks, to Sir Phill. Constable, Tho. Gascoigne and Jno. Middleton and by another writing under his hand did declare that same was in trust for the Congregation of the Benedictine Monks of England. By reason thereof said manor is forfeit to the King. I have been lately informed that you and two of the King's messengers have in your hands the evidences of said estate which make out the King's title thereto. You are to immediately deliver same to Richard Graham at his Chamber in Clifford's Inn, London.	*Ibid*, p. 71.

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1685. May 7.	Henry Guy to Mr. Porter and Mr. Prettyman. At your attendance on the late Treasury Lords Dec. 15 last you promised to clear some mistakes which you alleged were in Mr. Lawrence's paper then read and that by the next audit you would clear all with the auditors in relation to the Earl of Arlington's assignments and would certify all your demands and bring in all your vouchers on Jan. 21. This time is long since past. You are to forthwith perform all your promise.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 71.
	Same to Capt. Johnson to attend Treasurer Rochester on Monday next, when the Customs Commissioners are to report on your petition. (The like notice to said Commissioners.)	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Sydenham and Mr. Barry to attend the Lord Treasurer on Monday next upon the Customs Commissioners' report on your proposal about lead.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Excise Commissioners to forthwith suspend Edw. Blackburne, Maurice Fitzgerrald and Edmo. Cotter from their places in the Hea[rthmoney] Office.	*Ibid*, p. 72.
	Money warrant for 54*l.* 15*s.* 0*d.* to William Shaw as assignee for Treasurer Rochester for half a year to 1683 on said Rochester's fee of 6*s.* a day as Keeper of New Park, near Richmond. (Henry Guy, dated May 11 to the Auditor of the Receipt to pay said sum to said Shaw as part of the 354*l.* 15*s.* 0*d.* directed to bo reserved the 5th inst. *supra*, p. 167.)	*Money Book* VI, p. 55. *Disposition Book* IV, p. 29.
	Same for 58*l.* to Henry, Earl of Clarendon, for 58 days from Feb. 20 last to Easter day, April 19 last, on his fee of 20*s.* a day as Lord Privy seal.	*Money Book* VI, p. 55.
	Dormant warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Cashier to pay to Sir John Cope, heir to Sir Anthony Cope, 137*l.* for last Lady day half year's rent of the ground of the Custom House and henceforward to pay him from time to time half yearly the rent of 274*l. per an.* for same: as by the lease of 2 and 3 May, 1675 (ratified by a great seal of 1675, May 4) by which said Sir Anthony conveyed to the then Lord Treasurer *et al.* the quay or wharf called New Wool Quay, whereon the Custom House of London now stands, at the said rental.	*Ibid.*
	Reference by same to the Customs Commissionors of the potition of Tho. Hyde for a noontonder's or other place in the Custom House [London], he having been taken prisoner by a Turks man of war and made a slave at Algiors and redeemed by the merchants at Constantinople, who paid near 300 dollars for his liberty. Treasurer Rochester hereby recommends him for such place.	*Reference Book* III, p. 82.
	Same by same to Richard Graham, Philip Burton and William Shaw of the case of Ralph Williamson concerning the inquisitions for finding the estate and receiving the rents late of Ford, Lord Grey.	*Ibid*, p. 83.
	Same by same to Capt. William Legg of the petition of the gardeners and labourers for payment of their wages for work done in St. James's Park Jan. 19 to April 30 last: as referred by the King in Council to the Lord Treasurer May 6 inst.	*Ibid.*

Date.	Nature and Substance of the Entry.	Reference.
1685. May 7.	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to Mr. Hewer of the petition of Lieut. Gorman, administrator to Major White of Tangier, shewing that said Major's creditors are very troublesome to petitioner, pretending he has assets in his hands, and petitioner is hindered by Col. Kirke from receiving 300*l.* of said Major's arrears due for his service at Tangier; therefore prays that 300*l.* of said Colonel's arrears may be stopped in Mr. Hewer's hands till said Col. Kirke shew cause for stopping said Major's arrears.	*Reference Book* III, p. 83.
	Same by same to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of Charles Cogan, formerly a landwaiter in Weymouth port and lately removed to Sarum, praying to be removed to Lyme or Poole for prevention of frauds.	*Ibid*, p. 84.
	Same by same to same of the petition of Benjamin Watson, of London, merchant, showing that being owner of a ship built in Holland but made free in England he laded same for Algier, where she was freighted for Alexandria, there he took in for his own account a small quantity of coffee, and the ship returning to Algier delivered all her cargo except said coffee, and on her arrival in England the ship is seized as forfeited by reason thereof.	*Ibid.*
	Same by same to same of the petition of Samuel Danvers for renewal of his patent as a King's waiter, London port, determined by the late King's death.	*Ibid.*
	Same by same to same of the petition of the corn merchants and farmers of Wisbech, Thorney, Whittlesea and Crowland in the Isle of Ely and co. Lincoln, shewing that the general prices of English oats at the port of London do not exceed 12*s.* per quarter, although foreign oats are daily imported at 2½*d.* per quarter Custom without paying the duty of 5*s.* 4*d.* per quarter and contrary to the Act of 22 Car. II. c. 1 which imposes said duty unless the common price of oats exceeds 16*s.* per quarter: that petitioners have great quantities of English oats and can make no sale thereof but at very low rates, whereby they are disabled to trade or pay their rents: therefore pray that when the price does not exceed 16*s.* no such importation be permitted save under said duty.	*Ibid*, pp. 84–5.
	Same by same to Tho. Agar, Surveyor General of Woods Trent South, of the petition of Henry Pound, one of the King's keepers (a Master Keeper) in the forest of South Bere, co. Southampton, for the repair of the two lodges there at an estimate of 206*l.*	*Ibid*, p. 85.
	Same by same to the Auditor of the Receipt of the petition of Andrew Lawrence for reward for soliciting several Peers for payment of the Poll money, he having travelled above 500 miles to their several houses and lost a horse in the journey, which cost him 20*l.*	*Ibid.*
	Same by same to the Attorney General of the petition of the patent officers in London port, shewing that the Lord Treasurer had forborn to sign the warrants for their salary unless they take out new patents; but that their patents being for life will be sufficient to authorise the payment of their salary.	*Ibid.*

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1685. May 7.	Reference by Treasurer Rochestor to Anthony Stephens of the petition of Oliver Westland of London, merchant, for payment of 909*l.* for sprusia deals delivered by him into the stores at Deptford and Woolwich, petitioner being in the Fleet for debt, where he may perish and his family want bread.	*Reference Book* III, p. 86.
	Same by same to Bartholomew Fillingham, Thomas Hall and William Lownds, Agents for bringing in the arrears of Taxes, of the petition of John Holme, apothecary, praying that the 158*l.* owing to him for medicines furnished by him to divers chirurgeons for the use of tho Forces raised in 1678 (as appears by Mr. Pearce's certificate) may be registered on the last Poll and the first part of tho last Eighteen Months' Tax which were appropriated to pay the debts incurred on account of said Forces.	*Ibid.*
	Same by same to Auditor Phelips of the account of Edward Proger (Progers) of moneys disbursed [by him] for hay for the deer, for pales, posts and rails and repairing the great lodge, barn and outhouses and the underkeepers' lodges [of the Middle Park of Hampton Court] from 1682–3, Jan. 18, amounting to 109*l.* 19*s.* 2*d.*	*Ibid.*
	Same by same to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of Richard and Edm. Anguish, praying to be admitted to the office of collector of Great Yarmouth port granted them by Charles II in reversion of Edmund Anguish their father, whose office is terminated by the death of Charles II.	*Ibid*, p. 87.
	Same by same to same of the petition of John Anguish for renewal of his grant as Comptroller of Lynn port.	*Ibid*, p. 89.
	Same by same to same of the petition of Mr. Kennett, for restoration to his place as collector of Faversham port, where he served nine years and being called to give evidence against the infringers about the Corporation of Faversham he was dismissed for coming up without leave.	*Ibid*, p. 91.
	Same by same to the Attorney General of the petition of Sir William Darcy, shewing that he has, upon [valuable] consideration, a grant of 400*l.* *per an.* from the late King for 21 years out of the Customs of alum and payable quarterly by the Treasurer of the Customs; that the latter refuses of late to pay same without further order from the Lord Treasurer: therefore prays such order.	*Ibid*, p. 103.
	Report by same to the King on the petition of Mary Preston and Ann Preston, daughters of Sir Tho. Preston, as by the reference dated Feb. 17 last thereof. Petitioners set forth *ut supra, Calendar of Treasury Books*, Vol. VII, p. 1387. I find by report to the late Treasury Lords from Richard Graham and P[hilip] B[urton] Feb. 2 last, that the mesne profits (of the late dissolved monastery of Furness, late the inheritance of petitioners' father) for tho years 1679, 1680 and 1681 (which includes all the time between the exhibiting the information for the King in Trinity term, 1679, and the delivery of possession to the King in Aug., 1682) amount to 2,430*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.* whereof 305*l.* 19*s.* 4*d.* has been paid into the Exchequer and Graham and	*Warrants not Relating to Money* X, p. 49.

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1685.	Burton think that 1,027*l.* 10*s.* 2¼*d.* should be allowed for repairs, buildings, fee farm rents and incidents: thus leaving 1,097*l.* 0*s.* 10¼*d.* whereof 182*l.* 0*s.* 11*d.* is in the hands of Lord Carrington and 914*l.* 19*s.* 11¼*d.* is in arrear. This may be granted or remitted to petitioners.	
May 8.	Henry Guy to the Customs Commissioners to permit the equipage of the Duke of Richmond to be transported, being 32 horses for coach and saddle, two coaches, one callash, one tumbrell, harness and side saddles.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 72.
	Same to Mr. Hewer to forthwith pay Margt. Collins, widow, 40*s.* and for the futuro 4*l. per an.* as pension quarterly in consideration of the death of her husband in the late King's service at Tangier.	*Ibid.*
May 11.	Same to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue to Treasurer Rochester (in further part of 16,000*l.* granted to him out of the profits of Lord Grey's estate) the 1,700*l.* which is paid into the Exchequer by Mr. Grahme *et al.* out of said profits.	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 29.
	Same to same to issue the 29*l.* now remaining in the Exchequer of the moneys of the Four and a Half *per cent.* Duty, to Edward Griffin, Treasurer of the Chamber, for Mris. Mary Peacock, widow of Henry Peacock, late pensionary trumpeter. Also to issue to same 36*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.* out of the 354*l.* 15*s.* 0*d.* directed the 5th inst. to be reserved *ut supra*, p. 167. (Same dated same to said Griffin to issue these two sums respectively to said Peacock and to the under-keepers in Waltham Forest payable in the Office of the Chamber, as for one year ended Lady day last.)	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Customs Commissioners to send to Mr. Defour, one of the Pages of the Backstairs to the Queen, at St. James's House, the goods seized some time since out of the *Speedwell*, Benjamin Clarke master.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 72.
	Same ("your friend and servant") to Tho. Tealing, innkeeper at Wingfield in Berks, to attend the Lord Treasurer at the Treasury Chambers.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Rich. Coling. It is the King's pleasure that the several quantities of plate as follows be delivered to the respective persons therein named. You are to acquaint the Lord Chamberlain therewith, viz.: the Earl of Exeter as Lord Almoner at the Coronation desires the same quantity of plate as Sir George Carteret had at the Coronation of Charles II viz. 305 ounces of gilt plate. Lord Alington as Chief Cupbearer desires tho cup and cover as was presented to the King at tho Coronation, viz. of 32 ounces: as was at the Coronation of Charles II. The Lord Mayor of London desires to have the gold cup and cover of the value of 20 ounces, as Chief Butler, which he had before at the Coronation of Charles II. The Mayor of Oxford desires a gilt cup and cover as Under Butler, as he had before, of the value of 110 ounces.	*Ibid.*

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1685.	The Champion Dymmock desires a cup and cover gilt, as formerly, of the value of 36 ounces.	
May 11.	Henry Guy to Mr. Blathwaite to report on the enclosed petition [missing] of Eliz. Calere.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 73.
	Same to same to report on the enclosed petition [missing] of Capt. Thomas Bourke. There is one Jackson who receives half pay. The King is informed that he is an ill[affected]man. On whose certificate was he admitted to receive half pay? You are to inquire as to his character.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Harbord, [Surveyor General of Crown Lands] to attend Treasurer Rochester to-morrow as you failed to do so to-day.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Hewer for a copy of Mr. Earlisman's assignment whereby he made over to you his salary of 380*l. per an.* as Consul at Algier.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Navy Commissioners for a list what bills of exchange are drawn upon you and now due.	*Ibid.*
	Same to same to appoint John Bowyer, or some other purveyor of the Navy, to assist the Commissioners appointed to fell timber in Whittlewood Forest this season as by the warrant of the 2nd inst.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Attorney General. Mr. Stysted proceeds to give disturbance to the Customs officers. You are not to assist him unless he brings the authority of the Lord Treasurer or of the Customs Commissioners.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Hamburgh Company. You have not yet sent the Customs Commissioners an answer of what they desired concerning white cloth. Hasten it, as the King expects an account of that matter by Wednesday next.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Navy Commissioners to make out a new bill for 91*l.* 7*s.* 6*d.* to Alexander Curtis, late purser of the King's ship *Moncke*, his original bill dated 1676, Oct. 30 being lost or mislaid.	*Ibid*, p. 74.
	Same to the Customs Commissioners to report on the petition of Tho. Treglith and John Mitton, shewing that William Tomlinson, a tidesman in Topsham and Peregrine Perlabin, being on board the ship *Hamburgh* did take 30*s.* of the shipsmaster for permitting several goods ashore without paying Custom.	*Ibid.*
	Royal sign manual for 300*l.* to Henry Guy for secret service, without account: to be issued on the 10,000*l.* dormant privy seal of Feb. 27 last. (Money warrant dated May 11 hereon. Money order dated May 12 hereon.)	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 107. *Money Book* VI, p. 57. *Order Book* 1, p. 23.
	Royal warrant to the Attorney or Solicitor General for a great seal for the payment from time to time to the Masters in Chancery (except the Master of the Rolls, who is otherwise sufficiently provided for) of 100*l. per an.* free of any deduction or charges and over and above their present yearly allowances for robes out of the Hanaper Office: the King taking	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 108.

Date.	Nature and Substance of the Entry.	Reference.
1685.	into consideration the meanness of the profits and allowances belonging to tho places of the said Masters in respect of their trusts and employments and that the said allowance of salary was therefore made them by the lato King. Said salary to be payable quarterly as from Michaelmas last. The two quarters due at Lady day last are to be hereby paid forthwith.	
May 11.	Royal warrant to Treasurer Rochester to supersede and stay till further order all process against loyal Recusants as follows whose names are mentioned in tho schedules [missing] annexed to this warrant: the late King having signified his intention to his Attorney General for the pardoning of such of his subjects who had been sufferers in the late rebellion for their loyalty or whose parents or near relatives had beon then sufferers for their loyalty or who have themselves testified their loyalty and affection to the government and were prosecuted, indicted or convicted for not taking, or refusing to take, the oaths of allegiance and supremacy or one of them, or had been prosecuted upon the Prerogative Writ, called the Long Writ of tho Exchequer, for the penalty of 20*l.* per month or upon outlawries or other process for the causes aforesaid or for not coming to church: and the said persons whose names are mentioned in the said schedules having produced to the King certificates of such loyalty and sufferings of themselves and their families and others in probability will produce the like certificates. Process is therefore hereby to cease as above against the said persons and against all other persons for whom certificates shall be hereafter produced to the Lord Treasurer and against their lands, goods and chattels and also against all lessees of the two-thirds part of their estates.	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 109. *Warrants Early* XXXIII, p. 11*b*.
	Same to the Attorney General to the like effect as above.	*King's Warrant Book* X, pp. 109–10.
	Same to Sir John Buckworth, Tho. Neale, Charles Duncomb and James Hoare, Commissioners for making farthings and half pence of tin, from time to time to cause all such blank pieces of tin with a stud of copper in the centre of them for making farthings and halfpence to be marked on the edges or rounds of the pieces with these words *nummorum famulus* and the year of our Lord, with such other marks as you shall think fit: and further to cause them to be coined with the King's portraiture or effiigies with these words *Jacobus Secundus* on the one side and the figure of a woman sitting on a globe with the word *Britannia* on the other side.	*Ibid*, p. 110.
	Same to the Clerk of the Signet for a privy seal for the sale by inch of candle for the King's use of a small vessel called the *Amity* and her furniture and lading of salt: and for the proceeds to be paid to the Treasurer of the Navy for the service of the Navy: the said vessel laden with salt being retaken from the Algerines in the Mediterranean and brought into Portsmouth harbour by order of the late Commissioners of the Admiralty and her lading laid up in a storehouse there whereby the vessel by her long lying is much decayed and the salt considerably wasted for want of timely orders for its disposal.	*Ibid*, p. 115. *Warrants Early* XXXIII, p. 11.

Date.	Nature and Substance of the Entry.	Reference.
1685. May 11.	Royal warrant to the Attorney or Solicitor General for a great seal for a grant to William Culliford of the office or place of Register of Seizures (Register of all goods, ships, wares and merchandises that shall be seized or stayed in any of our ports or members thereof or in any other place or places whatsoever within England, Wales or Berwick by reason of any importation or exportation contrary to law; as also of all informations and suits in any Courts touching same or for the non-payment of any duties payable for goods imported or exported) with the salaries of 106*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.* *per an.* and 93*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.* *per an.* payable quarterly from Christmas last: [being the office held by said Culliford at the death of Charles II].	*King's Warrant Book* X, pp. 115–6.
	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Clerk of the Pipe for a grant to William Wynne of Lincolns Inn, gent., of the offices of steward and recorder of the lordship and manor of Denbigh and Denbigh lands in North Wales, with the fees of 40*l.* *per an.* for the stewardship and 6*s.* 8*d.* for tho recordership payable by the receiver of the rents etc. of said manor: the same having been granted 1676–7, June 16, to John Wynne of Melay, co. Denbigh, and said grant being void by the late King's death said John has desired that said offices may be granted to his son William. Said Wynne is to deliver to the auditors [of North Wales] yearly perfect rolls of the extracts of the profits of every Court and Lett [Leat] holden within said lordship and the manors thereto belonging whereby the fines set therein may be duly put in charge and so answered to the bailiffs and collectors.	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, pp. 60–1.
	Fiats by same for royal letters patent to constitute Edw. Furlong one of the King's waiters, Bristol port: to wit, the office be held at the death of Charles II. John Needler as controller of the great and little customs of wool, leather, hides, skins, lead and tin and of the subsidy of 3*s.* a butt and 12*d.* a pound in London port: to wit, as above.	*Ibid*, pp. 61, 62.
	Reference by same to the Surveyor General [of Crown Lands] of the petition to the King from Sir George Jeffreys, kt. and bart., Lord Chief Justice of England, for a lease of Upp Park, co. Sussex, forfeited to the late King by the late Lord Grey for treason: the King having ordered the deer to be taken from thence to the end it may be let to farm. The house and building thereon were left ruinous by the late Lord Grey and petitioner must be at great charge to repair same and to divide the park into several closes or farms to make profit thereof.	*Referenee Book* III, p. 87.
	Same by same to the Auditors of Imprests of a warrant of the late Treasurer Clifford for 61*l.* 15*s.* 7*d.* to Sir Edmd. Andros to be by him paid over to Mris. Pryce (Eliz. Pryce, widow); together with the privy seal authorising same and the acquittance of Eliz. Pryce endorsed on the said warrant.	*Ibid*, p. 89.
	Same by same to the Customs Commissioners of the petition to the King from Alexr. Hall of Munckridg, [Monkridge] (in the margin the name is erroneously given as Alexander Monckridg) co. Northumberland,	*Ibid*, p. 95.

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1685.	gent., for the office of Customer of Berwick port now, or soon to be, vacant by the misdemeanour of tho present officer.	
May 11.	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to the Auditors of Imprests of the petition of John Baynes concerning the account of his late father, Commissary Baynes, for the 15,685*l.* 14*s.* 10*d.* alleged to have been paid to him for the Barbados Regiment: petitioner shewing that his said father was a Commissary of Musters and had no obligation upon him to intermeddle in the payment of the said Regiment, but as he was desired to do it by the Earl of Danby, then Lord Treasurer: that he delivered an account of 12,770*l.* 13*s.* 6*d.* thereof to Auditor Bridges with vouchers to justify same which was the first money imprested to him for two payments of the said Regiments; and no exceptions have been at any time made to the said account: that said Commissary further received the moiety of 2,915*l.* 0*s.* 2*d.* in 1679, etc. according to order and the account and vouchers for same petitioner is ready to produce: "but forasmuch as your petitioner's said father was employed six years or thereabouts in the said service without any salary or gratification for his pains and attendance therein and to the great impoverishing and weakening of his estate, being obliged by his constant [employment] on it wholly to neglect his private concerns of his fortune; and that your petitioner cannot by the course of the Exchequer obtain a quietus out of that Court upon the passing of his said father's account without an oxpence and charge for the same," therefore prays a grant of a competent recompense for his father's pains in said service to enable him [petitioner] thereout the better to provide for his brothers and sisters whose fortunes and his own were much weakened by occasion thereof.	*Referenee Book* III, p. 100.
	Ordor by same for the execution of a money order dated 1683–4, Jan. 21, for 1,000*l.* to Sir Henry Robinson in repayment of so much by him that day lent into the Exchequer. *Appending:* recordatur of the payment 1684–5, Jan. 27, by Toller Sir Tho. Vernon, of 41*l.* 8*s.* 4*d.* for interest due on said order from date thereof to 1684, Sept. 29.	*Order Book* I, p. 23.
	Same by same for the execution of a monoy order dated 1684, Nov. 11, for 5,000*l.* to Edward Sheldon in repayment of the like sum by him lent that day into the Exchequer.	*Ibid.*
	Money warrant for 1,000*l.* to Robert Squibb, junr., as imprest, to be by him paid over for the redemption of English captives [in Barbary] as by the privy seal of April 30 last: to be satisfied out of moneys in the Exchequer arising by the collection for the said use. (Money order dated May 12 hereon.)	*Money Book* VI, p. 56. *Order Book* I, p. 24.
	Order by Treasurer Rochester for the exceution of a money warrant of Jan. 7 last for 25*l.* 1*s.* 10½*d.* to George Smith for 1676, Michaelmas quarter, as a Serjeant at Arms.	*Money Book* VI, p. 56.
	Money warrant for 700*l.* to Philip Burton as imprest for Crown law charges. (Money order dated May 12 hereon.)	*Ibid*, p. 56. *Order Book* I, p. 24.

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1685. May 11.	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to abovesaid Philip Burton to pay [the abovesaid] 700*l.* to Charles Hanses for disbursements made or to be made by him for his Majesty's service.	*Money Book* VI, p. 56.
1675 [*sic* erratum for 1685]. May 12.	Order by same for the execution of a royal warrant dated 1685, May 11 for the payment (out of tho 10,000*l.* dormant privy seal of the 6th inst.) of 500*l.* remaining due to Sir John James and partners on an order dated 1683–4, Feb. 20, for 1,599*l.* 15*s.* 2*d.* to them as in full of 29,099*l.* 15*s.* 2*d.* due to them from the King *ut supra*, *Calendar of Treasury Books*, Vol. VII, pp. 1054, 1475–6: it appearing that said 500*l.* cannot be paid upon the said order by reason of the death of Charles II. *Prefixing :* copy of said order with recordaturs thereto attached of payments made thereupon by the Tellers of the Exchequer, viz. 99*l.* 15*s.* 2*d.* paid 1684–5, Jan. 28, by Teller Loving, 500*l.* paid same date by Teller Sir George Downing and 500*l.* paid same date by Mr. Chudleigh, deputy to Teller Clifford.	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 111.
1685. May 12.	Warrant by same to the Commissioners of Excise and Hearthmoney to allow 50*l.* *per an.* each to tho six able and expert officers commissionated by them to make a particular survey [of hearths and chimneys] in the several counties of North and South Wales ; no particular survey having yet been made thereof.	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, p. 61.
	Same by same to same to make an allowance, to tho officer concerned, not exceeding a moiety of the growing duty in cases where a firehearth omitted to be charged shall be discovered in any house formerly charged or where the firehearth in the house of a pauper that hath not hitherto paid shall be reduced, and also a moiety of the arrears which shall be received thereon : and further that where any sub-collector shall surcharge any of the preceding officers with any money by them received due since 1684, Lady day, the officer making out such surcharge may have an allowance not exceeding a moiety thereof.	*Ibid*, pp. 61–2.
	Royal warrant to the Clerk of the Signet for a privy seal to constitute William Upcott, George Trewceke, Nathl. Luggar and George Collins, gent., to bo the supervisors of tin blowing houses in Cornwall and Devon in the respective districts *ut supra*, pp. 132–3.	*King's Warrant Book* X, pp. 112–3.
	Royal sign manual for 687*l.* 4*s.* 7*d.* to Henry Guy for secret service, without account : to be issued on the 10,000*l.* privy seal dormant of May 6 inst. (Money warrant dated May 18 hereon. Money order dated May 20 hereon.)	*Ibid*, p. 113. *Money Book* VI, p. 58. *Order Book* I, p. 24.
	Royal warrant to the Attorney or Solicitor General for a bill to pass the great seal [of England] and the seal of the Duchy of Lancashire containing a grant and licence to Lawrence Carter of the borough of Leicester, gent., his heirs and assigns to erect cisterns, waterhouses and conduits upon some convenient part of the waste ground within said borough and within tho Bishop's Fee, Newark and Castle of Leicester and to dig the streets for laying pipes and placing engines for taking up and conveying water from the river Soar for the use of the inhabitants of said	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 113. *Warrants Early* XXXIII, p. 11.

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1685.	borough etc. at reasonable rates and prices: at a yearly reserve rent of 6*s.* 8*d.* to the Crown.	
May 12.	Money warrant for 750*l.* to Henry, Duke of Grafton, for last Lady day quarter on his annuity or pension out of the Excise.	*Money Book* VI, p. 57.
	Warrant by Treasurer Rochestor to William Hewer, [Treasurer for Tangier] to pay 100*l.* to Henry Hordeznell, Recorder of his Majesty's late city of Tangier, *ut supra*, p. 67, as in full of half a year's salary which the King is pleased to allow and continue to him from the time he was last paid to 1683–4, Mar. 22.	*Ibid.*
	Same by same to same to pay to the Earl of Peterborough 500*l.* for half a year to 1683, Lady day, on his pension of 1,000*l. per an.* settled on the Tangier establishment on which you have paid him 3,750*l.* which clears the said pension up to 1682, Michaelmas. *Appending:* certificate by said Hewer of his said payments on said pension.	*Ibid*, pp. 57–8.
	Henry Guy to the Customs Commissioners to report on the enclosed petition [missing] of Thomas Bettesworth.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 73.
	Same to same to report on the two enclosed petitions [missing] of Anthony Meeke and Richard Cowley.	*Ibid*, p. 74.
	Same to same to deliver to bearer (on payment of Customs) five dozen gloves and a silver soleil lately brought from Gravesend.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Auditor Parsons. Send me the account of wood sales made in Dean Forest by Tho. Agar 10 or 12 years ago.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Earl of Gainsborough to report on the enclosed petition [missing] of Francis Dickins for a renewal of the grant of his place as woodward of New Forest [void by the late King's death].	*Ibid.*
	Same to Sir Gilbert Talbot to hasten the bringing in of the King's plate *ut supra*, p. 165. Give the Lord Treasurer an account of your proceeding herein.	*Ibid*, p. 75.
	Same to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue (out of Post Office money now remaining in the Exchequer) 500*l.* to William Hewer to be by him paid over to the Earl of Peterborough upon account of said Earl's arrears [of pension] as above on the establishment of the late garrison of Tangier.	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 30.
May 13.	Same to same to issue as follows out of such moneys of the Customs, Excise, Hearthmoney and Post Office as are directed to be this week paid into the Exchequer, viz.:	*Ibid*, pp. 29–30.

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Out of the Customs.			
to the Treasurer of the Navy [on the Navy's] weekly money ..	3,000	0	0
to ditto towards paying off sea officers and bills in course ..	400	0	0
to ditto for tho Victuallers	600	0	0
to ditto for Mr. Josiah Woodland and partners	623	9	4

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1685.		*l.*	*s.*	*d.*	
	to the Treasurer of the Ordnance [on the Ordnance Office's] weekly money	2,000	0	0	
	to Edward Sheldon, in repayment of loan	5,000	0	0	
	to Philip Packer on the estimate of repairs for Somerset House ..	1,200	0	0	
	to Lord Colepeper in full of 1,086*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.*	86	13	4	
	to John Knight in part of 1,500*l.* for hangings delivered [by William Hewer] to the Great Wardrobe..	500	0	0	
		£13,410	2	8	
	Out of the Excise.				
	to Charles Fox, Paymaster of the Forces	5,000	0	0	
	to Visct. Brouncker for the Household	1,000	0	0	
	to the Duke of Grafton	750	0	0	
		£6,750	0	0	
	Out of Hearthmoney.				
	to Mr. Knight for the Coronation etc.	1,000	0	0	
	to Mr. Rosse, the Jeweller	1,000	0	0	
	to the Earl of Chesterfield, one year's fee	166	13	4	
		£2,166	13	4	
	Out of the Post Office money.				
	to John Robinson, Agent in Sweden	361	9	11	
	to Sir Henry Gooderick, on his extraordinaries	747	0	0	
	to me [Guy] for secret service by [way of] advance	500	0	0	
	(Total direction)	£23,935	5	11	

(Same dated same to the Customs Cashier enclosing the paper of tho disposition of the Customs cash for the present week, said paper including the abovesaid Customs items [payable out of Customs money in the Exchequer] together with the following items [payable direct out of the Customs Office on tallies] viz.: 1,000*l.* to Sir Benjamin Bathurst in repayment of loan; 424*l.* 1*s.* 8*d.* to the King's Remembrancer for the port books; 100*l.* to Sir William Dugdale on his warrant; 1,000*l.* to Mr. Hewer in part of what is due to him on tallies; 2,000*l.* to Richard Kont and Charles Duncombo in part of their debt. Total disposition, 17,934*l.* 4*s.* 4*d.*)

(Same dated same to the Commissioners of Exciso and Hearthmoney enclosing the paper of the disposition of tho Exciso and Hearthmoney for the present week: said paper including tho abovesaid Exciso and Hearthmoney items [payable out of the Exchequer] together with the following items [payable direct out of the Excise Office on tallies] viz.: *out of the Excise,* 1,000*l.* to Mr. Toll in part of his debt; 500*l.* to Mr. Hornby in part of his dobt; 3,000*l.* to the Queen Dowager for the quarter due at Lady day last; 2,000*l.* to Sir Benj. Bathurst to be advanced on the account of the Princess; 2,000*l.* to Mr. Nihill in

Dato.	Nature and Substance of the Entry.	Roference.
1685.	repayment of loan for Mr. Le Gouch ; 1,500*l.* to Mr. Freind and Mr. Calvert ; total disposition of the Excise, 16,750*l.* : *out of the Hearthmoney :* 1,000*l.* to Mr. Price in repayment of loan ; 1,000*l.* to Mr. Bertie in repayment of loan ; 567*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.* for the [office] quarterly bill for last Lady day ; 1,252*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.* to Mr. Duncombe in repayment of 22,000*l.* due [to be repaid] on the [Hearthmoney] rent of last Lady day : total disposition of Excise and Hearthmoney combined, 22,736*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.*)	
May 13.	Honry Guy to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue to John Knight for Mr. Hower the 1,000*l.* directed Nov. 13 last to Lord Montague for said Hewer out of Alderman Duncombe's 50,000*l.* loan on the Hearthmoney : said 1,000*l.* to be as in part of 1,500*l.* [which is completed by the above 500*l.* and will be] in full of 3,000*l.* to said Hewer for tapestry hangings by him delivered into the Great Wardrobe. (Same of same date to Mr. Darcy *et al.* apprising them of the payment of the abovesaid [500*l.* and 1,000*l.* or in all] 1,500*l.* to said Knight for said Hewer. You are to give the necessary directions to said Knight to so pay same to Hewer.)	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 31.
	Same to same to issue 480*l.* 14*s.* 6*d.* to me [Guy] for secret service : out of Hearthmoney remaining in the Exchequer.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 75.
May 30 [*sic* erratum for May 13].	Privy seal for an annuity or yearly pension of 1,000*l.* to Hugh Tint, esq., during pleasure : to be paid quarterly as from Christmas last, without account. (Royal warrant dated April 30 for said privy seal. The money warrant of May 18 for the first payment on this pension [*infra*, p. 185] corrects the date of this privy seal to May 13.)	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 89.
May 13.	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to Sir Peter Apsley of the petition of John Lindsay, goldsmith, shewing that about 11 years since he paid 5,000*l.* to tho Earl of Peterborough for the service of the then Duke of York and now King James II and did some months after receivo the same out of the Exchequor, but had to pay 84*l.* for officers' fees thereon [at the Receipt] which with interest then due amounts to 117*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.* Prays payment thereof.	*Reference Book* III, p. 92.
	Royal warrant authorising and appointing Sir John Coell, kt., to continue to hold and execute the office of steward of the King's manor of Richmond *alias* West Sheene which he has held ever since the Restoration.	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 116.
May 14.	Henry Guy to Lord Baltimore, enclosing an extract [missing] of a letter from Capt. Allin, commander of the *Quaker* ketch, concerning the death of Mr. Rousby, "and that no officer of the Customs in Maryland can live without a good guard."	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 75.
	Same to Mr. Pepys enclosing the Customs Commissioners' answer [missing] concerning ships trading in the Plantations. You [or the Admiralty] are to turn same into instructions for the command of the vessel that goes to relieve the *Quaker* ketch at Virginia : and you are to obtain the King's signature thereto.	*Ibid.*

Date.	Nature and Substance of the Entry.	Reference.
1685. May 18.	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to Sir Christopher Wren of the petition of Francis Gwyn showing that he has a lease of the ground on which some small sheds stood adjoining the innermost Scotland Yard; that he has prevailed with Sir Paul Nealo who has an old ruined building in which no person has lodged this five or six years, to part with his interest to petitioner: therefore prays a new lease to include [both this and] the former plot.	*Reference Book* III, p. 91.
	Same by same to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of Jacob Hugboat as by a reference thereof from the King of the 13th inst.: petitioner shewing that he is master of the ship called the *Katherine in the Boat alias Hugboat*, a merchantman of Amsterdam of 90 tons burden, now lying at St. Katherines, coming there five weeks since with oats and piece goods, but two casks of Westphalia hams were found in her, being there without petitioner's knowledge, and were seized by Robert Lucas, a Customs officer, since which the churchwardens or overseers of St. Katherine's have seized the ship as forfeited by having said hams on board, being prohibited goods: prays a release of his ship, he being altogether a stranger here.	*Ibid*, p. 92.
	Royal warrant to the Attorney or Solicitor General for a great seal for a grant to Charles Godolphin, esq., of the office of Assaymaster of tin, commonly called Assaymaster of the Stannaries at all coinages of tin within the counties of Cornwall and Devon: during pleasure and with the wages or fee of 200*l.* *per an.* payable by the Receiver General of the Duchy of Cornwall out of the issues of said coinage or other profits of tin: being the office which he held by grant from Charles II during pleasure.	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 118.
	Henry Guy to the Customs Commissioners. As the Treasury Office is to remove forthwith to that which was the King's side when he was Duke [of York] the Lord Treasurer cannot receive you till this day week. Meanwhile hasten your report concerning white woollen cloths. You are to carefully enquire after the arms shipped at the Vlie in Holland as pretended for London as by the enclosed note [missing, *see* p. 189 *infra*]. Certify the Lord Treasurer whether any such be arrived here or no. Capt. Saintloe being to go to the West Indies proposes to have the enclosed instructions [missing, *see* pp. 182, 198] for his Majesty's service. Report thereon to the Lord Treasurer so that he may present them for the King's signature.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 75.
	Same to Mr. Cowley. Treasurer Rochester has read your petition and agrees not to suspend you, provided you go to trial this term.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Sir Stephen Fox, enclosing (*a*) *infra*. You are to consider same and speak with the Lord Treasurer thereon the first time you see him. *Appending:* (*a*) warrant dated May 14 by the Earl of Arlington, Lord Chamberlain of the Household, to Sir Gilbert Talbot, Master and Treasurer of the Jewel House, to prepare and supply silver plate as follows which is certified by the officers of the Green Cloth to be absolutely necessary for the Queen's service in the privy kitchen, viz. one pot and cover to hold five gallons of broth, one small pot and	*Ibid*, p. 76.

Date.	Nature and Substance of the Entry.	Reference.
1685.	cover to hold six quarts, one skellet and cover of two quarts, one ladle and skimmer, one spoon and one little skimmer, four sauce pans, two of them with covers, one little egg cup and cover to hold half pint, one little pot and cover to hold a pint.	
May 18.	Henry Guy to Mr. Darcy *et al.* [of the Great Wardrobe] to forthwith provide a looking glass with a black frame or Jamaica wood for the Queen's privy chamber, and curtains of white taffeta for the Queen's closet beyond the little bedchamber, and to hang the stool room and the bathing room with such stuff as the Queen shall choose.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 76.
	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Receipt to levy tallies on the Excise for all the perpetual interest due at Michaelmas, 1682, to each [banker or] goldsmith and other person concerned "except those for the heirs of Edward Backwell, deceased. But you are not to levy tallies for any subsequent quarter without further order."	*Money Book* VI, p. 58.
	Same by same to same for tallies of assignment on the Tenths of any diocese for 250*l.* to Henry, Visct. Brouncker, for last Lady day quarter on his pension : with dormant clause for the like tallies from time to time for the future quarterly.	*Ibid.*
	Same by same to same to take in the tally struck 1680, Oct. 4, for 25,000*l.* on the Customs, which is in the hands of Charles Duncombe, and in lieu thereof to strike two or more tallies to that total and to deliver same to said Duncombe. The new tallies are to be of the same date with the said tally and to be stricken in like manner on the Customs.	*Ibid*, p. 59.
	Money warrant for 224*l.* to John Robinson, who is employed in his Majesty's service in Sweden (as agent in the Court of the King of Sweden) viz. for 224 days on his ordinary 1684, Sept. 30, to 1685, May 11. (Money order dated May 20 hereon.)	*Ibid*, p. 59. *Order Book* I, p. 24.
	Same for 137*l.* 9*s.* 11*d.* to same for his extraordinaries 1682–3, Jan. 26 (when Mr. Warwick left Stockholm) to 1683–4, Jan. 1, in his late Majesty's service in Sweden. *Appending :* bill of said extraordinaries as allowed by Secretary Sunderland. *l. s. d.* for passing my privy seal for my ordinary .. .. 22 11 0 for postage of letters .. .. 37 4 2 paid interest and advanced for 200*l.* to support my present occasions .. 16 0 0 extraordinary entertainments on the 9th of Sept. being the thanksgiving day and on his Majesty's birthday etc. .. .. 38 15 8 for intelligence .. .. 19 7 10 for stationary ware .. .. 3 11 3 £137 9 11 (Money order dated May 20 hereon.)	*Money Book* VI, p. 59. *Order Book* I, p. 25.
	Same for 747*l.* to Sir Henry Goodrick, kt. and bart., for his extraordinaries 1680, Dec. 10, to 1682, June 10, in his employment as Envoy Extraordinary	*Money Book* VI, p. 60. *Order Book* I, p. 25.

Date.	Naturo and Substance of the Entry.	Roference.
1685.	to Spain; as allowed by Secretary Sir L. Jenkins 1683, June 14. *Appending:* bill of said extraordinaries. *l.* for aguinaldas and new year's gifts 1680, Christmas .. .. 100 for ditto 1681, Christmas .. .. 100 mourning for Lady Izabella .. .. 83 Mr. Wes[t]comb's bill for letters .. .. .. 45 to my agent de negocios .. .. 90 for intelligence and private gratuities .. .. 93 to the officers of the Curreos .. .. .. 32 bull feasts and luminaries .. .. 27 Mr. Wescomb's second bill for letters .. .. 47 for postage of letters other ways .. .. .. 130 £747 (Money order dated May 20 hereon.)	
May 18.	Money warrant for 250*l.* to Sir Hugh Tint for last Lady day quarter on his pension as by the privy seal of the 13th inst. granting 1,000*l. per an.* pension to Hugh (now Sir Hugh) Tint.	*Money Book* VI, p. 60. *Order Book* I, p. 61.
	Same for 6*l.* 1*s.* 8*d.* to Richard Welbeck for half a year to 1684, Christmas, on his fee as stable keeper at Reading.	*Money Book* VI, p. 61.
	Same for 96*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.* to Timothy Whitfeild, clerk of Foreign Estreats, being 20*l.* for one year to 1684, Lady day, on his allowance for safe keeping the records containing the forfeitures of Recusants estreated into the Exchequer Court and for carrying said records from time to time to the Office of the Pipe for the debts therein to be speedily drawn into the Great Roll; and 76*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.* for same year on his several fees and allowances of 10*l.*, 33*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.*, 26*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.* and 6*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.* for the pains of him and his clerks in extracting all fines and amerciaments. (Money warrant dated May 20 hereon for 53*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.*, being the 20*l.*, 26*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.* and 6*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.* of the abovesaid items.)	*Ibid*, p. 61. *Order Book* I, p. 61.
	Same dormant for payment of the fee of 100*l. per an.* each to Robert, Earl of Sunderland, and Charles, Earl of Middleton, as Secretaries of State.	*Money Book* VI, p. 61.
	Same for 166*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.* to Philip, Earl of Chesterfield, for one year to 1683, Sept. 29, on his fees of 100*l.* and 100 marks *per an.* as Chief Justice in Eyre of all the King's forests Trent South.	*Ibid*, p. 62.
	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Recoiver General of the Duchy of Cornwall to pay Thomazine Fincher, 40*l.* for half a year to Lady day last on her annuity *ut supra*, p. 139: and dormant warrant clause for same hereafter half yearly.	*Ibid*, p. 63.
	Same by same to Thomas Agar, Surveyor General of Woods Trent South, and William Chiffinch, woodward [of Windsor Forest] to deliver 30 load of the timber lately illegally cut by some persons in Braywood in Windsor Forest to Robert Frith, the bridge keeper of Windsor, who by petition has represented that there is 29*l.* 4*s.* 8*d.* due to him for ferrying over the Foot and Horse Guards and stone carriages in May, June and July,	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, p. 63.

Date.	Nature and Substance of the Entry.	Reference.
1685.	1677, when the bridge at Windsor was down and has prayed "that for the same there may be 30 load of timber delivered to him for repairing the said bridge, out of Windsor Forest."	
May 18.	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Clerk of the Pipe for a fresh lease to Nicho. Aris of three tonements or cottages in West Ham and Stratford Langton in Essex, late in the occupation of John Hodges *alias* Hedges, deceased, and afterwards of Emma wife of said Hodges and demised to said Aris by patent dated 1662, April 5. The new lease to be at the old rent of 3*l. per an.* and without fine. *Prefixing:* (*a*) particular of the premises made out by Auditor J. Philips. (*b*) Ratal, dated May 14 by the Surveyor General of Crown Lands of said particular. (*c*) Undated entry of [Treasurer Rochester's signature of] the docquet of this demise.	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, pp. 66–67, 95.
	Same by same to the Customs Commissioners to employ Robert Greggs as an additional tidesman in Whitehaven port. William Browne as a watchman, London port *loco* John Wakefield, dismissed. Robt. Bankes as a boatman at Harwich in Ipswich port *loco* William Oliver, who was presented above six months since and has not appeared. Edw. Mores (riding surveyor for the North of Devon, in Bideford port) as collector of Barnstaple port *loco* Cha. Orehard, esq., who has undertaken tho collection of Exeter port. The [said] place of riding surveyor of Bideford is to be sunk whereby 50*l. per an.* will be saved to the King. Richard Massey as a tidesman, Chester port *loco* Ralph Jones, who has relinquished same. Joseph Barton, junr., (tidesman extraordinary in Cowes port) as a tidesman in fee *ibid loco* William Hely, removed to be Register of Certificates in the island of Jersey. William Bastard as a waiter and searcher at Lostwithiel in Fowey port *loco* William Clayton, lately dismissed. Thomas Langdon (one of the extraordinary tidesmen, Exeter port) as a tidosman at Starcross in said port *loco* John Morgan, who has relinquished same. Devereux Beale as a tidesman at Weymouth *loco* Fra. Hill, lately dismissed. Tho. Thompson as a waiter and searcher at Alnmouth in Berwick port *loco* John Lewin, latoly dismissed. John Maske to bo established as a tidesman in Penzanee port at 10*l. per an.* salary and 2*s.* a day when employed. Philip Dewitte as collector of tho Four and a Half *per cent.* duty in the Island of St. Christopher *loco* ——— Barry, lately deceased.	*Out Letters* (*Customs*) X, pp. 24, 25, 26, 27.
	Henry Guy to Mr. Blathwayte. It is the King's pleasure that 15*s.* a day be allowed for six weeks as follow to George Clarke, Judge Advocate of the Forces, out of the contingent charges of the Forces. Prepare a royal warrant for this. *Appending:* (*a*) said Clarke's petition showing that he was ordered by the King to go to Plymouth to hold a Court Martial there for the trial of Ensign James Hilton for wounding Capt. Henry Row of	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, pp. 77–8.

Date.	Nature and Substance of the Entry.	Reference.
1685.	the Queen's Regiment: therefore praying an allowance for the expense of his journey and stay at Plymouth, which took up near six weeks' time. (*b*) Reference dated Whitehall, 1684, Sept. 30, from the late King to the then Treasury Lords, of said petition. (*c*) Reference dated 1684, Nov. 10, thereof by the Treasury Lords to Charles Fox, Paymaster of the Forces, and William Blathwayte, Secretary of the Forces. (*d*) Report dated 1684, Nov. 20, by the said Fox and Blathwayte thereon. There is no precedent in the case. It is reasonable to allow 10*s.* a day for the six weeks.	
May 20.	Henry Guy to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue as follows out of the moneys of the Customs, Excise, Hearthmoney and Letter [or Post] Office paid or directed to be paid into the Exchequer this week, viz.:	*Disposition Book* IV, pp. 31, 32.

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Out of the Customs.			
to the Treasurer of the Navy [on the Navy Office's] weekly money ..	1,500	0	0
to ditto towards paying off the sea officers and bills in course	400	0	0
to ditto for the Victuallers	1,200	0	0
to Mr. Sheldon for interest of 5,000*l.*	150	8	2
	£3,250	8	2
Out of the Excise.			
to Charles Fox, Paymaster of the Forces	5,000	0	0
to Visct. Brouncker for the Household	1,000	0	0
to Signior Verrio	200	0	0
to me [Guy] for secret service ..	375	0	0
to [ditto for ditto] more	700	0	0
to [ditto for ditto] more	1,000	0	0
to Mr. Rosse, the [King's] Jeweller	1,000	0	0
	£9,275	0	0
Out of Hearthmoney.			
to Mr. Knight for the Coronation of his Majesty etc.	1,000	0	0
Out of the Letter Office.			
to Sir Richard Bulstrode	1,600	0	0

(Same dated same to the Excise Commissioners enclosing the paper of the disposition of the Excise cash and Hearthmoney cash for the present week; said paper including the above seven items [payable out of the Exchequer] together with the following items [payable direct out of the Excise Office on tallies] viz. 2,000*l.* for the bankers' interest; 375*l.* for Lady Mary Tudor; 1,000*l.* to Mr. Bertie in repayment of loan; 829*l.* 16*s.* 6*d.* to Mr. Duncombe in part of his debt of 22,000*l.* Total disposition of the Excise and Hearthmoney, 14,104*l.* 16*s.* 6*d.*)

(Same dated same to the Customs Cashier, enclosing the similar paper of the disposition of the customs for said week; said paper including the above four items [payable out of the Exchequer] together with the following items [payable direct out of the Customs Office on tallies] viz.: 1,000*l.* to Sir Benj. Bathurst in repayment of loan; 1,000*l.* to Mr. Hewer in repayment of loan; 2,000*l.* to Richard Kent and Charles Duncombe in repayment of loan. Total disposition of the Customs, 7,500*l.* 8*s.* 2*d.*)

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1685. May 20.	Henry Guy to Mr. Packer. There is in your hands 500*l.* for the repair of the Stables at Hampton Court. You are to pay same to William Bankes who is to be accomptable for same to Lord Dartmouth.	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 31.
	Same to Mr. Duncombe to forthwith pay into the Exchequer the remainder of the Excise money which was not disposed of this week.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Hewer to pay 5*l.* to Dorothy Kiff, widow, as royal bounty. You are to prepare a warrant for the Lord Treasurer to reimburse you this sum.	*Ibid*, p. 32.
	Royal warrant to the Attorney or Solicitor General for a great seal for a grant to Ralph Williamson of the office of Comptroller of Newcastle port ; to wit, the office he held at the death of Charles II.	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 118.
	Same to same for a same for a grant to Thomas Doyly, gent., of the annuity or pension of 100*l.* from Lady day last during pleasure payable out of the Customs : all on his surrender of the grant dated 1673, Dec. 11, of the like annuity for life.	*Ibid*, p. 119.
	Two royal sign manuals for respectively 1,000*l.* and 700*l.* to Henry Guy, for secret service, without accompt : to be issued on the 10,000*l.* dormant privy seal of May 6 inst. (Money warrants dated May 21 hereon. Money orders dated May 23 hereon.)	*Ibid*, p. 119. *Money Book* VI, p. 65. *Order Book* I, p. 26.
	Royal warrant to Treasurer Rochester to pay to Edmund Poley, lately employed in the King's service at Ratisbon, such sums for his allowance and extraordinaries in that service as are now in arrear : to be paid without accompt.	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 120.
	Same to the Clerk of the Signet for a privy seal for the payment to the Bishop of Chester of the 400*l.* for two years' arrears to 1680, Lady day (for which an order has been already drawn and remains unpaid) and 200*l.* for one other year to 1684, Sept. 29, on the pension of 200*l. per an.* granted to said bishop by the privy seal of 1675, Dec. 15, for the four King's Preachers in Lancashire as established by Queen Elizabeth : it being the King's pleasure to continue said pension and to pay the arrears thereon. The same is hereby to be continued from Michaelmas last and to be paid half yearly.	*Ibid.*
	Same to same for a same to authorise the Lord Treasurer, Chancellor of the Exchequer and Exchequer Court (on petition to them and certification thereon by the King's Remembrancer) to mitigate, compound or discharge forfeitures of recognizances, penalties, fines, issues, amerciaments which ought to be so mitigated etc. in good conscience and equity : some scruple having been heretofore made that [whether] such mitigation etc. could be made without a privy seal [in each particular case] which would prove tedious and chargeable to many of the King's subjects : the King being minded not to exact the rigour of the law but that such penalties and forfeitures as shall be incurred or shall be estreated into the Exchequer from other Courts or Commissioners shall be estreated according to the truth and equity of the respective cases. Provided that this privy seal do not take away or abridge the authority of the Barons of the Exchequer	*Ibid*, pp. 121–2. *Warrants Early* XXXIII, pp. 11*b* –12.

Date.	Nature and Substance of the Entry.	Reference.
1685.	to estall debts on reasonable consideration or to discharge fines or amerciaments before they be drawn down and charged in the Great Roll.	
May 20.	Royal warrant to the Attorney or Solicitor General for a great seal for a grant to William Roberts of the office of Receiver and bailiff of the lordships, manors, lands etc. belonging to the Honor and Castle of Windsor, co. Berks: as amply etc. as Thomas Trevor or William Taylieur [his predecessor therein]: being the office he held at the death of Charles II by grant dated 1674, May 12.	*King's Warrant Book* X, pp. 122–3.
	Henry Guy to the Customs Commissioners, enclosing a particular of the estate of Holloway the traitor which is coming to England. You are to seize said estate and goods on the ship's arrival. As to the 40 tons of redwood which was condemned at Barbados Mr. Stede has shipped it in the ships *Coaster*, William Bramble commander; *Mary*, John Carter commander; and *Concord*, John Strutt commander. You are also to give the Lord Treasurer an account of the arms mentioned in (*a*) *infra*. *Appending:* (*a*) note of said arms (viz. seven cases with sword blades to be embarked from Rotterdam in the ship ———, Richard Tye master, shipped by Adolph Boeckholt and consigned to Samuel Bell, John Hanns, John Cosens and Adam Gronden).	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 76.
	Privy seal for a pension of 200*l.* *per an.* to Thomas, Lord Willoughby of Parham, as from Michaelmas last: the half year to Lady day last to be hereby paid [in one sum] and hereafter the said pension to be payable quarterly. (Royal warrant dated May 5 for said privy seal.)	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 106.
	Order by Treasurer Rochester for the execution of a warrant dated 1684, Aug. 26, *ut supra*, *Calendar of Treasury Books*, Vol. VII, p. 1312, from the Treasury Lords to the Customs Cashier for payment of 9,139*l.* 3*s.* 3*d.* to Robert Woolley for saltpetre with 6 *per cent.* interest from dates stated therein. The said interest is hereby to be computed and satisfied only to May 12 inst. and no further. *Followed by:* a later similar order dated 1685, July 21, for the abovesaid interest to be computed and satisfied from May 12 last to the 1st July inst.	*Money Book* VI, pp. 62-3.
May 21.	Warrant by same to Sir Nicholas Crispe, collector outwards, London port, to swear in John Baron as deputy to John Berkeley and William Shaw in the office of one of the two searchers at Gravesend.	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, p. 64.
	Same by same to Philip Packer, Usher of the Receipt of the Exchequer, to put Bartholomew Fillingham, Tho. Hall and William Lowndes, Agents for the Arrears of Taxes, in possession of "that room in the house whereof you have the custody as Usher of the Receipt, which was heretofore called the Treasury Chamber and in the time of the Lord Treasurer Southampton was used by Sir William Doyley and others, the then Agents for bringing in the Taxes."	*Ibid.*
	Samo by same to the Surveyor General of Crown Lands for a particular and ratal of the old castle	*Ibid*, pp. 67–8.

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1685.	of Newcastle upon Tyne, with the Castle Garth, herbage and other appurtenances; which it is tho King's pleasure to grant to the mayor and burgesses of said borough for 31 years in reversion of the Earl of Macclesfield's term theroin, and on terms *ut supra*, pp. 169–70.	
May 21.	Henry Guy to Sir Richard Bulstrode. Return to the Lord Treasurer your answer to the enclosed papers [missing].	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 77.
	Same to Sir Gilbert Talbott to have the branch candlestick now in the Jewel Office new boiled forthwith and made ready for the Queen's service.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Duncombe [Cashier of Excise], to pay 1,500*l.* to Mr. Packer to-morrow for his Majesty's new buildings in Whitehall. Put this item into your next week's certificate of the Excise.	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 32.
	Money warrant for 819*l.* to Edmd. Poley, "who was lately employed in his Majesty's service at Ratisbon"; boing for 273 days on his ordinary, 1683, Sept. 30, to 1684, June 29. (Money order dated May 23 hereon.)	*Money Book* VI, p. 64. *Order Book* I, p. 26.
	Same for 640*l.* 11*s.* 0*d.* to samo for four bills of extraordinaries in the said service 1683, June 26, to 1685, April 5. *Appending:* said bills (1) 1683, June 26, to Oct. 26: as allowed by Secretary Sunderland, the bill being dated Ratisbon, 1683, Nov. 11. *l.* *s.* *d.* for intelligenco .. .. 35 5 0 for lodgings .. .. 31 0 0 for postage, pens, ink etc., news[papers] and pamphlets etc. .. .. 27 15 0 £94 0 0 (2) from [1683] Oct. 26, to 1683–4, Jan. 26: as allowed by Secrotary Sunderland: the bill being dated Ratisbon, 1683–4, Feb. 23. *l.* *s.* *d.* for intelligence .. .. 26 0 0 for postage, pens, news etc. .. .. 25 0 0 for lodgings .. .. 23 10 0 for mourning for myself, my coach and my family, by order .. .. .. 80 0 0 £149 15 0 (3) from 1683–4, Jan. 26, to 1684, Aug. 26, as allowed by the Secretary of State 1684, Oct. 15, with the exception of the last article which is submitted to the Treasury Lords. *l.* *s.* *d.* for intelligenco .. .. 45 0 0 for postage, pens, news and stationery ware .. .. 33 8 0 for lodgings 41 0 0 £119 8 0	*Money Book* VI, pp. 64–5. *Order Book* I, p. 26.

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1685.	(4) from 1684, Aug. 26, to 1685, April 5. *l.* *s.* *d.* for intelligence .. .. 47 8 0 for postage and to the stationer .. 35 0 0 for lodgings .. .. 41 0 0 for the expenses of my journey from Ratisbon from 1684–5, Feb. 4, to 1685, April 5 .. .. 154 0 0 £277 8 0 (Money order dated May 23 hereon.)	
May 21	Money warrant for 1,825*l.* to Sir Richard Bulstrode for two years to April 14 last on his ordinary of 50*s.* a day as Resident with the Governor of the Spanish Netherlands. (Money order dated May 23 hereon.)	*Money Book* VI, p. 66. *Order Book* I, p. 26.
	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of John Butler, customer and collector of Boston, for a fresh grant of his said office to him and his son Richard; his present grant being void by the late king's death.	*Reference Book* III, p. 93.
	Same by same to the Commissioners of [Excise and] Hearthmoney of the petition of Katherine Owen, wife of Henry Owen, shewing that her said husband was surety for John Owen, late collector of Hearthmoney, and that for said John's debt of 136*l.* 9*s.* 0*d.* to the King her husband's estate is in danger; therefore prays stay of process and to be allowed to pay said debt by 50*l.* *per an.*	*Ibid.*
	Same by same to the Attorney General and to the Surveyor General of Crown Lands of the petition of Lady Eliz. Delavall (as by a reference from the King dated May 3 inst.) shewing that Sir Henry Vane was in his life time seized of divers royalties, privileges and hereditaments in co. Durham, part of which he wrongfully withheld from the late King and that after his attainder the late King granted all the said royalties and premises in trust for petitioner, but by reason of several defects in penning said grant petitioner has hitherto had no benefit thereby. Therefore prays a renewal of the said former grant with the insertion of such words as may convey to her all the mines opened and unopened in the Forest of Teesdale as also Barnard Castle and Raby Castle and the parks thereto belonging which are all in co. Durham and all such estate as did devolve on the late King by the attaindor of said Vane "or were otherwise vested in the Crown at the time of the said attainder and which are now in your Majesty's disposal."	*Ibid*, pp. 94–5.
	Treasurer Rochester to the Governor of Barbados. In accordance with the enclosed copy of the order of the King in Council of the 8th inst. I desire you to make diligent search after all the debts and estate belonging to James Holloway and Ralph Moxon or any others in partnership with him [Holloway] and to seize same, and to pay the proceeds to the King's receiver in Barbados. (Same to Sir Richard Dutton, the Governor of the Leeward Islands, to the like effect as to the said estate in the Leeward Islands and particularly in Antigua. You are to remit the proceeds to Henry Guy. The like letter to Lord Howard, Governor of Virginia,	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 79. *Out Letters (Plantations General)* I, pp. 167–9.

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1685.	[and to the Governors of] the four Colonies of New England, viz., Rhode Island and Providence Plantation, Connecticut, New Plymouth and New Hampshire.) *Appending :* copy of said order in Council made upon reading this day at the Board the report dated Mar. 27 last from the Lords Committees of Council for Trade and Foreign Plantations on the order of reference of Feb. 26 last on the case and allegation of Walter Stephens and other creditors of Ralph Moxon and James Holloway, said report being to the effect that as Holloway has been convicted of high treason we think his estate is thereby forfeit notwithstanding the deeds produced to us which appeared manifestly fraudulent. It is alleged that Moxon traded in partnership with Holloway and was wholly ignorant of the said treason. On proof of partnership, so much of said estate as is Moxon's may be made good to Moxon's creditors, they undertaking to discover their joint debts and estate. The Governors as above may be written to, to remit the effects into England as above whereupon such a dividend may be between your Majesty and the said creditors. The said report is hereby approved and direction given accordingly.	
May 22.	Henry Guy to the Navy Commissioners. How much will pay the *Dartmouth's* men, now on board, for a year ?	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 77.
May 23.	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to Philip Ryley, one of the serjeants at arms attending the Lord Treasurer, to arrest Charles Garret, a scrivener of London, and Tho. Feeling (Tealing) of Winkfield, co. Berks, innholder, for felling and grabbing great quantities of wood in Braywood in the forest of Windsor ; and likewise Lazarus Page, Humphry Beckly and Robert Ewst of Bray, co. Berks, yeomen, for carrying away said timber, to the King's great damage and without any manner of warrant for same.	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, p. 65.
	Henry Guy to Mr. Stanford. Sir Richard Bulstrode has agreed to refer the whole matter in dispute between you and him to Mr. Allibone or Mr. Brent, who are both your counsel, and that he will certainly pay what they ordain, provided you engage to stand to the arbitrage. The Lord Treasurer thinks this very reasonable.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 77.
	Same to Mr. Harbord to attend the Lord Treasurer on Monday or Tuesday next.	*Ibid.*
	Royal sign manual for 375*l.* to Henry Guy, for secret service, without account : to be issued on the 10,000*l.* privy seal dormant of May 6 inst. (Money warrant dated May 25 hereon. Money order dated May 25 hereon. The privy seal incorrectly gives the sum as 575*l.*)	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 123. *Money Book* VI, p. 66. *Order Book* I, p. 26.
May 25.	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Receiver General of the Duchy of Cornwall to pay William Upcott, George Treweeke, Nathl. Luggar and George Collins out of the revenues of said Duchy 80*l. per an.* each as salary as supervisors of the tin blowing houses.	*Money Book* VI, p. 66.

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1685. May 25.	Money warrant for 50*l.* to John Pottinger, Comptroller of tho Pipo, for half a year ending this Easter term for the service of him and his clerks in issuing process against Popish Recusants for the 20*l.* per month penalty and in giving speedy dispatch to the Receivers of Recusants' forfeitures. To be paid out of Recusants' money in the Exchequer. (Money order dated May 27 hereon.)	*Money Book* VI, p. 67. *Order Book* I, p. 27.
	Same for 100*l.* to Francis Mansell for half a year to 1683, Christmas, on his annuity.	*Money Book* VI, p. 67.
	Henry Guy to Major Brett and partners, late Victuallers of the Navy. As you delay to bring in your objections to Mr. Sturt's account the referees, Sir Richard Haddock *et al.* cannot make their report. Bring them in forthwith.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 78.
	Same to Mr. Darcy and partners to forthwith provide the following items. *Appending :* (*a*) letter dated May 16 from the Lord Chamberlain to the Lord Treasurer. There is a suite of hangings of eight pieces of the History of Charlemaine, 13 foot deep, which want to be new lined with canvas to preserve them. Also there is wanting cases of bayes for eight rich chairs of state, eight footstools and eight cushions which were made for the coronation, to keep them from dust. Please order same to be delivered to Philip Kennersly, Yeoman of the Removing Wardrobo. (*b*) Same dated May 25 from same to same. The King has commanded that the Esquires of the Body and Gentlemen of the Privy Chamber and other servants should lodge upon pallat beds in the rooms of their respective waiting. There will be wanting a traverse curtain of black diaper calico in the Presence Chamber at the lower end of the room and three canopies of crimson serge to put over tho pallat beds. Please order these to be delivered as above.	*Ibid*, pp. 78–9.
	Same to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue as follows. 15*l.* to Mris. Ursula Elliott out of the Duchy of Cornwall money. 100*l.* to me [Guy] for secret service out of Wine Licence money, on an order for 300*l.* 187*l.* 4*s.* 7*d.* to ditto [for same] on an order for 687*l.* 4*s.* 7*d.* : to be issued out of the 354*l.* 15*s.* 0*d.* of Customs money directed to bo reserved the 5th inst. *supra*, pp. 166–7.	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 32.
	Same to the Customs Cashier to pay 100*l.* to the Treasurer of the Navy to fit out to sea the *Mary* and *Charlott* yachts.	*Ibid*, p. 33.
	Same to Mr. Duncombe to pay out of tho Excise 1,000*l.* to the Earl of Arran detaining 31*l.* 4*s.* 6*d.* for fees thereon.	*Ibid.*
	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to the Surveyor General of Crown Lands of the petition of George Simson, shewing that Christopher Vane, esq., did pretend a title to the lead mines within tho liberty of the King's forest of Teesdale, but it being made appear otherwise he was obliged to pay to the late Earl of Carlisle, bow bearer of the said forest, 500*l.* which the Earl owned to have received "further	*Reference Book* III, p. 93. *Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 78.

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1685.	saying he intended to have a better pull with him than that"; that to informant's knowledge there has been 80*l.* weekly made out of those mines for several weeks and that the title to said mines properly belongs to the King alone. (Henry Guy to Mr. Harbord, of same date, forwarding said petition.)	
May 25.	*Fiats* by Treasurer Rochester for royal letters patent to constitute Thomas Venn, esq., Comptroller of Customs in Bridgwater port: to wit the office he held at the death of Charles II. Robert Levintz, esq., as searcher of Customs in Lynn Regis port: to wit *ut supra.*	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, p. 68.
	Reference by same to the Chancellor of the Exchequer of the petition of Thomas Newton, woodward of Whittlewood and Salcey forests, co. Northampton, for some compensation in lieu of poundage on about 2,000*l.* worth of timber felled in Whittlewood and Salcey forests, the proceeds whereof were delivered to the Earl of Arlington in accordance with the warrants of 1682, May 10, and 1684, May 6, in both which warrants poundage is prohibited to be taken; the late Treasury Lords having promised petitioner satisfaction "some other way when the money was paid in but [this] was prevented by his late Majesty's death."	*Reference Book* III, p. 94.
May 26.	Henry Guy to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue to Col. Werden for the Queen's use the 3,000*l.* of Hearthmoney now remaining in the Exchequer. Likewise to issue to me [Guy] for secret service 1,000*l.* out of Excise money this day paid into the Exchequer.	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 33.
	Same to same to issue as follows out of the moneys of the Customs, Excise, Hearthmoney and Post Office paid or directed to be paid into the Exchequer this week, viz.:	*Ibid*, pp. 33–4.

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Out of the Customs.			
to the Treasurer of the Navy [on the Navy's] weekly money ..	1,500	0	0
to ditto towards paying sea officers and bills in course	400	0	0
to ditto for the Victuallers	1,200	0	0
to ditto for one year to the *Dartmouth's* men	2,000	0	0
to ditto for Ann Deane, widow ..	157	0	0
to the Treasurer of the Ordnance in part of 3,000*l.*	707	6	0
Out of the Hearthmoney.			
to ditto in full of ditto	2,292	14	0
to Lord Willoughby of Parham ..	100	0	0
to Ann, daughter of Sir John Lawson	62	10	0
to me [Guy] for secret service by way of advance	100	0	0
Out of the Excise.			
to Charles Fox, Paymaster of the Forces	5,000	0	0
to Visct. Brouncker on his privy seal for the Household	1,000	0	0
Out of the Post Office money.			
to me [Guy] for secret service by [way of] advance	500	0	0
to Philip Burton	500	0	0
	£15,519	10	0

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1685.	(Same dated same to the Commissioners of Excise and Hearthmoney, enclosing the paper of the disposition of the Excise and Hearthmoney for the present week; said paper including the above six items [payable out of the Exchequer] together with the following items [payable directly out of the Excise Office on tallies] viz.: 1,000*l.* to Mr. Toll in part of his debt; 500*l.* to Mr. Hornby in part of his debt; 1,500*l.* to Mr. Freind and Mr. Calvert in part of their debt. Total disposition, 9,000*l.* on the Excise and 2,555*l.* 4*s.* 0*d.* on the Hearthmoney.) (Same dated same to the Customs Cashier, enclosing the similar paper for the Customs; said paper including the abovesaid six items [payable out of the Exchequer] together with the following items [payable directly out of the Customs Office on tallies] viz., 2,000*l.* to Richard Kent and Charles Duncombe in part of their debt; 1,000*l.* to Mr. Hewer in part of his debt. Total disposition, 8,964*l.* 6*s.* 0*d.*) (Same dated same to the Navy Commissioners to pay the abovesaid 157*l.* to Ann Deane, widow of John Deane, late purser of his Majesty's ship *Glocester*.)	
May 26.	Henry Guy to the Auditor of the Receipt for a certificate of what was due to each person that was instrumental in the late King's escape at Worcester [viz. on their pensions].	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 80.
	Same to the Attorney General. Col. Whitley has consented that the Lord Treasurer shall determine the case which has depended in the Exchequer between the King and him. Draw an order of Court by consent binding him to pay what the Lord Treasurer shall award and have the order confirmed by Court. (Same to Col. Whitley to the like substance.)	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Darcy *et al.* to forthwith provide the following particulars. *Appending:* letter dated May 26 from the Lord Chamberlain to the Lord Treasurer. There are wanting these particulars for his Majesty's bedchamber at Whitehall which his Majesty would have provided forthwith viz.: four purple stools for the bedchamber and two white calico curtains and two stools of grey cloth for the inner rooms beyond the bedchamber. These are to be delivered to Mr. Rogers, keeper of the Standing Wardrobe at Westminster.	*Ibid*, p. 81.
	Same to Mr. Pepys, enclosing four affidavits [missing] concerning Capt. Votear.	*Ibid.*
	Two royal sign manuals for respectively 1,000*l.* and 500*l.* to Henry Guy, for secret service, without account: to be issued on the 10,000*l.* privy seal dormant of May 6 inst. (Two money warrants dated May 26 hereon. Two money orders dated May 27 hereon.)	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 123. *Money Book* VI, p. 67. *Order Book* I, p. 26.
	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of James Pierce, junr., for renewal of his patent as a King's waiter, London port, void by the late King's death.	*Reference Book* III, p. 96.
[?]	[Same by same to the same of] the petition of James Lyell to the King for the post of one of the Surveyors	*Ibid.*

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1685.	of the Custom House, London, void by the death of Thomas Thynne: said petition being referred May 23 from the King to Treasurer Rochester.	
May 26.	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to the Chancellor of the Exchequer of the petition of Philip Packer, Usher of the Receipt, shewing that he was orderod to put the Commissioners for the Arrears of Taxes into possession of the room called the Treasury Chamber in his house "which hath been always for the use of the Lord Treasurer and Chancellor when they please to come upon business at the Receipt of Exchequer, and formerly had diet there provided by the usher and was to his advantage to attend them and was not otherwise excluded from the custody and use thereof and was never disposed otherwise save in the time of the Lord Treasurer Southampton to Sir William Doyly and others for the like service about the taxes in the time of the great plague, who ever since that time have provided for that service in some other place: that it will be with great inconvenience to the officers of the Receipt (especially to Sir Robert Howard's office erected since Sir William Doyly used the room) and with great inconvenience to your petitioner's family and burthen to your petitioner and his servants to keep the Exchequer doors open for resort and access of all sorts of persons and at late hours (as was experienced in Sir William Doyly's use of the room) and for your petitioner and his servants' constant passing to serve the officers [of the Receipt] with their necessaries." Therefore prays that some other place may be fitted for said Commissioners, "that so the Exchequer doors may be closed in due time after the clerks are gone from the offices and absent upon holy days and festivals, as is always used."	*Reference Book* III, pp. 96–7.
	Same by same to William Blathwayte of the petition of Capt. Francis Rolleston shewing that four years since (on the recommendation of his present Majesty) he had a letter from Charles II to tho Duke of Ormonde for the first Company that fell [vacant] in Ireland and for a half pay pension till then; but so far he has had nothing but what he has purchased. Therefore prays his four years' arrears on [said] pension.	*Ibid*, p. 97.
	Same by same to Sir Philip Lloyd, Warden of the Mint, and to the Mint Commissioners, of the petition of John Prescott, of Prescot, co. Lancs, fustian man, as by a reference thereof from the King dated Whitehall, Mar. 7 last: petitioner shewing that in May last [? 1684] Edward Jackson was executed for clipping the coin, that a few months before he owed petitioner 950*l.* and that after a tedious lawsuit petitioner took his bond for 450*l.* in full of said debt: that he petitioned the late King thereon and had reference and report and order thereon. Therefore prays to be satisfied his said debt out of a discovery of said Jackson's estate, he having the information of said discovery ready to be exhibited; or [alternately] desires to know what share the King will allow to petitioner on 13 packs of said Jackson's cotton wool seized at Manchester.	*Ibid*, pp. 97–8.
	Same by same to the Customs Commissioners of said Commissioners' report on the petition of Capt. Keegle	*Ibid*, p. 99.

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1685.	*ut supra*, p. 107. They are to state whether they think the deposit should be returned as well as the seizure be discharged.	
May 26.	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners of the order of the King in Council dated May 8 inst. *Prefixing :* said order referring to Treasurer Rochester the petition of the sugar planters now residing in London, in behalf of themselves and the rest of the King's subjects, planters of sugar in Barbados, Jamaica and other parts of America : petitioners complaining *inter al.* of the Customs Commissioners' order of Oct. 9 last for a great abatement in the allowance of tare which they formerly had upon each cask of sugar.	*Reference Book* III, p. 99.
	Same by same to William Harbord, and Sir Christopher Wren of the petition of Frances Ellis, widow of Andrew Ellis, as by a reference thereof from the King dated April 11 last : petitioner shewing that the late King took a lease from petitioner of a piece of ground leading from St. James's to Charing Cross on [payment of] 100*l.* to petitioner and 5*l.* *per an.* to the Earl of St. Albans : said lease is now expired : prays delivery of same or some compensation.	*Ibid*, p. 101.
	Same by same to Anthony Stephens of the petition of Richard Gibson, shewing that as Sir Thomas Beckford in 1677 declined to serve the King's ships with slop cloths petitioner entered into partnership with Luke Noone [for such slop cloth contract for the Navy] and disbursed 1,600*l.* out of 2,500*l.* issued by Noone [in such slop cloths] : that upon stating the account between Noone and petitioner in Sept. last 575*l.* appears due to petitioner out of 748*l.* 6*s.* 0*d.* due from the King to Noone as by the certificate of Mr. Maddocks, late Paymaster of the Navy : that the Lord Treasurer has lately ordered 700*l.* to said Noone and Sir Rich. Haddock, Comptroller of the Navy, has stopped the last 500*l.* intending 200*l.* thereof for his cousin Hall, a linen draper, for goods delivered to Noone after petitioner's partnership with him was out : that Noone's proportion of this 500*l.* is only 162*l.* 3*s.* 0*d.* of which petitioner has paid him 37*l.* and is free that the remaining 125*l.* 3*s.* 0*d.* be received by Mr. Hall, who nevertheless has accepted from Noone as better security for his debt a certificate from Capt. Shales of the like nature with Mr. Maddocks's for 205*l.* "and in the present Treasurer's of the Navy's time to pay." Therefore petitioner prays that the 500*l.* lately ordered towards payment of Mr. Maddocks's 748*l.* 6*s.* 0*d.* certificate [may rank] as a debt much older than that stopped by Capt. Shales (being stopped [as a deduction] from the seamen in [Navy] Treasurer Seymour's time).	*Ibid*, pp. 101–2.
	Royal warrant to the Attorney General for a great seal for a grant and confirmation to Henry Hildeyard (Hiliard) of all those lands and grounds sometime heretofore derelict and left by the sea adjoining the manors or lordships of Marsh Chapel and North Cotes, co. Lincoln, commonly called the Fifties lying between the said lordships and the sea at low water "that is to say all those the Fifty grounds in Marsh Chapel aforesaid, abutting west	*King's Warrant Book* X, pp. 124, 125–6. *Warrants Early* XXXIII, ff. 12*a–b*.

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1685.	on the lordships of Marsh Chapel, east on the sea, south on the lordships of Wragholm and Ganthrop [Gunthorpe] and north on the Fifty grounds of Northcoats aforesaid: and also all those Fifty grounds of North Cotes abutting west on the said lordships of North Cotes, east on the sea, south on the Fifty grounds of Marsh Chapel aforesaid and north on the Fifty grounds of Tetney, co. Lincoln"; to hold in free and common socage as of the manor of East Greenwich at the rent of 5*l. per an.*; with liberty to embank, fence and enclose. *Appending:* approval by Sir Robert Sawyer, Attorney General, of the draft of said patent.	
May 26.	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners to discharge the seizure of the ship *William* and her goods, Benjamin Watson owner, built in Holland but made free in England and seized for importing a small parcel of coffee from Alexandria.	*Out Letters* (*Customs*) X, p. 24.
	Same by same to same to employ Richd. Collins as a boatman, Yarmouth port *loco* John Broadhurst, lately dismissed. John Townsend as a tidesman and boatman in Lynn Regis port *loco* William Gerrard, lately dismissed. John Hele (one of the extraordinary tidesmen in Plymouth port) as a tidesman in fee *ibid. loco* Tho. Gooding, lately deceased.	*Ibid*, p. 25.
	Same by same to the Barons of the Exchequer to take the security of Richard and Edmund sons of Edmund Anguish and to swear them into office as customer or collector of the great and petty customs, Yarmouth port; same being granted them by the late King in reversion after their father, whose grant is void by the death of Charles II.	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, pp. 68–9.
May 36 [*sic* for 26].	*Fiat* by same for royal letters patent to constitute John Butler, gent., and Richard his son to the post of one of the customers, Boston port: to wit, the office held by said John Butler at the death of Charles II.	*Ibid*, p. 70.
May 26.	Same by same for same to constitute Edward Carno, gent., searcher at Bridgwater: to wit *ut supra.*	*Ibid.*
	Warrant by same to the Commissioners of Excise and Hearthmoney to allow 50*l.* each for the present half yoar, and a moiety of the discoveries and reducemonts, to the threo exporiencod officers [of the Hearthmoney] who were sent from London to assist in the survey proposed by Felix Calverd, one of the said Commissioners who has undortaken to cause a perfect survey [of firehearths and chimneys] to be mado in Newcastle, Northumberland, Cumberland, Westmorland and Durham, of which no survey was ever yet made, and to collect the duty there.	*Ibid.*
May 30.	Henry Guy to Mr. Pepys. The Customs Commissioners have considered the instructions proposed by Capt. Saintloe "and [it is their opinion] that the answers given to Capt. Allen's queries may serve indifferently for heads of instructions to any of the commanders of his Majesty's ships in the service of	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 81.

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1685.	any of his Majesty's Plantations." You are to prepare instructions, for the King to sign, to Capt. St. Loe according to the purport of the said answer.	
May 30.	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Surveyor General of Crown Lands for a particular or constat of the second of the two little houses as follows with a view to a lease thereof to Andrew Lawrence for 31 years at 12*d. per an.* rent: the said Lawrence being willing to waive the lease of the first house till the controversy between the Lord Chamberlain and himself for the said house be decided. *Prefixing:* report dated Jan. 17 last from the said Surveyor General on said Lawrence's petition for said lease. I have surveyed the two little houses. The first is next the highway leading to Chelsea, is of brick 30 feet long and 12 feet deep, containing two rooms with cellars under and two chambers over them covered with tile and built by petitioner in 1661. The second is a brick house lately built by him in the new laid-out way leading towards Knightsbridge and set upon a slip of ground taken out of that way, by the gate at the entrance into his Majesty's private way to Fulham and Hampton Court: it is one story, 28 feet square, two small rooms with cellars and the back part only a pent house and a yard paled in and a stable, in the parish of St. Martins in the Fields and in the tenure of Edwd. Mathews "and having the privilege of keeping the gate by it and of selling drink as a victualler it may yield this petitioner 8*l. per an.* otherwise it would not be of half that value." I conceive the first house stands on the Lord Chamberlain's ground and there is a combat between him and petitioner about it. With the privilege of selling drink it may be valued at 8*l. per an.*	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, pp. 71–2.
	Instructions by same to the Customs Commissioners in reply to their memorial of the 23rd inst. (1) I approve the authority and instructions you have given for a qualified collection in the Scilly Islands and will move the Privy Council for such a letter to the Governor there as you desire. (2) You are to pay Mr. Hodges's bill for his disbursements in viewing the cocquets of several ships in the river Maes [Meuse] and port of Rotterdam [coming] from the [English] Plantations. (3) I approve the new establishment for the port of Milford Haven. (4) I approve the reducement of the charge of the three smacks, viz. Capt. Browne's smack, the Margate smack and the Harwich smack; I approve your proposal for guarding the coast with small boats. You are to present to me fit boatmen for the several places who are to do the duty of waiters and searchers at land and be frequently in motion in their boats at sea occasionally as shipping shall approach their coasts.	*Out Letters (Customs)* X, p. 27.
	Warrant by same to same to reduce the salary of two of the tidesurveyors and their boats who were usually employed in guarding the river [Thames] above [London] bridge (sufficient provision being made for such guard so that said tidesurveyors may be spared). Further to employ John Taylor (one of the tidesurveyors, London port) as tidesurveyor in Plymouth port *loco* Philemon Coddan, who has relinquished same.	*Ibid*, pp. 27, 28, 29.

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1685.	Robt. Rigden, William Cannon and Jno. Candle as the three additional tidesmen, London port, at 20*l.* *per an.* each, as proposed Mar. 16 last by said Commissioners. Thomas Edmonds as tidesman and boatman at Portsmouth *loco* John Francklyn, lately removed to be waiter and searchor at Gosport. Fra. Dickinson as waiter and searcher at Uphill in Bristol port *loco* Thomas Churchill, latoly deceased. Hen. Browne (at presont commander of his Majesty's sloop attending the Customs on tho coast of Kent and Sussex) as collector at Deal *loco* Capt. Johnson, dismissed: at the salary of 50*l.* *per an.* being an addition of 10*l.* *per an.* The two tidesmon and boatmen in Colchester port to be paid 20*l.* *per an.* as salary without incidents instead of 10*l.* *per an.* salary and 18*d.* a day when employed. James Thompson as waterman in London port *loco* Robert Browne, who has deserted same. John Mering as waiter at Bridgetown in Barbados for the Four and a Half *per cent.* duty *loco* Tho. Landy, deceased. Cha. Fuller as tidesman in Hull port *loco* Rob. Langley, lately deceased. John Franklyn (a tidesman and boatman at Portsmouth) as waiter and searcher at Gosport *loco* ——— Pickford, lately dismissed.	
May 30.	Henry Guy to the Auditor of tho Receipt to issue to mo [Guy] 200*l.* for secret service: out of the money of the Post Office now remaining undisposed of in the Exchequer.	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 34.
	Money warrant for 62*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.* to Ann, daughter of Sir John Lawson, for 1679, Christmas quarter, on her pension.	*Money Book* VI, p. 68.
	Same for 100*l.* to Thomas, Lord Willoughby of Parham, for half a year to Lady day last on his annuity or pension. (Money order dated May 30 hereon.)	*Ibid*, p. 68. *Order Book* I, p. 27.
	Same for 500*l.* to Philip Burton as imprest for Crown law charges. (Money ordor dated May 30 hereon.)	*Money Book* VI, p. 68. *Order Book* I, p. 27.
	Same for 125*l.* to Sir Edward Herbert, kt., for last Hilary term's quarter on his fee or salary as chief Justice of Chester. 50*l.* to John Warren, esq. for same quarter on his same as one of the Justices of the city of Chester.	*Money Book* VI, p. 68.
	Royal warrant to the Attorney General to enter a *noli prosequi* to the information exhibitod in tho Exchequer by procuromont of Charles Stisted against Cha. Sherman, one of tho coastwaiters, London port, for taking 6*d.* from Henry Ball and from other merchants some other small sums for fees not established: the said prosecution being malicious and altogether groundless.	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 127.
	Royal sign manual for 300*l.* to Henry Guy, for secret service, without account: to be issued on the 10,000*l.* privy seal dormant of the 6th inst. (Money warrant dated June 1 hereon. Money order dated June 1 hercon.)	*Ibid*, p. 127. *Money Book* VI, p. 69. *Order Book* I, p. 27.

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1685. June 1.	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester [to the custodian concerned] to release from custody Cha. Garrett, Tho. Teeling, Lazarus Page, Hum. Beckly and Ro. Eust for employing workmen to fell timber in Braywood: the said Garrett and Teeling being first to give bond in 500*l.* for their appearance in the Exchequer in Trinity term next. *Appending:* note of their entering into said bond.	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, p. 73.
	Same by same to the King's Remembrancer to supersede process against Henry (now Sir Henry) Brabant and Henry Ball, customers at Newcastle, which has been kept on foot against them for divers years upon pretence of their having some certified bonds not returned into the Exchequer in the years 30, 31, 32 and 33 of Car. II they having sworn that they have returned all the said bonds and that they have likewise delivered into the Exchequer all the port bonds and books for the years 1682 and 1683: the Customs Commissioners being of opinion that they have cleared themselves by said affidavit, wherefore they deserve the same favour as was granted to the Comptroller of said port in the same case.	*Ibid.*
	Reference by same to Auditor Aldworth of the account of James Nihill for interest. *Prefixing:* abstract of said account. interest on 16,000*l.* (part of 20,000*l.*) viz. on 10,000*l.* thereof from 1683–4, Mar. 23, and on 6,000*l.* thereof from 1684, Mar. 30, to May 13 last 805*l.* 9*s.* 10*d.*; the interest of 11,000*l.* thereof being proportionably abated as the principal was paid off.	*Reference Book* III, p. 102.
	Same by same to same of the interest account of Mr. Noell. *Prefixing:* abstract of said account. interest for 49,520*l.* 16*s.* 0*d.* (remaining due to him) to May 20 last, 1,717*l.* 18*s.* 7*d.*	*Ibid.*
	Same by same to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of John Ferrour for the office of Comptroller of King's Lynn port granted him by the late King in reversion of John Anguish [whose grant is terminated by the late King's death].	*Ibid.*
	Henry Guy to the Attorney General to report on (*a*) *infra*. *Appending:* (*a*) petition of Thomas Glemham to the Lord Treasurer; shewing that by a lease from the Dean and Chapter of Ely he is entitled to the goods of *felo de se* within the liberty of St. Etheldred, co. Suffolk, "which the said church, their farmers and tenants of the said liberty have had and enjoyed before the Conquest and ever since and which were confirmed by the grant of King James I.": that one Rivans has lately murthered himself and that several sums of money, some of his specialties and much of his personal estate were within said liberty at the time of his death: therefore prays order herein.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 81.
	Same to same to peruse the patent granting the office of Professor of Civil Law in Cambridge to Dr. George Oxinden and to inform the Lord Treasurer whether he may thereupon pay his salary.	*Ibid*, p. 82.

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1685. June 1.	Treasurer Rochester to Lord Herbert of Chirbury. The Hearthmoney Commissioners have appointed their officers in North and South Wales to make a true and particular survey of each house there. The officers complain that they have demanded leave to survey your house in co. Montgomery, but are refused entry and that from a survey from the outside more chimneys appear than ever hitherto have been paid for; and that from this refusal the inhabitants of that county take example and likewise refuse entry to the officers. I desire you to permit such entry and survey.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 82.
	Henry Guy to Mr. Darcy *et al.* [of the Great Wardrobe] to forthwith provide furniture as below. *Appending:* letter dated May 28 from the Lord Chamberlain to the Lord Treasurer. There is wanting for furnishing the rooms wherein the Grooms of the Bedchamber do dress themselves both at Whitehall and Windsor some painted stuff to hang those rooms in regard the rooms are so shallow and full of windows that they cannot be well furnished with any hangings which are too deep for these rooms: and also curtains of serge for the windows.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Attorney General to take off the stay of process against John Westbroke and Jacob Well for importing sanders wood and iron wire. The Lord Treasurer wonders how you came to give warrant for such stop of process without warrant from him.	*Ibid*, p. 83.
	Same to Mr. Burton. I return your report on John Packer's petition and bill. You are to ascertain [fix] what Packer deserves for his charge and journeys about the suit brought by the late King against the late Corporation of Wells.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue 1,000*l.* to me [Guy] out of Excise money now remaining in the Exchequer.	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 35.
	Money warrant for 250*l.* each to the Justices of the King's Bench, Common Pleas and Exchequer for the present Easter term on their yearly fee of 1,000*l.* each: and dormant warrant clause for same in future termly.	*Money Book* VI, p. 69.
	Royal warrant to Sir Robt. Sawyer, Attorney General, to *non pros* the indictment of John Curl (Curll), of Bradford, who was indicted at the General Quarter Sessions at Salisbury, Wilts, Jan. 14 last, for seditious words against the Government, he having submitted himself and prayed pardon.	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 131.
June 2.	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of the merchants of London trading to Flanders; shewing that linen from Flanders pays a far greater duty than any other linen imported into England in proportion to its value and pays double the duty of East India and French linen "though the Flanders trade hath been much more advantage to the nation than the French [trade] it giving all encouragement to the importation there [into Flanders] of [English] woollen and other manufactures by laying easy impositions upon them but the French have done	*Reference Book* III, p. 102.

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1685.	quite the contrary to the almost ruin of the Flanders trade": therefore petitioners pray that such remedies may be applied for their relief as may be agreeable to the interest of the nation.	
June 2.	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners of a draft warrant for compounding the [forfeited] bonds of Tho. Berry *et al.* for delivery of several bales of calf skins at Dover and other ports in England.	*Reference Book* III, p. 103.
	Same by same to same of the petition of Lewis Stuckley, Comptroller of Plymouth port, to be continued in his said office, his tenure thereof being void by the late King's death and Mr. Fall having a reversionary grant thereof threatens to turn petitioner out.	*Ibid*, pp. 103–4.
	Same by same to the Surveyor General of Crown Lands of the petition of John Gilham for continuance in the office of bailiff and collector of the King's manors of Wingham, co. Kent, granted him during pleasure 1676–7, Feb. 9.	*Ibid*, p. 104.
	Same by same to William Blathwayte of the order of the King in Council as follows: *Prefixing:* said order dated Whitehall, May 15 last, made upon reading the petition of Tho. Rivers, Symon Musgrave and William Bragg, esqrs. and Robert Compear, gent. executors of Tho. Martyn, lately deceased, petitioners shewing that said Martyn was Receiver General of his Majesty's quit rents, duties and impositions of wines, brandy etc. in Jamaica and that he paid at several times to the order of Sir Thomas Linch several sums of money amounting to 1,800*l.* or 2,000*l.* in expectation of having same allowed in his account current for the Government; that petitioners being sued for 35,000*l.* as his executors were found in arrear to the King in 1,100*l.* odd which they are ready to discharge with all possible speed: therefore pray a reasonable time to pay same and stay of process meanwhile.	*Ibid*, pp. 104–5.
	Same by same to same of the order of the King in Council as follows. *Prefixing:* said order dated Whitehall, May 15 last, made on reading the petition of Leonard Compear, shewing that he was joint Receiver General as above with said Martin, but petitioner's name therein was only used in trust for said Martin and that pursuant to his trust petitioner as the survivor in said office deputed Major Thomas Ryves of Jamaica to execute same, but through favour of the late and present Government [of Jamaica] another person is admitted thereto and refuses to resign.	*Ibid*, pp. 105–6.
	Warrant by same to the Customs Commissioners to employ John Shepheard as a landwaiter, London port *loco* John Stracey, presented to be a land surveyor. Charles Cogan as waiter and searcher in Poole port *loco* Thomas Paris, who is to be removed to Sarum *loco* said Cogan: their salaries being alike. Andrew O'Neale as waiter and searcher at Broadstairs in Sandwich port *loco* Edward Reed, dismissed; with the addition of 5*l.* to make his salary 25*l.* John Stracey (a landwaiter, London port) as a landsurveyor *ibid. loco* Tho. Thynn, lately deceased.	*Out Letters* (*Customs*) IX, pp. 29, 30.

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1685.	Peter Philips, Jno. Jenkins, Hy. Tregeare and William James to be established as boatmen in the island of Scilly. Rob. Thetford as boatman and tidesman at Lynn Regis *loco* Thomas Brough, lately dismissed. John Brewer as a noontender, London port *loco* Oliver Hannett, lately deceased.	
June 2.	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the King's Remembrancer to supersede process against John Basire as Receiver for Northumberland, Cumberland, Westmorland and Durham of the Seventeen Months', Eighteen Months' and Six Months' Assessments and the last Poll: he having already paid in all his moneys.	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, p. 72.
	Same by same to same to wholly supersede (until the King's further pleasure) all process whatsoever against the persons [Recusants] mentioned in the schedules annexed [missing] and against their estates and also against all lessees of the two-thirds parts of the said estates; and to restore all moneys levied or to be levied and not answered to the King [thereon].	*Ibid.*
	Same by same to the Clerk of the Pipe for a lease to Francis Gwynn of 37 several parcels of land in the parish of Redriff and 37 other parcels in the parish of St. Magdalene, Bermondsey, co. Surrey, being encroachments on the river Thames: as by a particular thereof made May 25 last by Thomas Eden, Deputy King's Remembrancer, by warrant of the late Treasury Lords dated Jan. 19 last "which particular is grounded upon two inquisitions taken by virtue of a commission under the Exchequer seal and therein is particularly set down the abuttals and boundaries of all the said parcels of lands, the names of the persons in possession and the clear yearly value of each parcel." The present lease is to be for 31 years at a total rent of 19*l.* 12*s.* 9*d.* *per an.* *Prefixing:* abstract only of said particular (yielding no further information than as above).	*Ibid*, p. 74.
	Money order for 5*l.* to William Parks, porter at the gate of the Receipt of the Exchequer, for last Lady day quarter's attendance thereon.	*Order Book* I, p. 27.
	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to Philip Burton to pay 250*l.* to Richard Graham for disbursements for his Majesty's service.	*Money Book* VI, p. 69.
	Henry Guy to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue as follows out of such money of the Customs, Excise and Hearthmoney as is directed to be this week paid into the Exchequer, viz.:	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 35.

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
On the Customs.			
to the Treasurer of the Navy [on the Navy's] weekly money	1,500	0	0
to ditto towards paying off sea officers and bills in course ..	400	0	0
to ditto for the Victuallers	1,200	0	0
to the Treasurer of the Ordnance ..	2,000	0	0
to Mr. Dunstar, on his pension ..	250	0	0
	£5,350	0	0

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	On the Excise.				
	to Charles Fox, Paymaster of the Forces	5,000	0	0	
	to Viset. Brouncker, for the Household	1,000	0	0	
	to the Treasurer of the Navy for Mr. Taylor in full of his contract for stores [being] for the month of May	2,321	10	0	
		£8,321	10	0	
	On the Hearthmoney.				
	to me [Guy] for secret service as advance and in part of 1,000*l.* ..	500	0	0	
	(Same dated same to the Commissioners of Excise and Hearthmoney enclosing the paper of the disposition of the money of the Excise and Hearthmoney for the present week; said paper including the above five items [payable out of the Exchequer] together with the following items [payable direct out of the Excise Office on tallies] viz. 1,000*l.* to Mr. Toll; 500*l.* to Mr. Hornby; 2,000*l.* to the bankers. Total disposition, 12,321*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.*)				
	(Same dated same to the Customs Cashier, enclosing the like paper of disposition of the Customs money; said paper including only the above five Customs items.)				
June 2.	Henry Guy to Mr. Kingdon, Mr. Trant and Mr. Bridges. The Lord Treasurer is informed by Mr. [Auditor] Aldworth that for the five years of your management he has examined the books and abstracts of the Hearth duty for Devon, Cornwall, Somerset, Dorset, Yorks, Middlesex, London, Westminster, Surrey and Southwark up to Lady day, 1684, and that your officers do not think themselves obliged to swear to the truth of the said books and extracts unless required by the Lord Treasurer. You are to order them to so swear same.				*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 83.
	Same to the Customs Commissioners to report on the enclosed paper [missing] containing "proposals about linen cloths *per* Mr. Jno. Hide."				*Ibid.*
	Same to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue (out of the money of the Post Office now in the Exchequer) 200*l.* to the Treasurer of the Navy for Capt. Greenvill Collins as in part of his pay and travelling charges.				*Ibid.*
	Same to the officers of the Board of Greencloth. It is the King's pleasure that Mr. Arnold, the present brewer [to the Household] pay 50*l. per an.* to Thomas Forth as was paid in the late King's time by Major Arnold on your contract made with him.				*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Darcy *et al.* to forthwith provide the following.				*Ibid*, p. 84.
	Appending: letter dated May 11 from Seth, Bishop of Sarum, Chancellor of the Order of the Garter, to the Lord Treasurer to provide for Henry, Duke of Norfolk, lately elected a Knight of the Garter, a great mantle of blue velvet of 18 yards, and 10 yards of white taffeta to line same; an escutcheon of St. George's Cross embroidered and encompassed with a garter placed on the left shoulder with large				

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1685.	strings, buttons and tassels of silk and gold; and a sureoat of crimson velvet and hood of the same lined with white taffeta: all which is as usual.	
June 2.	Henry Guy to the Auditors of Imprests, enclosing the certificate of the payments by the Earl of Ranelagh (when he was Vice Treasurer of Ireland) made at various times to William Roberts, Receiver of Windsor Castle, amounting to 30,846*l.* You are to charge said Roberts therewith. *Appending:* said certificate dated April 8 last. I paid the above sum to Roberts and no more. Besides that sum I gave him an order on Patrick Trant for 154*l.* thereby to make it up to 31,000*l.* computing that Trant had so much in his hands of some bills of exchange I had given him upon the Treasury of Ireland: but upon making up accounts with Trant he claimed that sum for additional exchange, interest and charges of bills not accepted nor paid by the then Farmers [of the revenue of Ireland] as they ought to have been: so that Roberts never got that 154*l.*	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 84.
June 3.	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to Mr. Froud of the petition of Tho. Meares for 20*l. per an.* addition to his salary for conveying letters from Harborough, Uppingham and Oakham.	*Reference Book* III, p. 103.
	Royal warrant to the Clerk of the Signet for a privy seal for a grant to George Simpson of Shipley, co. Durham, to be keeper of the forest of Teesdale, void by the death of Charles, late Earl of Carlisle: as amply etc. as Arthur Bambridge or any other heretofore.	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 127.
	Royal sign manual for 1,000*l.* to Henry Guy, for secret service, without account: to be issued on the 10,000*l.* privy seal dormant of May 6 last. (Money warrant dated June 4 hereon. Money order dated June 5 hereon.)	*Ibid*, p. 128. *Money Book* VI, p. 71. *Order Book* I, p. 28.
	Royal warrant to the Attorney or Solicitor General for a great seal for a grant to Charles Osborne of the office of Surveyor General of Customs with the salary of 1,000*l.* marks *per an.*, said office having been granted 1674–5, Mar. 24, to said Osborne and Giles Dunstar since deceased, but said grant being void by the late King's death.	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 128.
June 4.	Same to same for a same for a grant to Katherine, Queen Dowager of England, of an annuity or pension of 6,000*l.* for life: to be paid quarterly at the Exchequer: the first payment to be at June 24 next.	*Ibid*, p. 129.
	Same to same for a same for a grant to Philip Packer of the office of Paymaster of the Works: to wit, the office he held at the death of Charles II: the King confiding in his ability, skill and integrity.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Philip Froude, Governor of the Post Office. It is informed that the King has suffered great prejudice in the Post Office revenue by the free carriage of a great number of letters and packets from time to time which ought to have been paid for according to Acts of Parliament. It is necessary to put a restraint to this practice. You are therefore hereby to permit no person whatsoever to send	*Ibid*, p. 130.

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1685.	or receive free any letters or pacquets which ought to be paid for, exeept the two Principal Secretaries of State in England and the Secretary for Scotland for such letters or pacquets only as they shall sond or receive on aceount of the King's service: and they are not to suffer any person at any time to send any private letters under eover to them but what they shall immediately send to the General Post Office in London to be taxed and delivered; and that they shall not eover any man's letters whatsoever but their own and that they give striet instructions to the secretaries and clerks under them to this purpose.	
June 4.	Money warrant for 10,000*l.* to Henry, Viset. Brouneker, as imprest for the Household of the late King and the present King: to eomplete the 20,000*l.* as by the privy seal of April 29 last. (Money order dated June 4 hereon.)	*Money Book* VI, p. 70. *Order Book* I, p. 28.
	Same for 10,000*l.* to Philip Paeker as imprest for the Works as in full of 20,000*l.* for tho Works as by the privy seal of Mar. 31 last. (Money order dated June 5 hereon.)	*Money Book* VI, p. 70. *Order Book* I, p. 28.
	Same for 250*l.* to George Dunstar for 1683, June 24 quarter, on his pension.	*Money Book* VI, p. 71.
	Henry Guy to the Auditor of the Reeeipt to issuo to the Treasurer of the Navy the 100*l.* whieh was direeted May 25 last to be advaneed by the Customs Cashier to the said Treasurer to fit out to sea the *Mary* and *Charlott* yachts.	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 36.
	Same to the Customs Commissioners for a eertificate how much money has actually been received yearly by a medium of seven years last past on the following heads, viz.: on aliens' duties payable by *charta mercatoria* and how mueh thereof for [or has gone to the petty Customs] Farmers. on the like payable by the Act of Navigation and how much thereof for Farmers. on salted and dried fish by the clause in the Aet of Trade. on whale oil and fins of foreign fishing by tho Greenland Act. on corn imported by the Act of Tillage.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 85.
	Same to George Robinson to pay into the Exehequer the rent reservod on tho lease of sea eoals to Viset. Townshend, notwithstanding the letter of Mar. 18 last *supra*, p. 63.	*Ibid.*
	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to tho Attorney General of the petition of Mr. Anguish and Sir Richd. Deerham with the several papers annexed [missing] and particularly the Customs Commissioners' report of May 18 last, about the Comptroller's place in Lynn Regis port. *Appending:* note of a lator reference dated 1685, July 20, from Treasurer Roehester to the Customs Commissioners, to seo that said Deerham subscribe the instrument formerly approved by said Lord Treasurer for the bettor maintenance of deputies of patent offieers.	*Reference Book* III, p. 106.

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1685. June 4.	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of Sir Tho. Strickland, shewing that the late King granted him a patent of the farm of Scotch and foreign salt for 21 years at 1,000*l.* *per an.* rent which rent was so great that petitioner had little or no advantage by it; and the said rent being granted to the Duke of Lauderdale, petitioner bought him off with borrowed money and had a new lease for six yoars at 40*s.* *per an.* rent; that petitioner has not yet repaid said borrowed moncy and now the King has put a stop to the grant "though the duty upon Scotch salt is [an] inheritance to the Crown and is demised by that grant to your petitioner and his late Majesty in the said lease did covenant for his heirs and successors to make good the said lease." Further that the Scotch salt is capable of no other way of management than by a farm and is not worth 1*s.* to the King if collected by the general receipt [of the Customs]: therefore prays to enjoy his said lease or for compensation.	*Reference Book* III, p. 107.
	Same by same to the Attorney General of a draft warrant for granting to Charles, Duke of Richmond and Lennox, the manors, lordships, lands etc. of Ford, late Lord Grey, as in a schedule annexed [missing].	*Ibid.*
	Same by same to the Commissioners of Excise and Hearthmoney of the petition of Edward Denham for a collectorship of Excise, he being certified as fit by Mr. Feast on a previous reference from the late Treasury Lords.	*Ibid*, p. 108.
	Same by same to Richard Graham and Philip Burton of the petition of Col. John Legg for a grant of the sole use and benefit of the Mercury Office in London and Middlesex and elsewhere within the bills of mortality and also the Registry of all persons going to serve in any of the King's foreign Plantations: with a paper shewing the reasonableness of such grant and the general use that it may be of and containing some proposals about it.	*Ibid.*
	Same by same to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of Robt. Doughty shewing that for soveral years he was collector of Yarmouth port and employed much of his time in suppressing the faction there by which he insensibly ran in arrear to the King and is now in prison for 3,000*l.* remainder of said arrear, while he himself is not worth 20*l.*: therefore prays enlargement that by his industry he may make some satisfaction of said debt.	*Ibid*, pp. 108-9.
	Same by same to same of the petition of William Hill, a tidewaiter, London port, praying a tidesman's place in the 70 list *ibid.*	*Ibid*, p. 109.
	Same by same to same of the petition of Randall Willmer for renewal of his patent as collector of petty customs, London port, rendered vacant by the late King's death.	*Ibid.*
	Same by same to the Surveyor General of Crown Lands of the petition of Eliz. and Tho. Johnson for tho rents and profits of the manor of Liskeard	*Ibid.*

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1685.	to be continued to them as formerly : their warrant for same being now determined [by the death of Charles II].	
June 4.	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of George Browne and Thomas Bryan, overseers of the poor in the precinct of St. Katherine's near the Tower, shewing that they seized the ship called *Katherine in the Boat alias Hugboate*, Jacob Hugboate master, for importing Westphalia bacon contrary to the law and exhibited an information in the Exchequer with a view that a moiety of the seizure might be disposed to the poor of St. Katherine's ; that Hugboat has petitioned for discharge of his ship on which the Customs Commissioners intend to report favourably, refusing to take notice how strict the law is in petitioners' favour : therefore pray to be heard by counsel.	*Reference Book* III, pp. 109–10.
	Same by same to same of the petition of Samuel Travell, senr., shewing that the late King granted to petitioner and Obediah Clayton the office of Clerk of the Passes to register the names etc. of all persons licensed to pass over sea : therefore prays a commission under the great seal of the port of London to make his grant effectual as is usual.	*Ibid*, p. 111.
	Same by same to Richard Graham and Philip Burton of the petition of Francis Minshull (as by a reference from the King dated May 8 last) for restoration of his small estate forfeited by manslaughter.	*Ibid.*
	Fiat by same for royal letters patent to constitute James Peirce, junr., a King's waiter, London port : to wit, the office he held at the death of Charles II.	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, p. 74.
	Same by same for same to constitute John Brett and John Waring, searchers in the ports of Chester, Beaumaris and Liverpool : to wit *ut supra.*	*Ibid*, p. 75.
	Warrant by same to the Clerk of the Pipe for a lease to Sir Richard Edgcombe, Kt. of the Bath, of the weir of Calstock *alias* Calistock, co. Devon and Cornwall, and of all that water of Tamar *alias* Tamyr in the said counties and all that fishing in the said weir and water from the weir, late belonging to the monastery of Tavistock, called Boliworthy Hatch *alias* Colworth in the upper part of the said water to the rock called Toplingtor *alias* Tocklingtor in the lower part thereof : with rights to fish and set nets etc. in said weir and water and to repair said weir on the soil of the manor of Calstock whenever necessary : likewise for a lease of the disused weir called Pennyyocke in the manor of Landulph, co. Cornwall, as demised to Percy Edgecombe, esq., 1661, May 31, by letters patent for 99 years terminable on the lives of said Percy, Sir Richard Edgcombe, the son and Winifred the daughter of the said Percy and now wife of Thomas Coventry, esq. The present lease is for 99 years terminable on the lives of said Sir Richard and Pears and Richard his sons, on surrender of the present lease, and at the old rents of 10*l.*, 26*s.* 8*d.* and 4*s.* *ut supra*, p. 99. *Prefixing and appending :* (*a*) particular and memorandum of the premises made out by John Griffith, deputy auditor of the Duchy of Cornwall. The	*Ibid*, pp. 76–8, 117.

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1685.	rent of 26*s.* 8*d.* accruing for rent suits of the King's tenants of the manor of Calstock to Sir Rich. Edgcombe's mills called Morden mills, has been constantly paid by the lessees to the Receiver General of the Duchy of Cornwall. (*b*) Ratal dated May 14 last by the Surveyor General of Crown Lands of said particular. (*c*) Signature by Treasurer Rochester and Sir John Ernle, Chancellor of the Exchequer, dated 1685, Sept. 19, of the docquet of this demise.	
June 4.	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Clerk of the Pipe for a lease to Henry Manaton esq., of the woods, underwoods etc. called Northhele wood, Southhele wood, Grimscombe wood and Castlewood in the manor of Calstock, with the waste, soil, pasture and herbage thereof except the saplings and staddalls according to the statute relating thereto: all as formerly demised 1628, June 13, to John Connock, junr., gent., for 99 years terminable on the lives of said John, Alice his wife (now wife of Edmund Fowell of Harewood, co. Cornwall) and Nicholas son of John Connock, senr., and as now demised to said Edmund Fowell 1661, July 3, for the lives of said Alice, John Fowell and Henry son of said Edmund Fowell. The present lease is to be for 99 years terminable on the lives of Henry Manaton, Percy Mannaton and Richard Dyer at 8*l.* 10*s. per an.* rent and fine of 30*l.* and 102*l.* to buy off the increased rent of 12*l. per an.* *Prefixing:* (*a*) particular of the premises made out by William Harbord, auditor of the Duchy of Cornwall. The said Alice Connock died in Jan., 1663–4. (*b*) Ratal by John Fisher (in the absence of the Surveyor General of Crown Lands) of said particular. (*c*) Undated entry of [the signature by the Lord Treasurer of] the docquet of this dimise.	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, pp. 82–4.
	Same by same to the Customs Commissioners to discharge the seizure of the ship *Mary*, of London, John Keegle master, seized under the Navigation Act for not having three-fourths English mariners *ut supra*, p. 107: he leaving London in Oct. last manned with 11 men and himself, two thereof strangers, of whom four English left the ship when at Norway on pretence the ship was old and leaky and by the law of that country they could not be compelled against their wills, so he was obliged to hire four Norwegians.	*Out Letters* (*Customs*) X, pp. 30–1.
June 5.	Henry Guy to Mr. Burton to defend Capt. Perry at the King's chargo in the action brought against him by Fra. Scott, bailiff of the manor of Finsbury, concerning some money and clippings of Eleanor Bonnett, who was convicted for clipping.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 85.
	Same to Sir Christopher Wren to alter and fit up Mris. Walgrave's lodgings according to the Queen's command.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Duncombe. The Lord Treasurer will not be at the Treasury Chambers on Tuesday next to receive your [weekly] certificates of the Excise and Hearthmoney. You are to bring them the week after: and so likewise for the arrears. (The like letter to Mr. Kent for the Customs and to Mr. Lilly for the Post Office.)	*Ibid.*

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1685. June 5.	Money warrant for 60*l.* to Dr. Robert Brady for 1½ years to 1684, Sept. 29, on his fee or salary as his Majesty's Reader or Professor of Phisick in the University of Cambridge.	*Money Book* VI, p. 70.
	Same for 60*l.* to the executors of Dr. John Board for same to samo dato as same of Laws in said university.	*Ibid*, p. 71.
	Same for 200*l.* to Francis Rainolds, gent. for one year to 1682, June 24, on his pension.	*Ibid.*
	Royal warrant to Philip Froude, Governor of the Post Office, to carry free all singlo inland letters of the members of both Houses of Parliament during this and all subsequent sessions of Parliament, and for 40 days before and after; the King being informed that they have had the like usago by order of the late King. To prevent abuses formerly practised by divers persons, not members, who presumed to endorse the names of members of Parliament on their letters, each member of both Houses is to write his name and give the impression of his seal such as he will put upon his letters in a book to be provided by the Governor of the Post Office. This order to last during pleasure.	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 130.
	Report to the King from Treasurer Rochester on the petition of Phillip Rycaut, esq., late Consul at Algier, shewing that by command of Charles II he paid to the Governmont of Algier 2,716 dollars four ryalls for the ransom of several English captives and has rendered many other services redounding to the King's honour and the benefit of the subject during his short continuance in that station whero he has left a firm and settled peace, having been beneficial to every person therein concerned unless to himself and family which has been greatly prejudiced by being so speedily removed from that place after he had disposed all his domestic affairs at home for his longer residence abroad: therefore praying repayment of abovesaid sum at the rate of 5*s.* a dollar by reason that at the time the money was paid there was 30 *per cent.* difference between the Plate [silver] and the current Dollar and that he has been out of said money for six months; and further desiring consideration, having been greatly prejudiced by this speedy removal from his employment. Hereon Treasurer Rochester reports that he has seen the Earl of Sunderland's letter dated 1684, Aug. 21, to Rycaut to pay the ransom money for the slaves that made their escape; and also the acquittance dated 1684, Sept. 3, under the hand and seal of tho Dei of Algier for tho abovesaid sum in full satisfaction for six slaves that made their escape from Algier on board one of the King's men of war in May, 1684, as also for two slaves taken from Tangier and the negro that died thero in the time of Mr. Sheeres. Petitioner has made affidavit that the manner of paying the ransom for captives at Algier is in one moiety dollars of tho country and the other moiety in pieces of Eight Seville and Mexico, which said money is always repaid upon the Christian shore in pieces of Eight Seville and Mexico. I am informed by merchants that a piece of Eight there is generally reckoned at 5*s.* In consideration that he was obliged to make payment of the dollars of the country upon the Christian shore in pieces of Eight Seville and Mexico and that	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, pp. 79–80.

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1685.	he has been so long out of his money he might reasonably be allowed 4*s.* 6*d.* for each dollar of the country, which makes the abovesaid sum 645*l.* 3*s.* 0*d.* sterling. I advise he be reimbursed 615*l.* 3*s.* 0*d.* of this sum for the ransom of the English captives and then there remains only 30*l.* to be made good to him for the ransom of the negro "which the petitioner informs upon the oath cost so much." Petitioner's allowance of 200*l.* *per an.* as consul is paid to Oct. 25 last and according to the custom of that place [Algiers] he paid in advance 250 dollars in pieces of Eight, Seville and Mexico, for a year's rent of his house before his letters of revocation arrived. He may be allowed his ordinary till Mar. 25 last, being the day of his return into the royal presence, being 83*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.* and likewise 62*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.* for said 250 dollars at 5*s.* the dollar. Petitioner's whole pretences amount to 790*l.* 19*s.* 8*d.* whereof 615*l.* 3*s.* 0*d.* may be paid out of money collected for the redemption of English captives and the remainder 175*l.* 16*s.* 8*d.* as your Majesty shall direct.	
June 5.	Report to the King from Treasurer Rochester on the petition of William Geddes *ut supra*, p. 106. The Customs Commissioners have reported thereon to me April 27 last that by the Act of Navigation ships of Scotland are equally with all foreign shipping prohibited to carry any goods to his Majesty's Plantations under pain of forfeiture of ship and goods. By petitioner's own shewing his ship is Scotch and carried household stuff to Delaware river. By their books of entry the Customs Commissioners find that about the time in question said vessel cleared from Southampton. The case was then before them by the name of the ship *Mary* of Southampton, Antho. Pryor master, bound with passengers and goods for Pennsylvania and petitioner confesses it is the same ship as the *Alexander* of Inverness, there being then some dispute about her qualification to trade to the said Plantations "and that they did then give warning by letter to the collector of Southampton that if she did trade contrary to law she must do it at her own peril though they knew of no law to detain her here." They therefore think that petitioner's pretence of ignorance ought not to exempt him from forfeiture in the Plantation where the breach of law was committed. In a second report of May 26 last the said Commissioners certify me that the said ship *Mary* of Southampton, being a Scotch vessel, was seized and condemned in 1683 by the Governor and Council of Pennsylvania for importing household goods into the Plantation contrary to the Navigation Act. The said ship, now called the *Recovery* of Southampton was sold to George Jackman, Edw. Pritchard, Joseph Jones, and John Swift and did in 1684 import to London a parcel of sugar and Molasses from Barbados and is now in Southampton port laden with deals from Norway; for which cause the Customs Commissioners ordered her seizure. But the owners petitioned them, pleading ignorance, they presuming that by [her official sale consequent upon] the forfeiture and condemnation she had been as free to trade as an English ship. The Customs Commissioners incline to believe this and therefore advise discharge of the seizure on	*Warrants not Relating to Money* IX, p. 81.

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1685.	payment of strangers' duties on the goods imported by her in both voyages, but not to allow her the privilege of a free ship for the future.	
June 5.	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to the Company of Merchant Adventurers of England, of the petition of Susanna Holman, Grace Tattam, Augnis Cowse, and Eliz. White, shewing that they have respectively 300*l.*, 1,100*l.*, 2,800*l.*, and 700*l.* in the hands of the said Merchant Adventurers and have received neither principal nor interest and are ancient and in great want.	*Reference Book* III, p. 108.
June 6.	Royal warrant to the Attorney or Solicitor General for a great seal for a grant to Sir Evan Lloyd, bart., of the office of Constable of the Castle of Harlech ("Harleigh"), co. Merioneth, with the Castleyard and Castlegreen there and the annual fee of 50*l.* payable quarterly by tho Receiver [of Crown revenues] of North Wales and the profits of the market in the town of Harlech and of the fair there held on the feast of St. Andrew yearly for three days with the tolls, piccage and stillage [stallage] of the said market and fair and all fines and amerciaments of the Court of Pypowders belonging to same: all as granted 1670–1, Mar. 21, to Cornelius Manley during pleaure, the said grant being void by the late King's death.	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 131.
	Same to same for a same for a grant and demise to the mayor and burgesses of Neweastle upon Tyno of the Castfields, the Frith and all other things as in the particular below and all houses and buildings thereon except the castleward rents, the Moot Hall, the gaol and except all other things excepted in tho grant of 1664, Aug. 13, to Charles, Lord Gerard of Brandon, now Earl of Macclesfield, of tho said premises for 99 years terminable on the lives of said Earl and Charles and Fitton his sons: the present lease to be for 31 years from the termination of said Earl's grant. The said Mayor and burgesses are therein to covenant to deliver yearly 100 cauldrons of coal *ut supra*, pp. 169–70, for the remainder of said Earl's term and for the said 31 years' term under a penalty of 10*l.* per month for default of delivery of said coals. *Appending:* (*a*) particular and memorandum of the premises dated May 30 last mado out by Robert Hewitt, deputy auditor. Tho premises compriso the farm of said old castlo and the scite and herbage thereof whether within or without tho walls thereof and whether in the county of Northumberland or in the county of the said town of Newcastle and all appurtenances, buildings, rights, jurisdictions etc. thereon or thereto bolonging: excepting the castleward rents appertaining to the said castle, amounting in tho whole to 32*l. per an.* and except the great hall called the Moot Hall within tho wall of the said castle where the Justices have hitherto used to hold the assizes, sessions and gaol delivery for the county of Northumberland; and excepting also all tho lower parts and places in said castle now used for a common prison and gaol for the county of Northumberland: all as granted *ut supra ibid* (undor a repairing covenant and at 40*l. per an.* rent) to said Lord Gerard of Brandon in reversion of the grant thereof by James I to Alexander Stephenson. (*b*) Ratal dated June 2	*Ibid*, pp. 132–5.

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1685.	inst. by John Fisher in the absence of the Surveyor General of Crown Lands of said particular. The covenants for repair are to be continued in the new lease.	
June 6.	Royal sign manual for 36*l.* 0*s.* 6*d.* to Septimius Bott and John Waldron as royal bounty, without account: to be issued on the 10,000*l.* privy seal dormant of May 6 last; and to be satisfied out of the moneys they shall pay into the Exchequer for the King's part of fines levied on Dissenters in Coventry when they were sheriffs there. (Money warrant dated June 12 hereon. Money order dated June 13 hereon.)	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 136. *Money Book* VI, p. 72. *Order Book* I, p. 28.
	Same for 200*l.* to Thomas Newton, woodward of the forests of Whittlewood and Salcey, without account: as in lieu of poundage pretended to by him for the timber felled there under the warrants of 1682, May 20, and 1684, May 6, *ut supra*, p. 194. (Money warrant datod June 12 hercon. Monoy order dated June 13 hereon.)	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 136. *Money Book* VI, p. 72. *Order Book* I, p. 28.
	Royal warrant to the Attorney or Solicitor General for a privy seal for a grant to Mary Preston and Anne Preston, daughters of Sir Thomas Preston of the 1,097*l.* 0*s.* 10¼*d.*, being arrears *ut supra*, pp. 173–4.	*King's Warrant Book* X, pp. 136–7.
	Same to Sir Robt. Sawyer, the Attorney General, for a great seal for a pardon to John Curll, of Bradford, co. Wilts, of the felony of speaking seditious words against tho Government, he being indicted at the Sessions at Salisbury 1683–4, Jan. 14, therefor and having pleaded to same but being not yet tried.	*Ibid*, p. 137.
	Same to the Clerk of the Signet for a privy seal for a continuance of the fees and allowancos of the officers in Waltham Forest as follows, viz., 6*d.* a day to the Ranger, 8*d.* a day to the keeper of Walthamstow Walk, 4*d.* a day to the keeper of Leighton Walk, 3*d.* a day to the keeper of Walwood Woods and Hamfrith Woods, 8*d.* a day to the keeper of Woodford Walk, 8*d.* a day to the keeper of Loughton Walk and all arrears thereon from 1684, Lady day, to which time they are paid. The same to be paid through Robert, Earl of Lindsey, Warden of said forest.	*Ibid*, pp. 137–8.
	Report by Treasurer Rochester to the King on the petition of Thomas Fisher of London, gent. *ut supra*, p. 120. On reference from me Richard Grahme and Philip Burton find that Seagood and Lockwood entered into the recognizances *ut ibid.* for the performance of a decree made by the court of aldermen for the sole benefit of petitioner and that the King's name was only used therein in trust for petitioner. He may be grantod leave to prosecute the recognizances in the King's name but at his own charge.	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, p. 78.
	Warrant by same to the King's Remembrancer to give time until the seal day of next term to those several sheriffs who (being obliged by the usual course of the Exchequer to be cast out this next general seal day, and being otherwise ready to finish their accounts and be dismissed the court, failing which readiness they would be liable both to the serjeant-at-arms and to the process of the Exchequer Court) have in their hands moneys arising by forfeitures of	*Ibid*, p. 84.

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1685.	Recusants as to which the King has signified his pleasure that restitution should be made to such persons [Recusants] as have certificates of their constant loyalty and fidelity: all to the end that such writs of restitution as shall in the meantime be directed to them may be allowed them upon their accounts.	
June 6.	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Surveyor General of Crown Lands for a constat or particular of the parcel of ground in the Innermost Scotland Yard and the little parcel in the northwest cornor of the same with a view to a leaso thereof to Francis Gwynne *ut supra*, p. 183. *Prefixing:* report dated June 4 inst. by Sir Christopher Wren on said Gwynne's petition for same. The two plots measure 47 feet 8 inches north, 54 feet 7 inches west, 32 feet 3 inches east and 33 feet 7 inches south, "bounded east with building belonging to the Earl of Newport and another to Mr. Howard in possession of my Lady Pye, on the other three sides with the open yard near the Lord Chamberlain's office." The inconvenience that may arise to the King by providing hereafter for the Usher of the Privy Chamber (which seems to me an objection however Sir Paul Neal the present officer may have been satisfied) is not in this case to bo considered by reason the Lord Chamberlain's warrant for the petitioner's building mentions that it is with his lordship's consent and without any prejudice to the Gentlemen Ushers of the Privy Chamber, there being other provision made for them.	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, pp. 84-5.
	Report by same to the King on the petition of William Morris *ut supra*, p. 151. I am certified that at the assizes in co. Salop 1684, July 21, William Leeke of Wellington was fined 400 marks for scandalous words against the then King and Governmont and is now a prisoner in Shrewsbury gaol and is likely to remain there for life as he cannot pay said fine. The prosecutor [petitioner] managed the suit at his own charge and has received no satisfaction. Some relatives of Leeke may give him a consideration for procuring a discharge. Petitioner is a fit object of favour.	*Ibid*, p. 86.
	Henry Guy to the Clorks of the Treasury. It is the Lord Treasurer's pleasure that all warrants for payment of money to any imprest accomptant not chargeable at the Exchequer do have a clause in them that the said warrant before it be complied with do appear to have been entered with tho Auditors of tho Imprests. This instruction is to be carefully observed for the time to come.	*Ibid.*
	Treasurer Rochester to the Auditor of the Receipt. I am resolved as much as in mo lies to prevent all delays in accompting, which appear to mo highly prejudicial to the King's service. I have therefore required *inter al.* that every annual accomptant do deliver in his accompt and vouchers to tho proper auditor by a certain day. I am sensible this can not be complied with unless those officers who vouch the accompts are also limited to a certain time. You are therefore to take effectual care that all accomptants may have their imprest rolls signed	*Ibid*, p. 87.

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1685.	and ready for them within one month at furthest from the time same shall be desired of you.	
June 6.	Treasurer Rochester to the Clerk of the Pells, for the above ends to examine, sign and return all such imprest rolls as shall be brought to you within 20 days of the time you receive them.	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, p. 87.
	Same to the King's Remembrancer. Several accountants are much behind with their accompts partly for want of process going out against them in due time. To prevent this the Auditors of Imprests are to certify you, as often as there be occasion, the names of the accomptants who do not bring in their accompts in due time and you are thereupon to issue out process and not to stay same save by warrant from me or the Chancellor of the Exchequer.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Remembrancer of First Fruits. The time I allow you for bringing in your accounts as above is from Christ tide to Lady day, at which time the auditors are directed to complete the accounts without taking notice of any acquittance, plea or other discharge not then before them. And as the bishops do half yearly send up to you certificates of all institutions within their several dioceses you are within 14 days of receipt thereof to transmit same to the Auditors of [Imprests as Auditors of] First Fruits who are to enter samo in their offices; and before you make composition with any new incumbent you are to receive from the said auditors [a note of] the value of the living to be compounded for; to the end he may charge the same.	*Ibid*, p. 88.
	Same to the Receiver of First Fruits. The Remembrancer of First Fruits is given time as above for his account wherein your accompt is comprehended. In order thereto you are to deliver in you books of acquittances and tallies to the auditor by Mar. 1 at farthest.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Customs Cashier. The time allowed for bringing in your accounts *ut supra* is from Michaelmas to Candlemas: that account requiring a considerable time to prepare it. (The like notification to tho Accomptant General of the Customs.)	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Warden of the Mint. The time I have allowed you for bringing in your account *ut supra* is three months after the end of every year. (The like notice to the Master Worker of the Mint.)	*Ibid*, p. 89.
	Same to the Paymaster of the Forces. As your accounts are large I allow you four months after the end of every year for bringing in your accounts *ut supra.*	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Treasurer of the Chamber. I allow you three months after the end of every year for bringing in your accounts *ut supra.*	*Ibid*, p. 90.
	Same to the Treasurer of the Navy. You have delivered in no account since your being Treasurer of the Navy. As your accounts are very large I allow you four months after the end of every year for preparing your accounts for the Navy Board	*Ibid.*

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1685.	and two months more to the said Board to examine and sign same and they are to enter tho day of the month when every ledger is brought to thom and also when same was returned back to the accomptant, to the end it may appear where the neglect is if any.	
June 6.	Treasurer Rochester to the Navy Commissioners to the abovo effect.	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, p. 90.
	Same to the Surveyor and other officers of the Board of Works. I allow the Paymaster of the Works three months to prepare his accounts and you one month more to examine and sign same. And you are to enter therein the date when the accounts are brought to the Board and returned again to the accomptants.	*Ibid*, p. 91.
	Same to the officers of the Great Wardrobe. I allow two months for preparing the Wardrobe account, one month more for you to examine and sign it and one month more for the Clerk of the Wardrobe to prepare warrants for the King's signature. You are to enter date of receipt etc. *ut supra.*	*Ibid.*
	Same to the [Master and] Gentlemen of his Majesty's Robes. I allow you three months after the end of each year for bringing in your accompts *ut supra.* (The like letter to Mr. Sidney, late Master of the Robes.)	*Ibid*, pp. 91, 93.
	Same to the Victuallers of the Navy. No accounts for the Victualling have been delivered in to the auditors since 1677, Dec. You are to deliver in your [annual] accounts within six months of the end of every year ; four thereof for you to preparo the accounts and two thereof for the Navy Board to examine and sign same and they are to enter thereon the date when the account is brought to them and returned by them " according to the method of the said Office." (The like letter to Mr. Brett and partners late Victuallers of the Navy. Immediately on the return of tho accounts to you you are to deliver them to the proper auditor.)	*Ibid*, pp. 92, 93.
	Same to the Auditors of Imprests. I approve your paper of rules to prevent delays in accompting. You are to see samo duly observed. Every Lent vacation you are to attend me with a general certificate of the state of all accompts before you. And you aro to certify to the King's Remembrancer as often as there be occasion what accomptants have not complied with the above rules to tho end process may go against them.	*Ibid*, p. 91.
	Nomination and appointment by samo of Edward Ange to be Manager of the revenue arising by forfeitures of Popish Recusants in England, Wales and the counties Palatine of Lancaster, Durham and Chester ; to which offico he was appointed by the late Treasury Lords 1684, July 16, which power is become void by the termination of the commission of the said Treasury Lords. You are hereby to see to the due issue of process for levying said revenue and returns thereof made to the sheriffs and the due payment into tho Receipt of tho moneys levied and to take care to call to account the late Receivers of that revenue and that they pay into the Exchequer the moneys in their hands " which	*Ibid*, p. 92.

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1685.	I am informed are considerable," or else to issue process against them next Trinity term.	
June 6.	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Clerk of the Pipe to deliver to the abovesaid Ange a certificate of what money was taken in charge by the several sheriffs of England at their apposals for the year ended 1684, Sept. 29, against the two-thirds of Recusants' estates and the 20*l.* per month, specifying the persons and place; the better to enable him to see that the moneys levied be duly paid into the Exchequer.	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, p. 92.
	Henry Guy to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue as follows out of the money of the [Post] Letter Office now remaining in the Exchequer, viz.:	*Disposition Book* IV, p 36
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	to Francis Mansell	100
	to William Norrington	40
	Same to Mr. Burton to pay John Packer 127*l.*; 97*l.* thereof for his charges in the late King's suit against the Corporation of Wells and 30*l.* for three journeys therein.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Darcy *et al.* to order Mr. Knight to pay 200*l.* to Mary Bocock, relict of Thomas Bocock, late tailor of the Robes: same being intended to be paid her by the late Treasury Lords.	*Ibid.*
	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners on payment of the composition of 100*l.* to the King and 100*l.* to the officers concerned in the discovery in this case, to confess the pleas put in by Tho. Berry, mariner, *et al.* who became bound to the late King 1682, Sept. 5, in 100*l.* for the landing at Dover of 27 bales containing 132 dozen of calf skins entered at London by John Lane in the ship *Mary*; and likewise the pleas by Peter Cobb, mariner, *et al.* similarly bound 1682–3, Feb. 23, in 300*l.* for the landing at Portsmouth of 32 bales containing 142 dozen of calf skins entered at London port by Bernard Hopkins in the ship *Peter*; and likewise the pleas by John Partridge, mariner, *et al.* similarly bound 1683, Nov. 16, in 400*l.* for the landing at Portsmouth of 39 bales containing 158 dozen of calf skins entered in London port by William Smith in the ship *John* of Rochester: which several bonds are forfeit by the transportation [over sea] of the said skins.	*Out Letters* (*Customs*) X, p. 32.
	Reference by same to same of the petition of Visct. Townshend; shewing that the late King granted him the custom and duty of 4*s.* per chalder on exported coals for 21 years from 1667 at the rent of 1,000*l. per an.* which petitioner farmed out at 2,200*l. per an.* to himself over and above said 1,000*l. per an.* to the King: that by the Lord Treasurer's order of Mar. 18 last on the death of Charles II a stop is put upon petitioner's receipt of said duty: therefore prays compensation for tho remaining 3½ years of his term.	*Reference Book* III, p. 110.
	Henry Guy to Mr. Brett and Mr. Duncomb. You are to forthwith give in your objections to the report on Mr. Sturt's account *ut supra*, p. 193.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 86.

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1685. June 6.	Henry Guy to the Auditor of the Receipt enclosing a book of orders established for the King's Household. This is to be kept in the Exchequer "according to his Majesty's pleasure therein signified."	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 86.
	Same to Lord Dartmouth. The Lord Treasurer has allowed 240*l. per an.* to the Auditors of Imprests upon the accounts of Mr. Bertie, the present Treasurer and Paymaster of the Ordnance, for their great charge in auditing his accounts and in consideration that they undertake to pass the annual accounts of the storekeeper of the Ordnance without further fee or allowance. You are to direct payment thereof for the three years' accounts ending 1684, June 30, which are already declared; and so for the future on subsequent accounts.	*Ibid.*
June 9.	Robert Squibb (in the absence of Henry Guy) to Alderman Duncomb to pay into the Exchequer to-morrow 5,000*l.* of Excise money, which is intended to be issued for the Forces. (Same to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue said sum to Charles Fox for the Forces.)	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 36.
	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to William Blathwayte of the petition of Capt. Fetherstonhalgh, shewing that he served Charles I and II in the rebellion and after the Restoration served in several troops and lastly as Lieut. to Sir Henry Mergan in Jamaica whence he was disbanded on half pay for the last year: that the late King ordered him a pension of 2*s.* a day on the next vacancy: therefore prays payment thereof, being above 60 years old and having nothing to maintain his family.	*Referenee Book* III, p. 112.
June 11.	Same by same to the Surveyor General of Crown Lands of the petition of Sir Robert Townshend for a renewal of the lease of Coventry Park in the manor of Chilesmore and Duchy of Cornwall, granted him fer 31 years by Charles II, he having been at great charges in recovering it to the Crown and in building the mansien house.	*Ibid*, p. 111.
	Henry Guy to William Blathwayt to report on the enclosed accompt [missing] of several sums of money, goods etc. seized lately in Jamaica as goods piratically taken from the Spaniards.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 87. *Out Letters (Plantations Auditor)* I, p. 151.
	Same to Auditor Parsons [Auditor for co. Southampton]. There is paid 22*l.* 16*s.* 3*d.* to John Cary for 2½ years to Lady day last on his fee as riding forester of New Forest. Take care to make no payment to him [for same] out of the revenue of co. Southampton. (The like notice to Simon Smith [Receiver General for said county].)	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 37.
	Same to Mr. Darcy and partners to pay Thomas Haynes's bill of 44*l.* 17*s.* 7*d.* for buying the pulpit cloth and six velvet cushions that were used at the Coronation April 23 last.	*Ibid.*
June 12.	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to tho Customs Commissioners of the petition of Thomas Treglith; shewing that he formerly informed of William Thomlynson, formerly a tidesman at Topsham, for taking bribes together with Peregrine Parlibien (Parliaben) another tidesman there; that Sir Dudley North examined Tomlynson in May last	*Reference Book* III, p. 113.

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1685.	but Tomlynson has not appeared for further examination and Henry, brother to said Peregrine Parlabyen, told John Morgan that either friends or silver should clear his said brother: therefore prays that Tomlynson may be further examined.	
June 12.	Warrant dormant by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners to pay Anthony Segar his yearly fee or salary of 62*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.* as one of the collectors of the great Customs and subsidies in Southampton port.	*Money Book* VI, p. 72.
	Money warrant for 19*l.* 5*s.* 0*d.* to the Churchwardens of St. Botolphs without Aldersgate for $2\frac{3}{4}$ years to Lady day last on their perpetuity of 7*l. per an.*	*Ibid*, p. 73.
	Same for 10*l.* to Dr. George Oxinden for 1684, Christmas quarter, on his fee as Reader of Civil Law in the University of Cambridge.	*Ibid.*
	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners to pay 15*l.* to Mr. Plumb, late Clerk to the Solicitor [to the Customs], for appearing as evidence against Mr. Levy for frauds; Plumb having been over since retained in the [said] Solicitor's service but [now] to be discharged from that office.	*Ibid.*
	Same by same to Philip Frowde, Governor of the Post Office, to make an additional allowance of 20*l. per an.* to Thomas Meeres, postmaster of Harborough, for performing two new stages intended from Harborough to Uppingham and Oakham for the conveniency of those towns and the places adjacent in consideration also that his present stages are very difficult and chargeable: said Frowde having reported that it will increase the revenue of the Post Office to settle a post to Uppingham and Oakham.	*Ibid*, pp. 73-4.
	Same by same to the Receipt. It is of great importance that persons who have or shall lend money at the Receipt should upon their receiving satisfaction deliver back their tallies of loan to be cancelled so as to secure the King and his successor against any further demand thereon. Although such tallies ought to have been delivered in and vacated from time to time and very many directions have been given to that purpose by the late Treasury Lords and by myself in the particular warrants for repayments of loans "yet, as I am informed by the Clerk of the Pells, the said tallies are left sometimes in one place and sometimes in another and sometimes the party never delivers them up to anybody, which may prove of ill consequence." Therefore the Chamberlains of the Exchequer, the Auditor of the Receipt, the Clerk of the Pells and all others concerned are forthwith to cancel all such tallies of loan and the counter tallies or foyles thereof as have been satisfied and delivered in: and for the futuro particular care is to be taken to take in the tallies and counter tallies for such loans and to cancel them and to make endorsement upon the respective entries thereof that the moneys due thereon are satisfied.	*Ibid*, p. 74.
	Royal sign manual for 500*l.* to Henry Guy for secret service, without account: to be issued on the 10,000*l.* dormant privy seal of May 6 last. (Money warrant dated June 15 hereon. Money order dated June 15 hereon.)	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 138. *Money Book* VI, p. 75. *Order Book* I, p. 28.

Date.	Nature and Substance of the Entry.	Reference.
1685. June 12.	Royal warrant to the Attorney or Solicitor General for a great seal for a grant to John Cary, gent., of the office of Ranger *alias* Riding Forester in New Forest, co. Southampton: to wit, the office he held at the death of Charles II: with the fee of 6*d.* a day payable quarterly at the Exchequer in lieu of the like fee which has been payable out of the Crown revenues of co. Southampton.	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 139.
	Henry Guy to the Customs Commissioners to report on the enclosed petition [missing] of Diego Maget which is to be reported on to the Committee for Trade and Plantations. You are also to sell to the King's best advantage the redwood shipped on the *Mary*, Capt. Carter, and on the *Coaster*, Capt. Bramble. I lately sent you a [draft] Act for commutation of the Four and a Half *per cent.* duty. You are to report thereon to the Lord Treasurer.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 87.
	Same to Mr. Blathwayte, enclosing a letter [missing] of Feb. 20 last from Lord Effingham to the late Treasury Lords.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the late Managers of the Hearthmoney. Send the Lord Treasurer your answer to the enclosed petition [missing] of the mayor and aldermen of Northampton which was delivered to the Lord Treasurer by the Members of Parliament for that town.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Attorney General enclosing papers [missing] as follows. You are to prepare the commission for Mr. Frowde for the place of Postmaster. *Appending:* note of said papers, viz.: the Earl of Arlington's deputation to said Froude dated 1677, Oct. 26; the Duke of York's Commission to same dated 1677, Oct. 29; the Attorney General's opinion upon some queries; a note of Mr. Froude's.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Mint Commissioners to report on the enclosed [missing], being a clause of the Act for Coinage.	*Ibid.*
	Signature by Treasurer Rochester of the docquet of a lease to Charles Cludd of a piece of land in St. Giles's, Cripplegate, in a place called Middle Row or Rotten Row for 31 years at 10*l.* *per an.* from the date of recovery (*see supra*, p. 128).	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, p. 35.
June 15.	Reference by same to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of William, Earl of Yarmouth, shewing that his father had a grant from Charles II of some straggling parts of the Customs in which grant three years are unexpired at Michaelmas next but a stop is put to same by the King's or Lord Treasurer's order on some allegations that said farm determines with the late King's life and that the management of it separated from the rest of the Customs is a prejudice to the revenue: is ready to disprove this latter statement and prays consideration of his right.	*Reference Book* III, p. 112.
	Allowance by same of the 1685, Lady day quarter's salary bill, detailed, of the Victualling [Office]. (Total, 925*l.*)	*Money Book* VI, p. 75.
	Henry Guy to Mr. Stephens [Cashier to the Treasurer of the Navy]. The Customs Cashier is ordered to pay 610*l.* into the Exchequer to-morrow [to be	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 37.

Date.	Nature and Substance of the Entry.	Reference.
1685.	issued to the Navy Treasurer] for fitting out to sea the *Mary Rose* and the *Spanish Merchant.* (Same to the Customs Cashier to so pay in said sum.) (Same to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue said sum as above.)	
June 15.	Henry Guy to the Customs Commissioners to report on the enclosed paper [missing] of reasons against reviving the Act which excludes Ireland from the Plantation Trade.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 86.
	Same to Major Brett and partners, late Victuallers of the Navy. You have not yet delivered in your objections to the report on Mr. Sturt's account for victualling Tangier. You are to do it within four days.	*Ibid*, p. 87.
June 16.	Royal warrant to Robert, Bishop of Gloucester, and to his chancellor, commissaries and all others exercising ecclesiastical jurisdiction in that diocese, and to all mayors, sheriffs, justices etc. in co. Gloucester, to supersedo all process against Giles Fettiplace, his wife, children and servants for their Recusancy, his father Sir John Fettiplace, deceased, of Colne St. Alwyn, commonly called Cowne Allens, having been active in the service of Charles I and II.	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 141.
	Same to the Clerk of the Signet for a privy seal for an annuity or pension of 1,200*l.* to Henry, Earl of Peterborough, as Groom of the Stole and First Gentleman of the Bedchamber: to be payable quarterly as from Lady day last.	*Ibid*, p. 142.
	Same to same for a same for an annuity or pension of 600*l.* to Charles, Duke of Somerset, as one of the Gentlemen of the Bedchamber. (The like for same each as same to Henry, Duke of Beaufort; James, Earl of Ossory; James, Earl of Arran; John, Earl of Mulgrave; Henry Edward, Earl of Lichfield; Lewis, Earl of Feversham; John, Lord Churchill.)	*Ibid*, pp. 142–3.
	Same to same for a same for an annuity or pension of 400*l.* to James Griffin, esq., as a Groom of the Bedchamber, payable quarterly as from Lady day last. (The like for same as same to Heneage Finch, Oliver Nicholas, Richard Lewson, David Lloyd, Francis Russell, Henry Slingsby and James Fortrey.) *In the margin:* the privy seal is dated June 3 [*sic ?* for 23], 1685.	*Ibid*, p. 148.
	Two royal sign manuals for 500*l.* each to Henry Guy for secret service, without account: to be issued on the 10,000*l.* privy seal dormant of May 6 last. (Two money warrants dated June 18 hereon. Two money orders dated June 19 hereon.)	*Ibid*, p. 143. *Money Book* VI, p. 77. *Order Book* I, p. 29.
	Royal warrant to Treasurer Rochester renewing the royal warrant of Dec. 17 last for the felling of 100 oaks in Sherwood Forest for repair of the two churches of Langford and Hockerton, said warrant being unexecuted and void by the death of Charles II. (Treasurer Rochester's warrant dated June 16 hereon accordingly to Thomas Corbyn, Surveyor General of Woods Trent North.)	*King's Warrant Book* X, pp. 143–4. *Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, pp. 93–4.
	Henry Guy to Mr. Hewer to pay 10*l.* to Mary Pountney, daughter of William Pountney, for the charges of	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 88.

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1685.	her said father's funeral: same to be as in part of salary due to him.	
[?June 16.]	Treasurer Rochester to the Master and Wardens of the Company of Merchant Tailors in London. Mr. Ralph Williamson, Comptroller of Newcastle on Tyne port, lately came to London for the renewal of his said office and has been summoned by you to take upon him the livery and to be your steward this year. I desire you to excuse him as his office requires constant residence in Newcastle.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 88.
June 16.	Warrant by same to the Customs Commissioners to permit the transport to Ireland, Customs free, of the goods belonging to Lord Tyrconnel's Regiment. *Prefixing:* schedule of said goods.	*Out Letters* (*Customs*) X, p. 33.
	Same by same to same to make an additional allowance of 100*l.*, viz. 50*l. per an* each, to Henry Carpenter and Richard Nagle as Managers of the Four and a Half *per cent.* duty in Nevis and the rest of the Caribbee Islands.	*Ibid.*
	Same by same to same to employ Joseph Herbert as messenger at Ravenglass in Whitehaven port at 5*l. per an.* to give intelligence to the officers of Whitehaven and to Mr. Kirkby of all ships that arrive at Ravenglass with tobacco, wines etc. for the better securing the Customs thereon. 5*l. per an.* to be added to the 10*l. per an.* salary of William Crosfeild, waiter and searcher at Broadfleet, a creek in Lancaster port. 5*l. per an.* to be added to the 35*l. per an.* salary of the surveyor at Stockton. Joseph Bowling (an extraordinary boatman and tidesman at Plymouth) as a boatman *ibid. loco* Rd. Pinson, lately deceased. William Berryman as a tidesman in St. Ives port *loco* Jno. Truman, who has deserted same.	*Ibid*, pp. 33, 34.
	Allowance by same of the 1685, Lady day [quarter's], incidents bill detailed of the Hearthmoney Office. (Total, 639*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.*)	*Money Book* VI, p. 76.
	The like of the 1684, Christmas [half year's], incidents bill, detailed, of the Excise Office. (Total 1,433*l.* 1*s.* 0*d.*)	*Ibid.*
	Henry Guy to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue 200*l.* to Mr. Francis Reynolds out of the money of the Letter Office now remaining in the Exchequer.	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 38.
	Same to Mr. Stephens for an immediate estimate of the pay of the Yards for two quarters, viz. to 1684, June 24, for Deptford and Woolwich Yards and to 1684, Lady day, to Chatham and Sheerness and Portsmouth Yards.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 86.
June 17.	Same to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue as follows out of the moneys of the Customs, Excise and Hearth duty paid into the Exchequer last week and this week, viz.: *l. s. d.* *Out of the Customs.* to the Treasurer of the Navy for fitting out several ships to sea 2,000 0 0 to ditto for the conversion and land	*Disposition Book* IV, pp. 38, 39.

Date.	Nature and Substance of the Entry.				Reference.
1685.		*l.*	*s.*	*d.*	
	carriage of 500 trees out of New Forest to Portsmouth Yard, in part of 770*l.* 15*s.* 0*d.*	270	0	0	
	to ditto [for the Navy's] weekly money	2,000	0	0	
	to ditto towards paying sea officers and bills in course	800	0	0	
	to ditto for the Victuallers	1,200	0	0	
	to ditto for the Yards at Portsmouth in part of 11,643*l.* 5*s.* 0*d.*	10,451	1	7	
	Memorandum. 1,192*l.* 3*s.* 5*d.* to complete this 11,643*l.* 5*s.* 0*d.* was by letter dated this day to Visct. Falkland directed to be supplied out of the 2,000*l.* directed formerly for the *Dartmouth's* men.				
	to the Treasurer of the Ordnance ..	3,000	0	0	
	to the 12 Judges	3,000	0	0	
	to the Masters in Chancery	275	0	0	
	to the Welsh Judges	175	0	0	
	to Sir Rich. May	74	3	4	
	to me [Guy] for secret service in full of 1,000*l.*	500	0	0	
	Out of the Excise.				
	to Mr. Skelton for the Scotch Regiments	4,000	0	0	
	to me [Guy] for secret service ..	500	0	0	
	to Col. Werden for the Queen	500	0	0	
	to the Paymaster of the Forces ..	5,000	0	0	
	to ditto, on account of the recruits ..	3,000	0	0	
	to Visct. Brouncker, for the Household	1,000	0	0	
	to Col. Werden for several things done to the chapel [Royal] ..	1,000	0	0	
	Out of the Hearthmoney.				
	to me [Guy] for secret service by way of advance	1,000	0	0	
		£39,745	4	11	
	(Same dated same to the Customs Cashier, enclosing the paper of the disposition of the Customs money for the present week, said paper containing only the abovesaid 12 Customs items. Total disposition, 23,745*l.* 4*s.* 11*d.*) (Same dated same to the Commissioners of Excise and Hearthmoney similarly enclosing the paper of the disposition of the Excise and Hearthmoney for this week; said bill including the abovesaid eight items [payable out of the Exchequer] together with the following items [payable directly out of the Excise Office and Hearthmoney Office] viz. 1,433*l.* 1*s.* 0*d.* for the 1684, Christmas quarter's incidents bill [of the Excise Office] and 639*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.* for 1685, Lady day quarter's incidents bill of the Hearthmoney Office. Total disposition, 18,072*l.* 11*s.* 0*d.*)				
June 17.	Henry Guy to Visct. Falkland [Treasurer of the Navy] to apply 1,192*l.* 3*s.* 5*d.* (out of the 2,000*l.* directed to you May 26 last for the *Dartmouth's* men) to complete the abovesaid 11,643*l.* 5*s.* 0*d.* for the Yards at Portsmouth: and to reserve the balance of 807*l.* 16*s.* 7*d.* for services to be signified.				*Disposition Book* IV, p. 38.
June 18.	Same to the Auditor of the Receipt to take in from William Harbord the 2,000*l.* which he will lend to the King: and to reserve the money for the Lord Treasurer's disposal.				*Ibid.*

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1685. June 18.	Henry Guy to Mr. Stephens [Cashier to the Navy Treasurer] to send to Portsmouth the 11,643*l.* 5*s.* 0*d.* this week ordered for the Yards there: but the money is not there to be paid out till you receive the Lord Treasurer's further orders.	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 39.
	Same to the Auditor of the Receipt to pay 200*l.* to Mr. Newton out of the money of the Letter Office now in the Exchequer.	*Ibid.*
	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester for tallies of pro on the Tenths as follows for 250*l.* to Robert, Earl of Sunderland, for last Lady day quarter on the annuity or pension of 1,000*l.* granted him 1680, May 28, out of the Tenths of the dioceses of York, Exeter, Winchester, Lincoln and Sarum: and dormant warrant clause for the like quarterly payment in future.	*Money Book* VI, p. 77.
	Money warrant for 3,000*l.* to Robert Werden, esq., in further part of 20,000*l.* to him by the privy seal of Mar. 31 last for the Queen's use and service, without account. (Money order dated June 19 hereon.) (The Money Book incorrectly states the sum as "three hundred thousand pounds.")	*Ibid*, p. 78. *Order Book* I, p. 29.
	Same for 74*l.* 3*s.* 4*d.* to Sir Richard May, kt., Fifth Baron of the Exchequer, being 7*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.* for last Easter term on his fees or allowances of 16*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.* and 13*l.* 6*s.* 8*d*, *per an.* and 66*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.* for a half year to Lady day last on the two fees or allowances of 100 marks each: with dormant warrant clause for what shall grow due thereon in future.	*Money Book* VI, p. 78.
	Same for 2,000*l.* to William Harbord in repayment of so much by him lent into the Exchequer this day: with 6 *per cent.* interest: to be repayable out of the moneys of the Duchy of Cornwall. (Money order dated June 18 hereon.)	*Ibid*, p. 79. *Order Book* I, p. 29.
	Henry Guy to Mr. Burton, enclosing a petition of Abraham Harrison shewing that by Treasurer Rochester's order he has kept in hand 100*l.* of the money of Mrs. Bonnett, lately convicted of clipping, and that he is sued for same by the bailiff of Westminster, the bailiff of Finsbury *et al.* You are to defend petitioner at the King's charge.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 88.
	Same to the Auditor of the Receipt for a statement what imprest certificates are now made forth by you and are not called for by the accountants. For the future you are to certify the Lord Treasurer what accountants shall neglect to take out their imprest certificates at the proper time.	*Ibid.*
	Same to William Blathwaite enclosing (*a*) *infra*. *Appending:* (*a*) letter dated June 17 from John Sanson to said Guy acquainting him that the ship *Mary*, John Carter commander, lately arrived in the Thames, being one of the ships on which part of the redwood condemned at Barbados was laden by Mr. Stede.	*Ibid.*
	Order by Treasurer Rochester for the execution of a money order dated 1680, July 24, for 30*l.* to George Russell for his charges as Receiver of the Poll and the Eighteen Months' tax for co. Bucks.	*Order Book* I, p. 29.

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1685. June 18.	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to the Surveyor General of Crown Lands of the petition of Wilfred Trewman, praying that he and William Baynes may have the office of steward of the court of the manor of Thornton in Easington, co. Yorks, *loco* Edward Crippling, resigned through age.	*Reference Book* III, p. 114.
June 19.	Henry Guy to the Commissioners of Excise and Hearthmoney. Send me this evening your opinion as to the method of collecting and managing the new imposition upon tobacco and sugar now granted to the King.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 89.
	Same to the Customs Commissioners to deliver to Mr. Peirce, the King's waiter, for the Earl of Peterborough some pictures in cases and other things directed to said Earl and now at the Custom. House ; after payment of Custom.	*Ibid.*
	Same to same. You are to take the redwood from on board the *Mary*, John Carter commander, and sell it to the King's best advantage.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Auditor of the Receipt to immediately advance 1,700*l.* to me [Guy] for his Majesty's service : advancing same out of the 2,000*l.* loan by William Harbord. The regular warrants for same shall be despatched with all speed.	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 39.
	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to Charles Fox, Paymaster of the Forces, of the petition of Sir Joseph Tredenham, shewing that in 27 Car. II. he was granted the office of Captain of the Castle of St. Mawes, co. Cornwall, with the fee of 3*s.* a day and held same till 1679–80, Jan. 16, when he was commanded to disband the garrison except two gunners and since said date he has not been paid his said fee : prays payment thereof and that same may be put on the establishment of the army for the future.	*Reference Book* III, p. 114.
	Same by same to the Customs Commissioners of the order of reference from the King in Council dated Whitehall, June 12, made on reading the petition of John Clippingdale, master of the ship *John and Catherine*, praying for said ship to be made free, he having re-fitted her in English form out of a wracked outlandish bottom insomuch that three-fourth parts are English built, "or that a pass may be granted her to go to any of his Majesty's Caribbee Islands with leave to lade back for England, he having unadvisedly contracted to carry about 200 French people to Carolina."	*Ibid.*
	Same by same to the Commissioners of Excise and Hearthmoney of the petition of the Earl of Derby shewing that by reason of the poverty of his tenants in the Isle of Man he is obliged to accept cattle, fish, beer etc. in lieu of rent, which provisions are spent yearly in his house in Lancashire ; that by Treasury order of 1679–80, Mar. 12, he was permitted to import same to Chester and Liverpool free of Customs, but said order is alleged to be void by the late King's death : therefore prays fresh order for same.	*Ibid*, p. 115.
	Same by same to Philip Frowde, of the petition of Sir Thomas Dereham ; shewing that when the Post Office was settled on the present King, then	*Ibid*, pp. 115–6.

Date.	Nature and Substance of the Entry.	Reference.
1685.	Duke of York by 15 Car. II, c. 14, 5,382*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.* was reserved to the King [Charles II] for payment of postmasters, expresses etc. and by the same Act none of the money was to be paid into the Exchequer; that the Duchess of Cleveland and Lady Green obtained grants of all the abovesaid sum excepting 182*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.* belonging to the Court Post or Letter Carrier to the King and [this alienation] obliged the Post Office to seek their extraordinaries from the Exchequer; that several years since Sir Thomas Deerham bought the said place of Court Post which he holds by patent for life and has been constantly paid quarterly by the Receiver General [of the Post Office revenue] Sir Allen Apsley, until the late King's decease; and there is likewise allowed to the said Letter Carrier the fee of 10*s.* a day extraordinary when the King resides out of London, the bill [for said extraordinary] being [first] signed by a Secretary of State "which last used to be included in the extraordinaries of the Post Office and paid by the Cashier [thereof] so soon as [the bill was] received from the Treasury"; but that the present King's accession has made some change in the payments, the Post Office not having any more recourse to the Treasury for their extraordinaries and the Receiver General ceasing to pay as formerly: therefore prays a dormant warrant for his said salary and extraordinary.	
June 19.	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to the Surveyor General of Crown Lands of the petition of John Holman for a fresh life in a small tenement in the manor of Boyton, parcel of the Duchy of Cornwall.	*Reference Book* III, p. 118.
	Same by same to same of the petition of Peter Walley, shewing that the late King granted him a patent for the sole use and benefit of a certain engine lately invented by him by which he has lately conveyed water from the Thames to Sir John Butler's house upon the hill at Richmond; therefore praying leave to supply the said town with water.	*Ibid*, p. 123.
	Same by same to same of the petition of Charles Garrett for leave to sell the stacked wood grubbed in the enclosure in Braywood and to proceed in taking up the other roots and to plough said enclosure and to sow 80 acres thereof with acrons so that same may produce timber; and likewise for stay of the informations against petitioner and Thomas Tuling.	*Ibid*, p. 130.
June 20.	Money warrant for 300*l.* to Thomas Neale, Groom Porter, for half a year to Christmas last on the 600*l.* *per an.* to him in lieu of all his bills for furnishing several sorts of household goods and provisions to the King's royal palaces as by the duty of his office.	*Money Book* VI, p. 79.
	Privy seal for payment to Thomas Cheeke, esq., Lieutenant of the Tower, of the several allowances or expenses of the Tower as follows, being the same as were payable in the time of Charles II, viz. 200*l.* *per an.* for himself; 16*d.* a day for the Gentleman Porter; 14*d.* a day each for the Yeomen Warders together with such quarterly bills for fuel, repairs, diet and charges of prisoners as shall be signed by six members of the Privy Council: all to commence from Lady day past and to be paid quarterly without account or imprest. (Royal warrant dated June 12 for said privy seal.)	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 140.

Date.	Nature and Substance of the Entry.	Reference.
1685. June 20.	Royal warrant to the Attorney or Solicitor General for a great seal to constitute Charles, Lord Cheyne, Visct. Newhaven, Sir Dudley North, Sir Jno. Werden, Sir Nicho. Butler, Sir Jno. Buckworth, William Dickenson and Tho. Chudleigh (the present Commissioners of Customs) to be Commissioners for managing the subsidy of tonnage and poundage for the King's life as granted by an Act newly passed in the present session of Parliament and for the imposition upon all wines and vinegars imported between 1685, June 24, and 1693, June 24, granted by another Act also passed in the said Session; and likewise to be Commissioners for the duty of Four and a Half *per cent.* in Barbados and the Leeward Islands: with 1,200*l. per an.* each from Lady day last: Jno Sanson to be their secretary and Jno. Lloyd to be their Agent or Solicitor and 300*l. per an.* out of said Sanson's salary to be paid to Robert Bertie as in the present Commission of the Customs.	*King's Warrant Book* X, pp. 144–5.
	Same to same for a same to constitute . . . . . as Commissioners for the Excise or impositions upon tobacco and sugars as granted by an Act newly passed in the present session of Parliament; with a salary of . . . . each payable from June 24 inst. with power to appoint officers for the management of said duties by warrant from the Lord Treasurer.	*Ibid*, p. 146.
	Henry Guy to the Attorney General enclosing the abovesaid two warrants. You are to prepare the bills thereon with all despatch as the new duties commence next Wednesday and till these commissions are passed there is no power to receive or levy them. You may leave blanks for the names in the Excise Commission. (Same to same dated June 22. It is absolutely necessary to pass the above Customs Commission under the great seal by Wednesday next and also the bill for the duty on tobacco and sugars.) .	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 90.
	Same to the Customs Commissioners to examine the goods of the Count de Martinick, Envoy Extraordinary from the Emperor of Germany, at his lodgings in Bedford Street, in order to their transportation to Holland.	*Ibid*, p. 89.
	Same to Mr. Fillingham, Mr. Hall, Mr. Lowndes and Mr. Squibb to report on the enclosed proposal [missing] for pardoning the arrears of Tenths of livings which do not exceed 20*l. per an.* in real value.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Surveyor General of Crown Lands. The Corporation of Kingston upon Hull having surrendered their Charter to the late King it was agreed between Lord Dartmouth and said Corporation, and approved of by the then Treasury Lords, that they should be paid 18*l. per an.* out of the Customs of their port in consideration of the Castle and some land heretofore belonging to the Corporation, which was then put into his Majesty's possession *ut supra, Calendar of Treasury Books*, Vol. VII, p. 1493. The Corporation are now renewing their Charter and the said grant of 18*l. per an.* is comprehended therein. You are to report whether said land is of the value of 18*l. per an.* .	*Ibid.*

Date.	Nature and Substance of the Entry.	Reference.
1685. June 20.	Henry Guy to Mr. Darcy *et al.* to direct John Knight to pay 15*l.* to the widow of Jacob Vandebase, late one of the arras workers to the Great Wardrobe: same being formerly intended for her by the late Treasury Lords.	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 39.
	Same to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue to Philip Packer for the use of the King's new buildings in Whitehall the 1,500*l.* which Alderman Duncomb was directed May 21 last to pay out of Excise money to said Packer, but which has since been charged in the Exchequer.	*Ibid*, p. 40.
	Constitution and appointment by Treasurer Rochester of Charles Seagar as a waiter, Bristol port: to wit, the office held by him at the late King's death. Tho. Alcock as a same *ibid*, to wit *ut supra*.	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, pp. 94, 100.
	Fiat by same for royal letters patent to constitute Christopher Barrett to be searcher of Customs in Yarmouth port: to wit *ut supra*.	*Ibid*.
	Warrant by same to the Clerk of the Pipe for a grant under the Exchequer seal to John Gilham of the offices of bailiff and collector of the manor of Wingham, co. Kent: with the fee of 6*l. per an.*: as enjoyed by him under the late King by grant dated 1676–7, Feb. 9.	*Ibid*, p. 95.
	Reference by same to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of Thomas Wolstenholme for renewal of his patent as Customer of Bridgwater port, void by the late King's death.	*Reference Book* III, p. 116.
	Same by same to the Surveyor General of Crown Lands of the royal warrant of 1682, July 14, and the Treasury warrants of 1682, July 21, and Aug. 23, together with the particular of a tenement or messuage, parcel of the manor of Bonialva, co. Cornwall; of which William Kekewich prays a lease.	*Ibid*.
	Same by same to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of Capt. James Wallas for the place of Customer of Berwick port.	*Ibid*, p. 117.
	Same by same to same of the petition of John Clarke for a noontender's place, London port, having been a waterman there 18 years and now aged and not fit for that service.	*Ibid*, p. 118.
	Same by same to William Blathwayte of the petition (referred from the King) of Stephen Hales for relief, he having served in the late rebellion, been in several engagements, wounded and imprisoned and by reason thereof now deprived of his sight.	*Ibid*.
	Same by same to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of Robert Thwait for a tidewaiter's or watchman's place at Lee [Leigh], he having a recommendation from the Duke of Albemarle and an order of reference from the late Treasury Lords.	*Ibid*, p. 123.
	Same by same to the Surveyor General of Crown Lands of the petition of George Browning shewing that he petitioned the late King for a grant to make a weir out of a parcel of lands lying near the river Exe convenient for making a fulling mill; that Charles II condescended thereto and granted his	*Ibid*, p. 129.

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1685.	writ *ad quod damnum* which was returned that the grant would be no damage to the river or any person whatsoever: therefore prays a warrant for such a grant at the rent of 4*s.* *per an.*	
June 20.	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to the Surveyor General of Crown Lands of the order of reference dated May 13 last from the King in Council of the petition of the Master and assistants of the Hospital in the New Work near the borough of Leicester on behalf of the poor people of said Hospital; praying that the usual allowance of 230*l.* 1*s.* 7*d.* and 20 marks as a fee or salary for the Master which was formerly paid out of the fee farm rents of the Duchy of Lancaster, may be continued for the support of said Hospital, "the same (since the sale of the fee farm rents) falling short [by] 24*l.* yearly besides the fee of 20 marks to the Master."	*Reference Book* III, p. 130.
June 21.	Henry Guy to the Customs Commissioners to permit the following clothes, arms etc., to pass, Customs free, from Liverpool to Chester. *Appending:* note dated June 21 by John Lewin for orders for putting on board the *Providence* ketch of Liverpool, bound for Chester, James Crannidge, master, nine boxes of swords, belts, clothes etc. for the four Companies of his Majesty's Royal Regiment now at Chester.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 90.
June 22.	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to same of the petition of the silk weavers shewing that pursuant to their petition to the House of Commons there was a bill brought into the House in their favour; therefore praying that if said bill takes effect a clause may be inserted therein that a seal may be affixed to each piece imported as is set forth in a bill delivered to the House by petitioners, "without which your Majesty will be disappointed of the greatest part of the duty and they disappointed of their relief they might otherwise receive thereby."	*Reference Book* III, p. 116.
	Same by same to same of the petition of Robert Johnson showing that one Stisted brought an information in Hilary term last in the Exchequer against him for selling two yards of foreign bone lace contrary to statute, whereon petitioner was condemned the 3rd inst. but is innocent and Stisted is infamous: therefore prays remission of the King's moiety of the fine of 50*l.*	*Ibid*, p. 117.
	Same by same to same of the petition of Rich. Sheldon for a waiter's or searcher's place at York; petitioner's father having raised and maintained a Troop of Horse for Charles I, was at the battle of Worcester and was sequestered and lost most of his estate of 800*l.* *per an.*	*Ibid*, p. 118.
	Same by same to same of the petition of the farmers of Lord Townshend's grant of 4*s.* per chalder on sea coal; shewing that Sir William Blackett, George Blake, Abraham Barrington and George Robinson farmed said duty of said Lord in 1668 at 2,200*l.* *per an.* over and above the rent of 1,000*l.* payable to the Crown; that the said 3,200*l.* is much more than said Lord could make of it while he had it in his own hands or than it had produced at any time before; that upon security of said sub-farm	*Ibid*, p. 121.

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1685.	said Lord also received of them 1,650*l.* to be repaid in the last half year of their grant which ends at Michaelmas, 1688; that said duty is always subject to many and great frauds and particular application and constant charge are required for prevention thereof with large and expensive correspondence at home and abroad, by means whereof some years passed before said farm was brought to any tolerable method to answer so great a rent and during the late Dutch war the Farmers were *bona fide* 1,805*l.* 2*s.* 8*d.* in disburse (besides what Lord Townshend received less on his annual rent) for keeping up the management in that time of small trade; that petitioners know that to compensate Lord Townshend for the remainder of his term will not be so much for his Majesty's advantage as the continuance of the grant for said remainder: therefore pray consideration hereof.	
June 22.	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to Bartho. Fillingham, Tho. Hall and William Lowndes of the petition of Sir Edward Stradling, bart., Joan Mathew, widow, Lewis Thomas, esq., Edward Turbervill and Mansell Stradling, gent., shewing that said Sir Edward, Thomas and Turbervill were security for said Mansell Stradling and David Mathew, deceased, for said Mansell's true accompting as Receiver of tho late Taxes in South Wales; that he was ruined by the said receipt, having been at far greater charges than was allowed by the Act of Parliament for collecting and suffered great losses in his returns; that there lies in arrear 1,575*l.* 19*s.* 2*d.* on the Eighteen Months' tax and the last Six Months' tax, and deducting 375*l.* on Col. Stradling's account and 65*l.* for arrears set in *super* and for certificates of Poll money there remains 1,135*l.* 19*s.* 2*d.*; that said Mansell made oath before Baron Street that the expense of the said receipt cost him 5*d.* per £ and he has been three years and five months in that service; that Exchequer process has gone out against petitioners' persons, lands and goods: pray relief, having been faithful to the Crown in the late rebellion to the utmost rigour of imprisonment, sequestration and banishment.	*Reference Book* III, p. 122
	Report by same to tho King on the petition of Robt. Julian as by the reference of April 6 last from the King *ut supra*, p. 159. Petitioner has stood three times in the pillory and seems very sorrowful and penitent. The rest of his sentence may be remitted, he being an ancient man and almost blind and very poor.	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, pp. 99-100.
	Warrant by same to Sir Peter Killegrew, Receiver of tho Duchy of Cornwall, to detain in his hands what shall grow duo on his annuity or yearly pension of 300*l.* granted him by the late King out of the revenues of said Duchy. The liko warrant to William Harbord, auditor of said Duchy, to allow said sums in Killegrew's account.	*Money Book* VI, p. 79.
	Same by same to same to similarly detain what shall grow due upon the yearly rent of 12*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.* payable to him for the scite of Pendennis Castle in Cornwall; which rent has been paid for the year ended 1683, Sept. 29.	*Ibid*, p. 80.

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1685. June 22.	Money warrant for 84*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.* to the churchwardens of St. John Baptist in Walbrook for 11 years to Christmas last on the perpetuity of 7*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.* *per an.*	*Money Book* VI, p. 80.
	Henry Guy to the Attorney General. It is the King's pleasure that the Customs Commissioners shall be also the Commissioners for the imposition of Excise on tobacco and sugar. You are to draw one bill for management of all the revenues specified in the two warrants *ut supra*, p. 228.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 91.
	Same to the Navy Commissioners to assign payment of 200*l.* to Capt. Greenville Collins by way of imprest.	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 40.
June 23.	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners to suspend Robert Cowley from his place of one of the five undersearchers, London port, *ut supra*, p. 234, and to employ Anthony Mecke in his place during said suspension.	*Out Letters (Customs)* X, p. 34.
	Same by same to same to permit Scotch corn, meal and herrings to be imported from Scotland into Berwick port, Customs free, provided custom be paid on any same exported from Berwick to England, whether by land or water: all by reason that great application is made for said liberty under pretence of provision for the town and garrison when at the same time there is a great importation of corn coastwise from Berwick to England under pretence that it is English corn of the growth of the neighbouring counties.	*Ibid*, p. 35.
	Henry Guy to the Attorney General. Serjeant Ryley is to attend you with several affidavits relating to the felling of wood in Windsor Forest. Advise the Lord Treasurer as to the proper method for prosecution of the offenders.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 91.
	Same to the Customs Commissioners enclosing a letter [missing] from the Privy Council to the Governor of Scilly on behalf of Mr. Wharton, officer of the Customs there. Send it to the Governor. Also enclosing the petition of the silkweavers with a reference thereon from the Lord Treasurer.	*Ibid.*
[?]	Same to the late Managers of the Hearth duty. The Members of Parliament for the town of Northampton have waited on Treasurer Rochester for the money due on their petition sent to you the 12th inst. You are to send your answer thereto by next Monday.	*Ibid.*
June 23.	Same to the Customs Commissioners to examine the matter as in the papers below. You are to examine Mr. Moore thereon if he be in town. *Appending:* note only of (*a*) Robert Eden's information against Thomas More taken at the Treasury Chambers this day. (*b*) *A letter from Sir Robt. Holmes to [Treasury] Secretary Guy dated Isle of Wight*, 1685, *June* 20 (struck through). (*c*) Another paper inclosed in a letter from Sir Robert Holmes to Mr. Guy concerning this business.	*Ibid.*
	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to same of the petition of Freeman House, Comptroller of Chichester	*Reference Book* III, p. 117.

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1685.	port, for renewal of his patent, void by the death of Charles II.	
June 23.	Report by Treasurer Rochester to the King on the petition of Lord Jefferys, Lord Chief Justice, for a lease of Upp Park in Sussex forfeited by the late Lord Grey for treason. The Surveyor General of Crown Lands reports to me the 10th inst. that the park contains 500 acres valued, with the capital messuage and two other messuages, at 150*l. per an.* clear and there were 260 deer therein in 1682. If divided and improved to the utmost value it might be worth 300*l. per an.* but on Mr. Graham's discoursing with Mr. Grey he finds that it was formerly let in two farms at 70*l.* and 50*l. per an.* and a sheepwalk, being down, estimated at 100*l. per an.* The capital messuage is old and a great deal fallen down these last two years and may cost 1,000*l.* to repair, and the subdividing the farms to bring them to the former improvement may cost 300*l.* The timber is worth 1,000*l.* If the timber be also granted a fine of 1,000*l.* may be reasonable and a reserve rent of 40*s. per an.* But I cannot advise a longer grant than 31 years as it would be an infringement of the rules made and observed for some years last past in the granting of leases.	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, p. 96.
	Warrant by same to the Clerk of the Pipe for a lease to Francis Gwynn of a piece of land in the circuit of Whitehall Palace as follows and *ut supra*, p. 215. The present lease to be for 31 years at 6*s.* 8*d. per an.* rent and to be on surrender of the lease *ut supra*, p. 158, of part of the present premises. *Prefixing and appending :* (*a*) constat and ratal of the said ground by the Surveyor General of Crown Lands. It abuts north on Scotland Yard, south on a yard called the Backyard and westward near a passage leading between the said two yards and east on the lodgings in the tenure of Thomas Howard, esq., or Lady Pye and the edifice in the tenure of Visct. Newport. (*b*) Entry of the signature dated July 4 of the docquet of this demise.	*Ibid*, pp. 97-8, 103.
	Fiat by same for royal letters patent to constitute Benjamin Skinner one of the King's waiters, London port *loco* Laurence Corbett. Mathew Appleyard as customer of Hull : to wit, the office he held at the death of Charles II.	*Ibid*, p. 98.
	Commission by same to William East of the Middle Temple as steward and receiver of the rents of the manor of Great Staughton, co. Huntingdon and the demesne lands thereof which the King lately purchased of Charles Walton, esq., in the name of Sir Peter Apsley and Sir Benj. Bathurst : with the salary of 10*l. per an.*	*Ibid*, p. 99.
	Royal warrant appointing that Brook Tulidah, gent. shall, during pleasure, execute the office of Comptroller of the accompts of Hearthmoney and Stoves, granted by his present Majesty, during pleasure, to Charles Dering.	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 149.
	Two royal sign manuals for respectively 1,700*l.* and 500*l.* to Henry Guy for secret service, without accompt : to be issued on the 10,000*l.* privy seal dormant of May 6 last. (Two money warrants	*Ibid*, p. 147. *Money Book* VI, p. 80. *Order Book* I, p. 30.

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1685.	dated June 23 hereon. Two money orders dated June 25 hereon.)	
June 23.	Royal warrant to Treasurer Rochester to suspend Robert Cowley from the place of one of the under-searchers, London port, to which he has been unduly admitted; the King having ordered a *scire facias* to be brought against his patent.	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 148.
	Henry Guy to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue out of money of the Letter Office now in the Exchequer 540*l.* to Edward Griffin, Treasurer of the Chamber, and 300*l.* to Charles Gifford. (Same dated same to said Griffin to pay said 540*l.* as follows viz. 500*l.* to Thomas Atterbury, one of the messengers, on bills; and 40*l.* to Henry Evans, messenger, on bills. *In the margin:* [this 40*l.*] to be paid to Mr. Guy.)	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 40
	Same to same to issue to Charles Fox, Paymaster of the Forces, the 5,000*l.* of Excise money and 5,000*l.* of Hearthmoney this day paid into the Exchequer.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Sir Robert Vyner. There has been advanced to you at the Exchequer 2,500*l.* You are to take care to get the warrants dispatched for regular issue thereof. (The like notification to Sir Stephen Fox for the items of 725*l.* 7*s.* 0*d.* and 600*l.* respectively advanced to him for the Earl of Lichfield and Earl of Sussex.) (The like notice to Mr. Kent [Cashier of the Customs] concerning the 86*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.* reserved in the Exchequer for Lord Culpeper which Treasurer Rochester is informed belongs to you.) (The like notice to the Mint Commissioners concerning the 2,550*l.* reserved for you in the Exchequer.) (The like notice to Mr. Griffith concerning the 500*l.* advanced to you at the Exchequer.) (The like notice to Roger Hewitt concerning the 750*l.* advanced to you at the Exchequer for the Duke of St. Albans.)	*Ibid.*
	Same to same to issue as follows out of such money of the Customs, Excise and Hearthmoney as is this week directed to be paid into the Exchequer, viz.:	*Ibid*, p. 41.

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Out of the Customs.			
to the Treasurer of the Navy	2,000	0	0
to ditto towards paying off sea officers and bills in course ..	400	0	0
to ditto for the Victuallers	1,800	0	0
to ditto for the yards at Deptford and Woolwich	4,266	10	0
to the Treasurer of the Ordnance ..	2,000	0	0
	£10,466	10	0
Out of the Excise.			
to Charles Fox, Paymaster of the Forces	5,000	0	0
to Visct. Brouncker for the Household	1,000	0	0
to Mr. Graham, for the Privy Purse by [way of] advance	1,000	0	0
	£7,000	0	0
Out of the Hearthmoney.			
to me [Guy] for secret service by [way of] advance	500	0	0

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1685.	*l.* *s.* *d.* [to ditto] more by [way of] advance 140 0 0 to Mr. (Burton *altered to*) Graham for the Privy Purse by [way of] advance .. .. 800 0 0 £1,440 0 0 (Same dated same to the Customs Cashier, enclosing the paper of the disposition of the Customs money for the present week, said paper including only the above five Customs items.) (Same dated same to the Commissioners of Excise and Hearth-money enclosing the like paper of disposition of the money of the Excise and Hearthmoney; said paper including the above 3 Excise and 3 Hearthmoney items, together with 5,000*l.* out of the Excise and 5,000*l.* out of the Hearthmoney directed on Saturday last to be paid to the [Paymaster of the] Forces. Total direction out of the Excise and Hearthmoney, 18,440*l.*)	
June 23	Money warrant for 40*l.* to the University of Oxford for three years to Christmas last on the perpetuity of 13*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.* *per an.* for a Divinity Lecturer there founded by the Lady Margaret, Countess of Richmond and Derby.	*Money Book* VI, p. 80.
	Same for 300*l.* to Charles Gifford for one year to 1684, Lady day, on his annuity or pension.	*Ibid.*
	Same for 1,030*l.* 10*s.* 1*d.* to William Hewer for 6 *per cent.* interest to April 1 last on several sums by him lent for his Majesty's service: as by an account made up to that date by Auditor Aldworth and allowed by the Lord Treasurer the 3rd inst. (Money order dated June 27 hereon.)	*Ibid*, p. 81. *Order Book* 1, p. 30.
	Warrant dormant by Treasurer Rochester to the Receipt for tallies on the Tenths of the diocese of Norwich from time to time for the *liberates* of (Mr. Packer) the Usher of the Receipt; which *liberates* have for divers years last past been paid out of such Tenths.	*Money Book* VI, p. 81.
	Warrant by same to the Customs Commissioners to pay 20*l.* to Aaron Hodges, his Majesty's consul at Rotterdam, for his pains and service in corres-pondencing in relation to the Plantation trade. *In the margin:* cancelled and another warrant signed 1686, Sept. 1.	*Ibid.*
	Money warrant for 40*l.* to Thomas Boucher, Doctor of the Civil Law and Prof. of same in the University of Oxford: being for one year to 1684, Lady day, on his fee.	*Ibid.*
	Same for 40*l.* to John Luffe, Dr. in Physick and Reader of same in said University: for same to same date.	*Ibid*, p. 82.
	Dormant same for the yearly sum of 100*l.* to each of the 11 Masters of Chancery and warrant for the half year ended at Lady day last thereon.	*Ibid.*
June 24	Reference by Treasurer Southampton to Auditor Aldworth of the interest account to June 24 inst. of Richard Kent and Charles Duncombe for money lent for his Majesty's service. *Prefixing:* said account.	*Reference Book* III, pp. 119, 120.

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	l.	*s.*	*d.*
interest on balance of principal due March 25 last, being 227,700*l.* 0*s.* 9*d.*	3,406	2	1
deduct 1 *per cent.* on 50,000*l.* from Mar. 25	124	16	3
	£3,281	5	10

[*Repayments of principal and rebate of interest thereon.*]

	l.	*s.*	*d.*	*interest.*		
1685, April 1, in part of 72,700*l.* on the Customs, repaid by the Custom Cashier	2,000	0	0	27	12	3
1685, April 8, ditto ..	2,000	0	0	25	6	3
May 6, ditto	2,000	0	0	16	2	2
May 13, ditto	2,000	0	0	13	16	1
May 20, ditto	2,000	0	0	11	10	1
May 27, ditto	2,000	0	0	9	4	1
May 13, in part of 72,000*l.* on the Hearthmoney ..	1,252	7	3	8	12	6
May 20, ditto	829	16	6	4	15	3
	£14,082	3	9	£116	18	8

leaving a balance of principal of 213,617*l.* 16*s.* 3*d.* and of interest of 3,164*l.* 7*s.* 2*d.* due on the foot of this account; the said principal being secured as follows, viz., 60,700*l.* on the Customs, 69,917*l.* 16*s.* 3*d.* on the Hearthmoney and 83,000*l.* on the Excise.

June 24. Privy seal dormant for 380*l.* *per an.* to John Erlisman as yearly salary or allowance as Consul at Algiers: to be paid out of the Customs to him or to William Hewer his assignee: to commence from Michaelmas last to which date he is paid: the half year due thereon to Lady day last to be paid presently. (Royal warrant dated June 12 for said privy seal.) — *King's Warrant Book* X, pp. 138–9.

June 25. *Fiat* by Treasurer Rochester for royal letters patent to constitute John Fitzherbert collector of the Customs and subsidies of wool etc. in Bristol port, being the office granted 1668, April 22, to said John Fitzherbert and William his son, the said William being dead. — *Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, p. 101.

Warrant by same to William Hewer to deliver up to Anthony Sturt the note (receipt or obligation) given by said Sturt to said Hewer for 954*l.* 13*s.* 1*d.* advanced to Sturt by Hewer upon account of victualling the late garrison of Tangier and as in full of 1,000*l.* supplied to Hewer by the late Treasury Lords for that purpose. The Auditors of Imprests are to allow said sum in said Hewer's accounts as Treasurer for the affairs of Tangier and are to charge it as an imprest on said Sturt and partners: it appearing that there is due to said Sturt and Jonathan Gauden, contractors for victualling said garrison, a considerable sum on the balance of their account made up to May 4 last by Auditor Done. — *Money Book* VI, pp. 82-3.

Money order for 1,033*l.* 2*s.* 6*d.* to Temperance Packer, relict of Robert Packer, late Usher of the Receipt, for paper, parchment, books, bags, ink etc. delivered by him to the officers of the Receipt and for diet and — *Order Book* I, p. 30.

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1685.	fees for himself for Easter, Trinity, Michaelmas and Hilary terms 1680–1, Feb. 12, to 1681–2, Feb. 12. To be paid by tally on the Tenths of the dioceese of Norwich.	
June 25.	Henry Guy to the Customs Commissioners. In reply to Mr. Lloyd's query the charge of passing the [new] Commission [of the Customs] is to be charged to the incidents accounts of the Customs.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 92.
	Same to the Surveyor General [of Crown Lands] to attend the Attorney General in order to the prosecution of Mrs. Garrett *et al.* who have committed waste in Braywood in Windsor Forest. (Same to the Attorney General to prosecute same with all the severity imaginable.)	*Ibid.*
	Same to Viset. Falkland [Treasurer of the Navy]. The 500*l.* lately paid you for Mr. Luke Noone is to be equally divided between Richard Gibson and Mr. Hall, two of said Noon's creditors.	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 41.
	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to the Warden and Commissioners of the Mint of the petition of Angelica Magdalena Wharton, shewing that her late husband Philip Wharton, Warden of the Mint, found the house belonging to him by right of his office much out of repair and that repairs to such houses in the Mint were constantly done by direction of the Warden and allowed yearly in his accounts; in accordance wherewith he had his own house repaired and the workmen's bill to near 200*l.* remain yet unpaid: therefore prays direction herein.	*Reference Book* III, p. 119.
	Henry Guy to Viset. Falkland. You may now cause the money, lately sent to Portsmouth, to be issued to the Yard there.	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 42.
June 26.	Same to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue 1,500*l.* to Viset. Falkland, Treasurer of the Navy, out of the money of the Navy, out of the money of the Letter Office in the Exchequer; whereof 1,000*l.* is for John Rogers, house carpenter, on his contract for building a new single dry dock at Chatham and 500*l.* for the other dry dock now in building at Chatham. (Same dated same to Mr. Stephens, [cashier to said Navy Treasurer] apprising him hereof.)	*Ibid.*
	Same to same to get one of the Tellers to advance me [Guy] 400*l.* out of the money of the Letter Office. The regular warrants for the issue hereof shall be despatched with all speed.	*Ibid.*
	Same to same to get one of the Tellers to advance, out of the said Letter Office money, 200*l.* to Signor Verrio on account of the works at Windsor, "also to the Treasurer of the Chamber that you issue out of the said money 80*l.*"	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Griffin to pay as follows the [above] 80*l.* ordered to be issued to you; viz. 40*l.* to Mr. Beake, one of the messengers on bills, 40*l.* to Henry Legat, a same on same.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Auditor of the Receipt. There is present occasion to forthwith advance to Col. Werden the	*Ibid*, p. 43.

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1685.	4,500*l.* remainder of 6,000*l.* of Excise money directed to be paid him. Get one of the Tellers to advance it. The regular warrants shall be sent you forthwith.	
June 27.	Henry Guy to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue out of the Excise money in the Exchequer 6,000*l.* to Col. Werden for the Queen's use.	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 42.
	Same to same to get one of the Tellers to advance me [Guy] 900*l.* out of the money in the Letter Office for his Majesty's service "that requires the said money to be immediately supplied." The regular warrants for the issue hereof shall be sent with all speed.	*Ibid.*
June 29.	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to Charles Fox, Paymaster of the Forces, or to Charles Toll, his deputy, to pay 1,000*l.*, as imprest, to John Shales, Commissary General of the provisions for the army, or to one of his under Commissaries.	*Money Book* VI, p. 83.
	Same by same to Charles Duncombe, Receiver General of Excise and Hearthmoney, to pay 500*l.* to abovesaid Shales out of Excise money and to give him bills or letters of general credit not exceeding 1,000*l.* upon the receiver or collectors of Excise and Hearthmoney in cos. Wilts, Dorset, Somerset and Gloucester.	*Ibid.*
	Same by same to Richard Kent, the Customs Cashier, to give said Shales bills or letters of credit for 1,000*l.* on the collectors of the Customs at Bristol or any other port contiguous to his Majesty's army or Forces.	*Ibid*, p. 83. *Out Letters* (*Customs*) IX, p. 35.
	Money warrant for 200*l.* to [said] John Shales for one year to 1683, Sept. 29, on his fee or salary as an Auditor of the [Crown] revenue.	*Money Book* VI, p. 83.
	Same for 200*l.* to John, Bishop of Chester, for one year to 1684, Sept. 29, on the allowance for the King's four preachers in Lancashire: as by the privy seal of May 27 last. (Money order dated July 1 hereon.)	*Ibid*, p. 84. *Order Book* I, p. 34.
	Same for 4,500*l.* to Robert Werden in further part of 20,000*l.* for the Queen: as by the privy seal of Mar. 31 last.	*Money Book* VI, p. 84.
	Same for 20*l.* to Gilbert Jones for one year to Lady day last for his service as his Majesty's woodward and keeper of the woods in Chappell Henault Walks in Waltham Forest, co. Essex. (Money order dated June 30 hereon.)	*Ibid*, p. 84. *Order Book* I, p. 32.
	Same for 56*l.* 5*s.* 5*d.* to Robert, Earl of Lindsey, Lord Warden of Waltham Forest, viz. 9*l.* 2*s.* 6*d.* to the ranger; 12*l.* 3*s.* 4*d.* to the keeper of Walthamstow Walk; 6*l.* 1*s.* 8*d.* to the keeper of Leighton Walk; 4*l.* 11*s.* 3*d.* to the keeper of Walwood and Homefrith Woods; 12*l.* 3*s.* 4*d.* to the keeper of Woodford Walk; 12*l.* 3*s.* 4*d.* to the keeper of Loughton Walk; for one year each to Lady day last on their fees *ut supra*, p. 214. (Money order dated June 30 hereon.)	*Money Book* VI, p. 85. *Order Book* I, p. 32.
	Same for 57*l.* 13*s.* 0*d.* to the executors of John Sayer, deceased, in full of his salary to his death as Master Cook to the late King.	*Money Book* VI, p. 85.

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1685. June 29.	Money warrant for 100*l.* to William, Earl of Derby, Tho. Cholmondly and William Bankes for one year to Lady day last on the annuity for the poor ministers of the Isle of Man.	*Money Book* VI, p. 86.
	Henry Guy to Richard Coling. It is the King's pleasure that you deliver to the Duke of Norfolk 30 ounces of gold in satisfaction of the fees claimed by him as Chief Butler to his Majesty on the Coronation day. You are to acquaint the Lord Chamberlain therewith.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 92.
	Same to the Commissioners of Victualling to furnish Mr. Shales, Commissary General of the provisions for the army, with 200 or 300 bags of bisket to be sent down by waggons for the use of the Forces.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue, out of the money of the Letter Office, 200*l.* to Mr. Shales for one year of his fee of 200*l. per an.*: and 100*l.* to the Earl of Derby *et al.* for the poor ministers of the Isle of Man.	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 43.
	Royal warrant to the Attorney General to forbear entering the judgment on the verdict in an information lately exhibited in the Exchequer against John Farren, one of the clerks to the Receiver General of Customs, for taking some small fees for paying several debentures for half subsidy and additional duty to one John Cary, merchant; upon which case a verdict was given for the Crown against the defendant, "but the entering of the judgment thereupon was stopped because the matter touching the demand of the said fees for the future would be settled by the said verdict." Further a *noli prosequi* is hereby to be entered to prevent any further prosecution of said Farren.	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 150. *Warrants Early* XXXIII, p. 13*a*.
	Same to the Attorney or Solicitor General for a great seal for a grant to George Dunstan, esq. of an annuity or pension of 1,000*l.*: to be payable quarterly from Christmas last but the two quarters due at June 24 last to be paid forthwith.	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 150.
	Same to the Clerk of the Signet for a privy seal for a grant to Sir William Darcy of 400*l. per an.* for $1\frac{3}{4}$ years, being the remainder of the term of $7\frac{1}{2}$ years of such annuity granted him by the late King by patent dated 1679, Aug. 30, out of the Customs on alum imported or exported, on which annuity the last payment was in full of 1684, Michaelmas quarter; on which patent it is supposed no further payments can be made because the grant of the said Customs to the late King was for life only.	*Ibid*, pp. 153–5. *Warrants Early* XXXIII, pp. 13*a*–*b*.
	Order by Treasurer Rochester for the execution of [the remainder of] a money order dated 1684, Nov. 10, for 50*l.* each to the eleven Masters in Chancery for 1684, Michaelmas half year. *Appending:* recordatur of the payment dated 1684, Dec. 5, of 275*l.* thereupon by Teller Vernon.	*Order Book* I, p. 31.
June 30.	Henry Guy to the Commissioners of Excise and Hearthmoney. Daniel Clay, a collector of Hearthmoney in co. Derby, has distrained for private ovens which have in all the late King's time been free, and has collected money of poor people not liable to pay, and has said that he valued not the authority of the	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 92.

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1685.	Justices of the Peace there, whereby great clamour and discontent has arisen. You are to write by this post into the country to have the matter examined so that the gentlemen of the country may be satisfied that a speedy enquiry is made.	
June 30.	Henry Guy to Mr. Fox for an account of what money has been issued to you for the New Raised Forces over and above the old and new establishment [of the Forces].	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 93.
	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to the Attorney General of the petition of Antho. Meeke to be continued in Mr. Cowley's office pending the proceedings brought by petitioner to avoid said Cowley's patent.	*Reference Book* III, p. 122.
	Dormant privy seal for 10,000*l.* to be issued in such proportions, to such persons and for such uses from time to time as tho King shall appoint by warrant under the royal sign manual. (Royal warrant dated June 23 for said privy seal.)	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 147.
	Royal warrant to the Attorney or Solicitor General for a great seal to constitute Charles, Lord Cheyne, *et al. ut supra*, p. 228, to be Commissioners for Customs and Subsidies as revived by an Act lately passed in the present session of Parliament and also of the imposition upon wines and vinegar lately granted in the said session and also the impositions upon tobaccoes and sugars granted in the said session; and also of the imposition upon linens, wrought silks, stuffs, brandies and other things charged by Act of Parliament newly passed; and also of all the duties of Four and a Half *per cent.* in Barbados and the Leeward Isles: with powers, salaries, secretary, agent etc. all *ut supra ibid.*: the present constitution being by reason that an Act newly passed has granted the King an imposition on all French linens, and all East India linen and several other manufactures of India and on all French wrought silks and all other wrought silks and all brandies imported.	*Ibid*, pp. 150–2.
	Five royal sign manuals for respectively 500*l.*, 200*l.*, 900*l.*, 540*l.* and 500*l.* to Henry Guy for secret service, without account: to be issued on the 10,000*l.* dormant privy seal of June 30 inst. (Five money warrants dated June 30 hereon. Five money orders dated July 1 hereon.)	*Ibid*, p. 155. *Money Book* VI, p. 86. *Order Book* I, p. 31.
	Henry Guy to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue as follows out of such moneys of the Customs, Excise, Hearthmoney and Letter Office as is directed to be this week paid into the Exchequer, viz.: *l. s. d.* *Out of the Customs.* to the Treasurer of the Navy for the Yards at Chatham and Sheerness 7,667 5 0 to ditto towards paying off sea officers and bills in course .. 400 0 0 to ditto for the Victuallers .. .. 1,200 0 0 to ditto for the fitting to sea the *Rupert*, *Crown*, *Montagu* and *Henrietta* according to the Navy Commissioners' estimates .. .. 1,700 0 0 to the Treasurer of the Ordnance [on tho Ordnance Office's] weekly money 1,500 0 0	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 43.

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1685.		
		l. *s.* *d.*
	to me [Guy] for secret service by [way of] advance 500 0 0	
	£12,967 5 0	
	Out of the Excise.	
	to Charles Fox, Paymaster of the Forces 6,000 0 0	
	to Visct. Brouneker for the Household 1,000 0 0	
	to Mr. Graham for the Privy Purse by [way of] advance 1,000 0 0	
	to me [Guy] for secret serviee by [way of] advance 100 0 0	
	£8,100 0 0	
	Out of the Hearthmoney.	
	to Col. Werden for the Queen .. 2,453 6 3	
	Out of the Letter Office.	
	to Col. Werden for the Queen.. .. 1,346 13 9	
	(total direction) £24,867 5 0	
	(Same dated same to the Customs Cashier enclosing the paper of the disposition of the Customs money for the present week, said paper including only the above six Customs items.) (Same dated same to the Commissioners of Excise and Hearthmoney enclosing the like paper, which includes only the above five Excise and Hearthmoney items.)	
June 30.	Henry Guy to the Auditor of the Reeeipt to issue or advance 700*l.* to me [Guy] for seeret service: out of the money of the Letter Office.	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 44.
	Same to same to issue as follows the 76*l.* 5*s.* 5*d.* now remaining in the Exchequer of the 354*l.* 15*s.* 0*d.* of Customs money directed May 5 last, p. 167 *supra*, to be reserved and intended for the keepers of Waltham Forest *et al.*: viz. 56*l.* 5*s.* 5*d.* to the Earl of Lindsey for several keepers of said Forest; 20*l.* to Gilbert Jones, another keeper there.	*Ibid.*
July 1.	Same to Mr. Stephens [Cashier to the Treasurer of the Navy] to pay the 113*l.* 15*s.* 0*d.* estimate for transporting 350 soldiers of the Scotch Regiment from Yarmouth to the Thames: same is to be paid "out of the 9,964*l.* 17*s.* 2*d.* remaining the 30th of last month to balance your account of eash."	*Ibid.*
	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to Thomas Agar, Surveyor General of Woods Trent South to fell 20 loads of timber in New Forest and 60*l.* worth of offal for the repair of all the hunting bridges in said forest and for the erection of eight new bridges as advised by John Cary, Ranger and Riding Forester of said forest. The timber is not to be Navy timber.	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, pp. 101–2.
	Report by same to the King on the petition of Sir Joseph Tredenham *ut supra*, p. 226. I am certified by Charles Fox, Paymaster of the Forces, that the faets are as stated. The allowance of 3*s.* a day has been unpaid from 1679–80, Jan. 16, to 1684–5, Jan. 16, which comes to 274*l.* 1*s.* 0*d.*	*Ibid*, p. 102.
	Referenee by same to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of Daniel Pryor for a tidewaiter's	*Reference Book* III, p 123.

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1685.	place, being destitute of employment by reason of the decay of trading.	
July 1.	Henry Guy to the Attorney General. In drawing the Customs Commission you are to leave out the duties on brandies, home made spirits and strong waters which are to be managed by the Excise Commissioners.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 90.
	Same to Mr. Bulstrode to have patience with Sir Edward Wood and not put him out of his lodgings in Whitehall which he rents of you, as the King owes him a considerable sum for his services in Sweden, which the Lord Treasurer intends to pay him as soon as he can.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Darcy *et al.* to provide the following for Treasurer Rochester, lately elected a Knight of the Garter. *Appending :* royal warrant, dated July 1, to the Lord Treasurer countersigned by Seth, Bishop of Salisbury, Chancellor of the Garter, for the provision of a large mantle of blue velvet, containing 18 yards, 10 yards of white taffaty to line same, an escutcheon of St. George's Cross embroidered and encompassed with a Garter placed on the left shoulder with large string buttons and tassels of silk and gold, a surcoat of crimson velvet, a hood of the same lined with white taffaty.	*Ibid.*
	Money warrant for 6,500*l.* to Robert Werden in full of 20,000*l.* for the Queen as by the privy seal of Mar. 31 last. (Money order dated June [*sic* for July] 2 for 11,000*l.* hereon, being the present 6,500*l.* and the 4,500*l. ut supra*, p. 238.)	*Money Book* VI, p. 87. *Order Book* I, p. 32.
	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Receipt for tallies on the Receiver of First Fruits for 500*l.* to Aubery, Earl of Oxford, for 1685, June 24 quarter, on his pension.	*Money Book* VI, p. 87.
	Money warrant for 126,500*l.* to Charles Fox, Paymaster of the Forces, as imprest for the Forces for half a year to Jan. 1 next. (Money order dated June [*sic* for July] 6 hereon.)	*Ibid*, p. 87. *Order Book* I, p. 32.
	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners to employ John Clarke as a noontender, London port *loco* Thomas Lampkin, lately deceased.	*Out Letters (Customs)* X, p. 35.
July 2.	Henry Guy to the Customs Commissioners to deliver to Mr. Unitt for the Countess of Burlington a case shipped at Leghorn June 30 last in the *Friendship*, John Coming master, directed to George Torriano.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 94.
	Same to the Attorney General. Advise Treasurer Rochester whether the King can by law, upon examination of the Accounts of the Commissioners for Disbanding the Army, discharge those Commissioners during the sitting of the Parliament.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Customs Commissioners. Mr. Gervas Scroope is an officer of the Customs and likewise now a commission officer in the Army. Can he in consequence properly perform his duty in the Custom House ?	*Ibid.*

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1685. July 2.	Henry Guy to the Master of the Jewel House. Sir Thomas Vyner certifies the Lord Treasurer this day that most of his Majesty's plate, particularly the Earl of Middleton's parcels, are markod with the letter J, the letter C being taken out. Give the Lord Treasurer a particular account of the parcels that are so altered. Also deliver to said Earl of Middleton his said plate.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 94.
	Same to Sir Edward Wood enclosing Mr. Bulstrode's letter [missing] relating to the said Wood's lodgings. Send Treasurer Rochester your answer thereto.	*Ibid.*
	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to Thomas Agar, Surveyor General of Woods Trent South, to sell to the King's best advantage divers quantities of timber trees and underwood which have been lately and since 1684, June 24, unlawfully cut in Braywood in Windsor Forest as appears by the evidence of Robert Mew, carpenter, *et al.*: and also to demand the moneys due for any such timber.	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, pp. 102–3.
	Henry Guy to the Auditor of the Receipt for an account what moneys are paid into the Exchequer by way of loan upon the credit given by the late Act of Parliament.	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 44.
	Same to William Hewer to pay 5*l.* to Job Atkins, late Master Gunner at Tangier, for last June 24 quarter on his pension of 20*l. per an.*	*Ibid*, p. 45.
	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Cashier to pay Mr. Hewer 285*l.* for three-quarters to June 24 last on the 380*l. per an.* salary of John Erlisman, Consul at Algier: and dormant clause for quarterly payments on said salary in future.	*Money Book* VI, p. 87.
	Money warrant for 9,087*l.* 5*s.* 10*d.* to Sir Robert Vyner for divers jewels and large quantities of gold and silver works and other things delivered by him into the Jewel House as follows, viz.: 1,439*l.* 16*s.* 5*d.* for making two Imperial Crowns for the Queen, the one for the Coronation and the other for her Crown of State; two sceptres and a coronet with the jeweller's work of Crown gold; repairing and new making divers parts of the King's Crown of State, his Coronation Crown, his two sceptres, Globe, Eagle, St. Edward's Staff and the royal spurs, all of gold; 362*l.* 15*s.* 0*d.* for 79 ounces 4 dwt. 9 grains of Crown gold in the Regalia and other curious works for his Majesty's store, for gold and workmanship; 1,348*l.* 11*s.* 0*d.* for 2,924 oz. 1 dwt. 12 gr. of gold and white plate curiously wrought for his Majesty's stores; 566*l.* 16*s.* 5*d.* for 101 oz. 1 dwt. of Crown gold given to divers noble persons and others as fees at the Coronation for gold and workmanship; 1,007*l.* 12*s.* 1*d.* for 1921 oz. 1 dwt. of gold and white plate, most of it curiously wrought and enchased also given to some as fees at the Coronation and in other ways; 2,710*l.* for 44 diamonds added to the King's Crown of State, one large pendant pearl lost from the King's Coronation Crown, adorning and furnishing the said Coronation Crown, the Queen's Coronation Crown, her Crown of State, her sceptre and her coronet with 2,026 diamonds, many very large, 36 rubies, 31 sapphires, 22 emeralds, 697 pearls, divers of them very large, all of great value;	*Ibid*, p. 88. *Order Book* I, p. 33.

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1685.	1,465*l.* 9*s.* 11*d.* for new making, gilding, repairing, boiling, garnishing and engraving divers great quantities of his Majesty's store plate and others and for loans of divers great quantities of gilt and white plate used at the Coronation feast; 146*l.* 5*s.* 0*d.* for money disbursed by Vyner to the coffer maker, case maker, purser, sword cutler, knife cutler, mercer and other artificers; 40*l.* for disbursements to Walter Brydall, John Gilbert, Philip Brydall and Thomas Vyner, officers in the said Jewel House for papor, vellum, coals and other necessaries from 1683, April 11, to 1685, April 12: all the said particulars being certified June 20 last by Sir Gilbert Talbot, Master of the King's Jewels and Plate, to have been delivered into the Jewel House etc. (Money order dated July 4 hereon.)	
July 2.	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of William Claver shewing that in order to qualify for his office of a landwaiter in Weymouth port he was obliged by Treasurer Rochester to quit his office of town clerk in said port and was dismissed from his said Customs place on Sir Richard Temple's report without a hearing: prays to be restored.	*Reference Book* III, p. 123.
	Same by same to same of the petition of Nathaniel Tyderleigh to be put into the place of Mr. Tye, Surveyor of Lyme Regis port, until said Tye return thither being taken prisoner by the rebels.	*Ibid*, p. 124.
	Same by same to same of the petition of Joseph Ash for restoration to the place of weighing porter from which he was some time since dismissed.	*Ibid.*
	Same by same to Major Legg of the petition of the gardeners etc. in St. James's Park who made the gravel walks, praying payment of 70*l.* or 80*l.* [they] being a considerable sum behind.	*Ibid.*
	Same by same to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of the watchmen, London port, shewing that they were established at 25*l.* *per an.* which being changed to 6*l.* 15*s.* 0*d.* *per an.* and 2*s.* a day when employed they are thereby reduced to poverty for want of constant watches every other night: therefore praying to be again established at their former allowance.	*Ibid.*
	Same by same to same of the petition of James Lyell for a place as [a Customs] comptroller [of the duties] in the new imposition; having previously had a reference for a surveyor's place.	*Ibid.*
	Same by same to same of the petition of William Geddes, master of the ship *Alexander* which was seized as unfree in 1683; petitioner praying a grant of the King's share of said seizure, Penn the Quaker having promised his share, whereby petitioner may have his said ship restored, which is all his livelihood.	*Ibid*, p. 125.
	Same by same to Charles Fox, Paymaster of the Forces, of the petition of Sir Thomas Daniell shewing that he had a patent to be Captain of Arcliffe Fort in Dover with four gunners and two soldiers, the Captain at 16*d.* a day, the soldiers at 8*d.* a day each; that there are six other gunners paid on the [Army]	*Ibid.*

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1685.	establishment paid by the Paymaster of the Forces; prays to be put on the [said] establishment with his said [four] gunners and [two] soldiers and that they be paid equal with the rest of the gunners	
July 2.	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of William Hurt shewing that he has been collector at Exeter 5½ years to June 24 last at 140*l.* *per an.* which is 20*l.* less than Mr. Walker, his predecessor had; that notwithstanding all his care in returning [to London by exchanges] the money of his collection he has lost 350*l.* and that it cost him 50*l.* to remove from Dartmouth to Exeter: prays allowance of these items.	*Reference Book* III, p. 125.
	Same by same to same of the petition of Alexander Davis for a noontender's place, London, having served the late King as Captain of a Company of Trained Bands at Harwich and Leigh during the Dutch war and being now aged and fallen to decay.	*Ibid*, p. 126.
	Same by same to the Warden and Commissioners of the Mint of the petition of Richard Knight, one of the Yeomen of the Guard, praying for an allowance for the loss of his horses and other charges to the amount of 70*l.* to be paid out of the 100*l.* of clipped money which Capt. Perry has returned to the Warden of the Mint, raised upon the clippings of Eleanor Berrisford and Richard Cabourn, who owed petitioner for some money for hire of horses.	*Ibid.*
	Same by same to William Harbord, Surveyor General of Crown Lands, of the petition of Eliz. Washington for a reversionary lease of some marsh and waste lands in cos. Notts and Derby granted 1673, May 24, to petitioner and her three sisters Penelope, Katherine and Mary, daughters to Col. Washington; petitioner being lately married to Stephen Gellot and the said sisters having (by agreement and in order to petitioner's better advancement in the world) released to her their pretence of tenant right to the said patent in reversion.	*Ibid.*
	Same by same to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of Sir Tho. Wolstenholme, bart., shewing that by the great sufferings of his family for their loyalty and the non-payment of several great sums due to him from the Crown he is uncapable of providing for his children, therefore prays for his son Henry to be one of the new officers which will be required by the new imposition upon tobacco and sugars, his said son having been found fit upon a previous reference.	*Ibid*, p. 127.
	Same by same to the Commissioners of Excise and Hearthmoney of the petition of Tho. Hooke for a place in the Excise and Hearth Money Office, he having been a clerk in the Navy and discontinued on the surrender of Mr. Seymour.	*Ibid.*
	Same by same to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of Henry Gosnold for one of the two noontenders' places void by the death of Hamlett and Lamkin; petitioner being certified by the gentry of Suffolk.	*Ibid*, p. 128.

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1685. July 2.	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of Eliz. Yates, wife of Thomas Dyson, for a noontender's place for her said husband "in consideration of her father's services and sufferings by tho late usurper for guiding his late Majesty from Worcester Battle to White Ladies."	*Reference Book* III, p. 128.
	Same by same to the Attorney General of the petition of John Rix, infant son of John Rix, lately executed for murthering his wife, for a grant of his said father's forfeited estate, being 131*l.* 5*s.* 0*d.* in goods and 5*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.* in freehold and copyhold lands.	*Ibid*, p. 130.
	Same by same to the Master etc. of the Jewel House of the petition of Serjt. Middleton concerning the want of his mace and the imputation that he had embezzled or lost it; finds that some time after it had been missing he found it had been lent out to other serjeants and particularly to Serjt. Thorne, whose mace the officers of the Jewel House would have it to be, but petitioner knew it to be his mace and told them the weight of it and on being knocked off the staff and tried it exactly answered the said weight, but he told them nevertheless they shall let Mr. Thorne have it to use and therefore hopes it may be laid at Thorne's door and not at petitioner's; that he is reduced to utmost extremity by the Lord Treasurer's suspension of him for want of his mace and being much impoverished by other great losses has almost crazed his understanding.	*Ibid*, pp. 133–4.
	Same by same to Thomas Hall of the petition of Elias Alleyn for a renewal of the Commission of enquiry after some lands which he has discovered, some thereof belonging to the late monastery of Bermondsey and other part lying in several counties.	*Ibid*, p. 134.
	Same by same to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of Robert Markham for a tidesman's place in ordinary, London port, he having served at sea in the late Dutch wars and afterwards in the West Indies and since then as a tidesman extraordinary.	*Ibid*, p. 138.
	Same by same to same of the petition of the salt traders in the counties of Durham and Northumberland shewing that in 13 and 14 Car. I. the parliament, considering the great discouragements petitioners havo always met with in point of trade, more especially the importation of Scotch salt, well knowing that both coals and workmen are to be had at much cheaper rates there than here, did (to encourage the native, ancient and useful manufacture of salt) lay ½*d.* per gallon upon all Scotch salt imported to England, designing thereby to balance the trades of both nations. But so it is that the said duty for the abovesaid reasons, does not balance the said trade; and further, being let to farm to Sir Thomas Strickland and by him to sub-farmers who are traders in salt in London they do import vast quantities of Scotch salt to the ruin of petitioners. Therefore pray that said Farmers and sub-farmers should be called upon to show why said duty should not be duly collected according to the true intent of said Act of Parliament.	*Ibid*, pp. 138–9.
	Same by same to William Blathwayte of the petition of Thomas Holford, Portcullis Pursuivant, shewing	*Ibid*, p. 144.

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1685.	that by command of the late King he was to provide colours for two Regiments of Foot Guards with the usual badges but Charles II dying soon after, King James ordered the badges to be omitted and his own royal eypher [to be substituted] instead thereof by which alteration petitioner has been at much loss: therefore prays an allowance of 40*s.* for every Colour which will amount to 72*l.*	
July 2.	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to Rich. Graham, Philip Burton and William Shaw of the petition of John Savile shewing that he paid Mr. Jackson and Mr. Butler 4,000*l.* on a mortgage of part of Lord Grey's estate to them formerly assured for the like sum, not in the least expecting a seizure of the said estate; prays to be continued in possession of the 600*l. per an.* part of the premises which he entered upon.	*Reference Book* III, p. 152.
	Same by same to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of John Bassindine for a tidewaiter's place [London port] he having served the late King both by sea and land.	*Ibid.*
July 3.	Henry Guy to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue as follows out of the revenue of the Duchy of Cornwall and out of the money of the Letter Office, viz.	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 44.

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
to the Treasurer of the Chamber ..	212	8	0
to Eliz. widow of Thomas Loupe ..	40	0	0
to the Dean and Chapter of Westminster for the Freneh ministers at the Savoy	60	0	0
to the University of Oxford for Dr. Hall, the Divinity Lecturer there	40	0	0
to the Treasurer of the Chamber ..	160	0	0
	£512	8	0

	Same to Mr. Griffin, Treasurer of the Chamber, to pay the abovesaid [212*l.* 8*s.* 0*d.* and 160*l.* making together] 372*l.* 8*s.* 0*d.* as follows:	*Ibid.*

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
to John Chase, for embalming the body of the late King	212	8	0
to St. John Taylor, a messenger [of the Chamber]	40	0	0
to William Richardson, a same ..	40	0	0
to George Collins, a same	40	0	0
to Isaac Cotton, a same	40	0	0

	Privy seal to the Lord Treasurer and the Exchequer to take in loans, not exceeding 400,000*l.* on the credit of the Act of Parliament newly passed for a duty on French linen etc., silks etc.: and to pay 7 *per cent.* interest thereon: the said Act having given the King credit for any sums to be lent thereon not exceeding 400,000*l.* to be repaid with 8 *per cent.* interest in manner preseribed therein. (Royal warrant dated June 30 for said privy seal.)	*King's Warrant Book* X, pp. 152–3.
July 4.	Royal warrant to the Attorney or Solicitor General for a great seal to renew the Commission of the Excise and Hearthmoney: the Commissioners to be Sir Denny Ashburnham, bart., Francis Parry, Dr. Charles Davenant, John Freind, Felix Calverd, Nathaniel Hornby and Richard Graham: viz., for	*Ibid*, pp. 155–6.

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1685.	the Excise as granted by the Acts of 12 Car. II. c. 24 (confirmed by 13 Car. II. c. 7), 12 Car. II. c. 23 (which duties are all continued to the present King by an Act lately passed) and also the duties on brandy and strong waters as in the Act of 1 James II. c. 5. lately passed: and likewise to be Commissioners for the revenue arising by Firehearths and Stoves: with the salary of 1,000*l.* *per an.* each as from June 24 last.	
July 4.	Royal warrant to the Attorney or Solicitor General for a privy seal to discharge the baronetcy fee of 1,095*l.* due to the King from Sir John Sudbury of Eldon, co. Durham. (Warrant by Treasurer Rochester dated July 9 to the Receipt accordingly for said discharge.)	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 156. *Money Book* VI, p. 97.
	Royal sign manual for 790*l.* 19*s.* 8*d.* to Philip Ricaut, late Consul at Algiers, 615*l.* 3*s.* 0*d.* thereof to be paid out of money collected for the redemption of English captives and to be for so much paid by him to the Dey of Algier for ransom of eight English slaves by direction of Charles II; and the remainder out of the Exchequer being 30*l.* paid to the Dey of Algiers for a negro that died at Tangier, 62*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.* for the value of 250 dollars which he paid in advance for a year's rent of the house he lived in there some short time before his letters of recall arrived there and 83*l.* 8*s.* 6*d.* for his ordinary as Consul to Mar. 25 last, the day on which he returned into the royal presence. To be issued on the 10,000*l.* dormant privy seal of June 30 last. (Money warrant dated July 6 hereon. Money order dated July 7 hereon.)	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 157. *Money Book* VI, p. 93. *Order Book* I, p. 34.
	Henry Guy to the Customs Cashier to forthwith pay 100*l.* to Sir Nicholas Butler.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 95.
	Same to Sir Edwd. Wood to let Mr. Bulstrode have a sight of your lodgings which you have promised to let him have possession of when you are in a condition to remove.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Edwd. Barrell. The Attorney General certifies that the Prior [of Ely] had right to the goods of *felos-de-se* within the liberty of St. Etheldred and what right the Prior had was granted by Hy. VIII to the Dean and Chapter of Ely and the said right was granted in a charter of James I to said Dean and Chapter as parcel of the liberty and same has since been leased by them to Thomas Glenham. The Lord Treasurer is thereupon moved to write to the sheriff of Suffolk to deliver to said Glenham the goods of John Ryvanes within said liberty at the time of his becoming *felo-de-se*. (The like letter severally to the Earl of Castlehaven and Sir Charles Gawdy.)	*Ibid*, p. 96.
	Royal warrant to the Clerk of the Signet for a privy seal for 4,000*l.* to Thomas Neale, Charles Duncombe and James Hoare, Commissioners for executing the office of Master and Worker of the Mint; upon account for the service of the Mint: to be issued out of any unappropriated money in the Exchequer. (Money warrant dated July 16 hereon. Money order dated July 20 hereon.)	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 158. *Money Book* VI, p. 101. *Order Book* I, p. 39.
	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Receipt to take in loans from any persons up to 400,000*l.* on	*Money Book* VI, p. 88.

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1685.	credit of the Act of Parliament granting a duty on linens, brandy etc. and to pay 7 *per cent. per an.* interest quarterly thereon as by the privy seal of July 3 inst. *supra*, p. 247. In all matters touching said loans and interest and the tallies, orders and registers for same you are to strictly observe the rules of the Act of Parliament.	
July 4.	Money warrant for 20*l.* to Lodowick Bray for half a year to June 24 last on his annuity or pension.	*Money Book* VI, p. 89.
	Same for 60*l.* to Robert Bertie for 1½ years to Lady day last on the same of 40*l. per an.* payable to him during the life of Mris. Mary Cock.	*Ibid.*
	Same for 40*l.* to the executors of Thomas Loupe, 5*l.* thereof to complete 1668, Lady day quarter and 35*l.* thereof in part of 1668, Sept. 29 half year, on his fee or salary of 100*l. per an.* as late one of his Majesty's Engineers.	*Ibid.*
	Same for 450*l.* to Thomas, Earl of Berkshire, for 1½ years to June 24 last on the annuity or pension of 300*l.* granted to him as Thomas Howard, esq. *In the margin:* cancelled 1685–6, Jan. 4.	*Ibid*, p. 90.
	Same for 50*l.* to John Rogers and Ann his wife for half a year to June 24 last on their same: to be satisfied out of the Tenths of the dioceses of York, Exeter, Lincoln, Winchester and Sarum.	*Ibid.*
	Same for 200*l.* to Thomas Whitegrave for one year to 1683, June 24, on his same.	*Ibid.*
	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Receipt for tallies on the dioceses of Oxford etc. for 106*l.* 5*s.* 0*d.* to Eliz. Hamilton for last June 24 quarter on the unassigned moicty of 850*l. per an.* for her children; and for 125*l.* for same quarter on the 500*l. per an.* for herself.	*Ibid*, p. 91.
	Same by same to same for like tallies for 106*l.* 5*s.* 0*d.* to James Hamilton for same quarter on his assigned moiety of the abovesaid 850*l. per an.*	*Ibid*, p. 92.
July 5.	Henry Guy to Alderman Duncombe to advance 500*l.* to Mr. Shales, Commissary General, "which should be allowed on Mr. Foxe's privy seal."	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 45.
	Same to the Victualling Commissioners to doliver to Commissary Shales 200 bags of biscuit.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 95.
July 6.	Same to [the Auditor of the Receipt] to issue 10,500*l.* to Charles Fox, Paymaster of the Forces; 9,600*l.* thereout of the loans on the credit of the late Act for a duty on French linens, and 900*l.* out of the sum of 4,974*l.* 6*s.* 4½*d.* of Excise money [in the Exchequer].	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 45.
	Same to Alderman Duncombe [Cashier of Excise] to forthwith pay into the Exchequer 729*l.* 2*s.* 3*d.* of Excise money. Put this item into your next [weekly Excise] certificate. (Same dated same to the Auditor of the Receipt to get the Teller concerned, to advance said sum to me [Guy] for secret service. The warrants for the regular issue thereof shall be sent with all speed.)	*Ibid.*

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1685. July 6.	Henry Guy to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue to Charles Fox, Paymaster of the Forces, 2,588*l.* 8*s.* 11*d.* out of the loans on the French linen duty Act: the said money being intended for the masters of ships that brought the Scotch soldiers from Holland.	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 46.
	Same [to same] to issue, out of Excise money, 10,600*l.* to abovesaid Charles Fox "which hath been paid to Bevill Skelton for the English and Scotch soldiers sent from Holland hither": and 1,000*l.* more which has been paid to John Shales, Commissary General to the Army.	*Ibid.*
	Same to same. The Lord Treasurer directed 900*l.* of Excise to be this day issued to the abovesaid Fox "500*l.* whereof was taken out of the like sum intended for the said Mr. Shales." Therefore Mr. Duncombe has a direction to pay in another 500*l.* of Excise money to supply that item. You are to issue this accordingly.	*Ibid.*
	Money warrant for 500*l.* to John, Earl of Bath, for 1679, Sept. 29 quarter, on his annuity or pension as Groom of the Stole and First Gentleman of the Bedchamber.	*Money Book* VI, p. 92.
	Royal warrant to the Clerk of the Signet for a privy seal for sums not exceeding [in the whole] 16,000*l.* to Sir Stephen Fox, kt., for secret service, without account.	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 158.
	Royal sign manual for 729*l.* 2*s.* 3*d.* to Henry Guy, for secret service, without account: to be issued on the 10,000*l.* privy seal dormant of June 30 last. (Money warrant dated July 7 hereon. Money order dated July 7 hereon.)	*Ibid*, p. 158. *Money Book* VI, p. 93. *Order Book* I, p. 33.
	Henry Guy to Mr. Darcy *et al.* to provide liveries etc. as follows: *Appending:* letter dated July 1 from the Earl of Arlington, Lord Chamberlain, [to Treasurer Rochester]. It is the King's pleasure that liveries be provided for 48 watermen and the Master of the Barges with such other particulars as heretofore allowed, viz. to the Master six yards of bastard scarlet at 26*s.* the yard and six yards of bayes to line same at 2*s.* 8*d.* the yard; four gross of points at 4*s.* the dozen, 14 ells of holland at 7*s.* the ell, and a velvet cap; and for each of the 48 watermen $1\frac{3}{4}$ yards of bastard scarlet at 15*s.* the yard and three yards of bayes to line same, seven ells of Holland and a velvet cap.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 95.
	Same to the Customs Commissioners. The Lord Treasurer will not be at leisure to speak with you this afternoon. He will appoint some other day.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Gray to forthwith pay into the Exchequer all moneys you have received from the steward and tenants of Gosfeild.	*Ibid*, p. 96.
	Same to the Customs Commissioners. Bring the Lord Treasurer an account next Monday what new officers will be necessary for the management of the additional Customs lately granted to the King.	*Ibid.*

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1685. July 6.	Henry Guy to Mr. Darcy *et al.* to provide as follows forthwith. *Appending:* Letter dated June 26 last from Seth, Bishop of Sarum, Chancellor of the Order of the Garter, to the Lord Treasurer requesting the provision of robes *ut supra*, pp. 205–6, for Henry, Earl of Peterborough, lately elected a Companion of the Garter.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 97.
	Same to the Attorney General to advise the Lord Treasurer whether the mortgages and bonds due to Ryvanes, the *felo-de-se*, within the liberty of St. Etheldred, belong to Mr. Glenham or not.	*Ibid.*
	Treasurer Rochester to Mr. Fanshaw [at Lisbon]. "The multiplicity of business which upon many accounts hath layn upon us all here for some time" has hindred my reply to your two letters of April 26 [last]. In the one you write for directions concerning the moneys you had or might lay out for the necessary use of the King's ships. "It is very true that the bills of exchange lately drawn have been postponed and I know very well that will spoyle the King's credit and I will therefore take speedy care they shall be payd off." The bill for 200*l.* for what you had furnished to Capt. Preistman is brought to me this very day and I have taken care it shall be immediately complied with. The other 500*l.* you have furnished him I am content, as you desire, that you disburse same out of the [Queen Dowager's Portugal dowry or] Portion money, "by reason of the present uncertainty that there hath been of payments here at London upon bills of exchange." It shall be allowed upon your account of the Portion money for this time. "But at another tyme when we shall have recovered our creditts by paying more punctually I am not of opinion it wilbe for the King's service: and therefore for the future, I meane after this 500*l.* is satisfied, whatever other occasions there may be for supplying the King's ships let it be done by bills of exchange and let the remainder of the Portion be sent over in any of his Majesty's frigatts according to former directions." The King was pleased to continue you in your employment in the Excise before I had received your desire to that purpose.	*Ibid.*
	Henry Guy to Mr. Duncombe [Cashier of Excise]. Mr. Skelton has drawn a bill on you for 2,600*l.* for clothing the Scotch Regiments that came lately from Holland. You are to accept same. The Lord Treasurer next time he sees you will tell you where [out of what fund] you shall have the money to satisfy the bill.	*Ibid*, p. 98.
	Same to the Attorney General to report on the enclosed draft warrant [missing, *see* p. 255] touching the sheriffs' restoring the Recusants' moneys in their hands.	*Ibid.*
	Same to same to report on the following papers, viz.: (1) the case touching the London Excise Farmers; (2) a charge, proofs and narrative touching the late Farmers of Excise in London, Middlesex and Surrey; (3) a draft bill to enable the King to recover some moneys which the said late Excise Farmers defrauded the late King of.	*Ibid.*
	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the King's Remembrancer to forbear process against Francis Wightwick,	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, p. 103.

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1685.	late Receiver General of Recusants Forfeitures in Hereford, Salop, Stafford, and Lichfield, Brecon, Cardigan, Carmarthen, Glamorgan, Pembroke, Radnor, Haverford West and Carmarthen town. against Mr. Powell as the same for cos. Derby, Nottingham, and Lincoln. against Mr. Christian as the same for cos. Northumberland, Cumberland, Westmorland, Durham and Newcastle and Berwick. against Mr. Bedford as the same for cos. Beds, Bucks, Herts, Oxford, Berks.	
July 6.	Signature by Treasurer Rochester and by Sir John Ernle of the docquet of a demise to Francis Gwynn of divers pieces of land on the Thames at Redriff and St. Mary Magdalene *ut supra*, p. 204, for 31 years at several rents of, in all, 19*l.* 12*s.* 9*d. per an.*	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, p. 104.
	Warrant by same to the Surveyor General of Crown Lands for a particular of a small cottage in the manor of Ryme, co. Dorset, called the Pound Barton, containing about an acre and another cottage as follows with a view to a new lease thereof to John Tooker for three lives at rents of 20*d.* and 12*d. per an.* and fine of 5*l.* *Prefixing:* (*a*) said Tooker's petition for same as formerly granted 1628, June 6, to John Warren for 99 years terminable on the lives of him, his wife Margaret and son George; and likewise another cottage formerly granted for the lives of Jone Lyde, John Williams of Yeovil, Somerset, and George Williams his son, the survivor George having surrendered to petitioner. (*b*) Reference dated 1683–4, Mar. 6, from the late Treasury Lords to the Surveyor General of Crown Lands of said petition. (*c*) Report dated 1683–4, Mar. 8, by John Fisher thereon in the absence of the said Surveyor General. The premises are inconsiderable and in Sir Richard Prideaux's survey are returned as copyholds, but in the Parliamentary survey as leaseholds.	*Ibid.*
	Reference by same to Richard Graham and P. Burton of the petition of Gilbert Franckland for money to help him to carry on his information before Christopher Sanderson, one of the Justices of Peace in co. Durham for several treasonable words spoken by certain persons.	*Reference Book* III, p. 128.
	Same by same to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of Mr. Skinner, a King's waiter, London port, praying for Richard Amory to be admitted his deputy.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Surveyor General of Crown Lands of the petition of Stephen Godfrey, bailiff of the monastery of St. Mary, near York, for renewal of his said office, void by the late King's death.	*Ibid*, p. 129.
	Same by same to Auditor Aldworth of the account of interest due from the King to Charles Toll to July 1 inst. *Prefixing:* said account. *l. s. d.* on 94,441*l.* principal remaining due to him on his [last] account made up to April 1 last .. .. .. 1,412 14 3 on 2,795*l.* 18*s.* 10*d.* interest due to him on said [last] account at April 1 last 41 16 3	*Ibid*, pp. 131–2.

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1685.	total principal, 97,236*l.* 18*s.* 10*d.* Total interest, 1,454*l.* 10*s.* 6*d.*	
		l. *s.* *d.*
	Repayments of principal at the Excise Office and discount of interest thereon.	
	on 1,000*l.* paid April 1 in part of a tally of 9,000*l.* dated 1679, July 20	14 19 2
	on 1,000*l.* ditto paid April 8	13 16 1
	on 1,000*l.* paid April 15 in part of said interest item of 2,795*l.* 18*s* 10*d.*	12 13 1
	on 1,000*l.* ditto received April 30 ..	10 3 10
	on 795*l.* 18*s.* 10*d.* received 6 May, being balance of said interest item	7 6 4
	on 1,000*l.* paid May 13 on abovesaid tally	8 1 7
	on 1,000*l.* ditto paid May 27	5 15 0
	on 1,000*l.* ditto paid June 3	4 12 0
	Total principal repaid, 7,995*l.* 18*s.* 10*d.* Total rebate of interest, 77*l.* 6*s.* 7*d.*, leaving still due at the foot of the present account, 89,441*l.* in principal and 1,377*l.* 3*s.* 11*d.* in interest.	
July 6.	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to Auditor Aldworth of the account of interest due to Joseph and Nathaniell Hornby.	*Reference Book* III, p. 131.
	Prefixing : said account.	
		l. *s.* *d.*
	on 35,000*l.*, viz. from 1684, Dec. 25, to 1685, June 24	1,041 7 4
	Repayments of principal and discount of interest thereon.	
	on 1,000*l.* [repaid] 1684–5, Jan. 28	24 3 3
	on 500*l.* [repaid] Feb. 28	9 15 7
	on 500*l.* ditto, Mar. 4	9 4 1
	on 500*l.* ditto, Mar. 11	8 12 7
	on 500*l.* ditto, Mar. 18	8 1 1
	on 500*l.* ditto, Mar. 26	7 7 11
	on 500*l.* ditto, April 1	6 18 0
	on 500*l.* ditto, April 8	6 6 6
	on 500*l.* ditto, May 6	4 0 6
	on 500*l.* ditto, May 13	3 9 0
	on 500*l.* ditto, May 27	2 6 0
	on 500*l.* ditto, June 3	1 14 6
		£91 19 0
	leaving a balance of 949*l.* 8*s.* 4*d.* interest due.	
July 7.	Henry Guy to the Customs Commissioners. The charge of [passing] the new Customs Commission is to be placed to the account of [Customs] incidents.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p 98.
	Same to Mr. Stephens [Cashier to the Navy Treasurer] enclosing Capt. Phellippes's papers [missing]. Can his demand be paid in course out of the [Navy] fund of 400*l.* a week ?	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Hall to enquire as to sufficiency of the sureties proposed by Stephen Lilly as Receiver General of the Post Office : said sureties being [himself and] Rich. Nicholson, haberdasher of London, at Brookes Wharf, near Thames street, and Rich. Swift of New Inn in St. Clements Parish : (total bond, 5,000*l.*).	*Ibid*, p. 99.

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1685. July 7.	Henry Guy to Sir Peter Killigrew. The time limited for declaring your account ending 1684, Sept. 29, is long since passed. You are to immediately attend the Auditor for the Duchy of Cornwall with the vouchers, tin rolls etc. necessary to perfect said account: and you are forthwith to pay in the balance thereon.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 99.
	Same to the Customs Commissioners, enclosing a letter [missing] sent by Mr. Thorold to Sir Cornewall Bradshaw.	*Ibid.*
	Treasurer Rochester to Mr. Skelton. You agreed with several masters of ships and shippers to transport from Rotterdam to Leith the three Scotch Regiments that were in Holland, at the rate of 3½ Rix dollars per man, half down on signing the charter party, the other half at Rotterdam on proof of the landing of the men. The King has ordered said Regiments to be brought back from Scotland to Gravesend and has allowed 7 Rix dollars for each man. This makes in all 3,390*l.* 16*s.* 10*d.* Hereof you have paid 802*l.* 7*s.* 11*d.* I have caused the remaining 2,588*l.* 8*s.* 11*d.* to be paid to the said masters and shippers here [in London] and have taken in the charter parties of so many of them as had them here. Those that have not them here are John Grigg, master of the *Rachell* of Queensferry, Thom. Bruce, master of the *Turtle Dove*, of Leith; James Steedman, master of the *Ellen* at Borrowstounness; John Middleton, master of the *Hope* at Fraserburgh; Henry Frezer, master of the *William* of Leith; John Lamont, master of the *Blessing* of Leven; Alexander Glasford, master of the *Elizabeth* of Borrowstounness; and James Law, master of the *Hopeful Margaret* of Leith. You are to call for their charter parties. By the account you sent me from De Knuydt of the disbursements of the money on account of the Scotch Regiments I find almost as much again said to be paid to the ships masters as the men themselves own in their paper. The excess may be the unsettled moiety as above. If this be so you will have so much more money in your hands to be accounted for. According to your desire I allow you to draw a bill on Alderman Duncomb for what is due on your Bedchamber pension. As to your letter by Capt. Slater you will find the bill you drew for 2,600*l.* upon Mr. Duncombe for clothing the Scotch Regiment is paid at sight so that I hope your credit there will be good if there should be more occasion of it for the King's service. There is very good news come this morning from the Earl of Feversham: the particulars you will have from the Earl of Middleton. I doubt not but it will prove the total rout of the rebels army.	*Ibid.*
	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of George Dickinson and Nicholas Booker for places in Hull port on the new duties and the coinage duty there.	*Reference Book* III, p. 129.
	Same by same to same of the petition of Monsieur Michael de Claras Vaux, tapissier, a French Protestant, of the Gobelins factory: showing that having a design to come and establish himself in England with a number of good French workmen according to the permission which the late King granted him in the presence of the Earl of Sunderland,	*Ibid*, p. 133.

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1685.	petitioner arrived at Harwich a month since and brought several designs for his tapestry manufactures, but same have been seized by the Customs officers. Prays restoration thereof.	
July 7.	Royal sign manual for 1,000*l.* to Henry Guy, for secret service, without account: to be issued on the 10,000*l.* dormant privy seal of June 30 last. (Money warrant dated July 8 hereon. Money order dated July 19 [*sic*, probably for 9] hereon.)	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 157. *Money Book* VI, p. 95. *Order Book* I, p. 34.
	Same for 86*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.* to Thomas, Lord Colepeper, in full of his order dated 1684, July 2, for 1,086*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.* for the expence of the *Katherine* sloop, the quarters of Capt. Mutlow's Company, and said Lord's expense in his late government at Virginia: on which order only 1,000*l.* has been paid and the balance cannot be paid as the privy seal authorising same became void by the death of Charles II. (Money warrant dated July 13 hereon. Money order dated July 26 hereon.)	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 159. *Money Book* VI, p. 98. *Order Book* I, p. 38.
	Royal warrant to the Clerk of the Signet for a privy seal dormant for the payment to Andrew Lawrence, guide and surveyor of the King's ways, gates, bridges, causeways and passages, of such sums as the Lord Treasurer shall think fit towards the making, maintaining and repairing the King's said private ways etc. and locks and keys for the gates etc. and all charges incident thereto.	*King's Warrant Book* X, pp. 159–60.
	Money warrant for 79*l.* to Anthony Segar, 69*l.* thereof for disbursements for the Treasury Office for last June 24 quarter and 10*l.* thereof for said quarter's salary. (Money order dated July 7 hereon.)	*Money Book* VI, p. 94. *Order Book* I, p. 34.
	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Treasurer's Remembrancer, the Clerk of the Pipe, the Comptroller of the Pipe, the sheriffs of England and Wales and Edward Ange, authorising said Ange, solicitor for the King in matters relating to Recusancy, to be receiver of all the moneys of the said revenues in the hands of sheriffs. Upon such payments to Ange and on production of said Ange's acquittances the said sheriffs are to be discharged upon their accounts by the Treasurer's Remembrancer, the Clerk of the Pipe, the Comptroller of the Pipe or other officers concerned. Upon receipt thereof said Ange is hereby to make allowance to the said sheriffs of 12*d.* per £ for their care and pains in levying same and also their just expenses in procuring their discharges of the sums paid back [by the said sheriffs to the persons on whom same were levied]. Ange is then to pay back the remainder of such moneys to the respective persons on whom same were levied. All by reason that in pursuance of the royal sign manual of May 11 last, Treasurer Rochester did by his warrant of June 2 last direct stay of all process against Recusants and that all moneys levied on them and not answered to the King should be restored: and it is considered that the above is the easiest and readiest way to have the said moneys restored so as not to impede the sheriffs in passing their accounts.	*Money Book* VI, pp. 94–5.
	Money warrant for 1,500*l.* to Henry, Earl of Clarendon, Lord Privy Seal and Treasurer and Receiver General	*Ibid*, p. 95.

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1685.	to the Queen Dowager, for last June 24 quarter on the annuity or pension of 6,000*l.* to said Queen.	
July 7.	Henry Guy to Mr. Griffin, Treasurer of the Chamber, to pay as follows the 80*l.* which has been directed to you at the Exchequer, viz. 40*l.* each to Francis Strutt and Antho. Byns, messengers [of the Chamber]. (Same to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue said 80*l.* to said Griffin out of the money of the Letter Office now in the Exchequer.)	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 46.
	Same to the Navy Commissioners, enclosing the petition of Francis Weaver, collector of Portsmouth port, praying that 156*l.* 14*s.* 8*d.* due to him from Henry Beverley, deceased, late anchor smith at Portsmouth, may be paid to the Receiver General of Customs for his Majesty's use. You are to take care that petitioner be satisfied said sum out of such moneys as are due [from the King] to said Beverley.	*Ibid*, p. 47.
July 8.	Same to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue as follows out of such moneys of the Customs, Excise, Hearthmoney and Post Office as are directed to be this week paid into the Exchequer, viz.:	*Ibid*, pp. 46, 47.

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Out of the Customs.

to the Treasurer of the Navy (for stores) for works to be finished within one year ..	3,000
to ditto for sea officers and bills in course	400
to ditto for the Victuallers	1,200
to the Treasurer of the Ordnance	1,000
	£5,600

On the Excise.

to Col. Werden for the Queen	2,700
to me [Guy] for secret service by way of advance	100
to [ditto] more by advance	200
to Mr. Burton	500
to Mr. Griffin	500
	£3,500

Out of Hearthmoney.

to Mr. Griffin	500
to me [Guy] for secret service	606

Out of Post Office money.

to the Earl of Bath	500

Out of loans on the French linen duty.

to Mr. Fox, Paymaster of the Forces ..	9,000
	£19,706

(Same dated July 9 to the Customs Cashier, enclosing the paper of the disposition of the Customs cash for the present week, said paper including the above four Customs items [payable out of the Exchequer] together with the following item payable direct out of the Customs Office on tallies] viz. 2,000*l.* to Richard Kent and Charles Duncombe in part of their debt. Total disposition of the Customer, 7,600*l.*) (Same dated July 9 to the Commissioners of Excise and Hearthmoney, enclosing the like paper for the Excise and Hearthmoney said paper including the above four Excise items and two Hearthmoney items [payable out of the

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1685.	Exchequer] together with the following [payable direct out of the Excise Office on tallies] viz. 1,500*l.* to the Prince of Denmark; 2,000*l.* to Thomas Griffith in repayment of loan. Total disposition of the Excise and Hearthmoney, 8,106*l.*)	
July 8.	Henry Guy to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue 30*l.* to the executors of George Russell out of loans on the Hearthmoney now remaining in the Exchequer.	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 47.
	Same to same to issue 20*l.* to Mr. Bray out of money of the Letter Office now in the Exchequer.	*Ibid.*
	Money warrant for 100*l.* to Heneage Finch for last June 24 quarter on his annuity or pension as a Groom of the Bedchamber. (The like dated July 8 for 100*l.* each to James Fortrey and Oliver Nicholas for same as same.) (The like dated July 9 for 100*l.* to James Griffin for same as same.) (The like dated July 13 for 100*l.* each to Francis Russel, Richard Leueson, David Lloyd and Henry Slingsby for same as same.)	*Money Book* VI, p. 96.
	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of Samuell Dassell for the landwaiter's place at Lyme (the Surveyor there who had been carried away by the rebels, having returned) petitioner being the first that brought the tidings of James Scot's invasion "and the testimony he gave occasioned the bill of attainder against him."	*Reference Book* III, p. 132.
	Same by same to the Commissioners of Excise and Hearthmoney of the petition of Timothy Howard for a collector's or gauger's place in the Excise, being recommended by Lady Amelty Butler: petitioner having three brothers in the Excise.	*Ibid*, p. 135.
	Same by same to the Surveyor General of Crown Lands of the petition of Jno. Taylor and Ralph Milbourne, shewing that Charles II granted all Holy Island to Daniell Collingwood for 31 years from 1672, Lady day, since which time Collingwood is dead and the island is granted to petitioners by his administrator, George Collingwood: therefore pray an extension of term.	*Ibid.*
	Same by same to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of Joseph Drake for the collectorship of the new duties, Plymouth port.	*Ibid*, p. 136.
	Same by same to same of the petition of Ralph Hardwick, merchant, shewing that he discovered to the Lord Treasurer that great quantities of muslins and other fine calicoes (which were in truth calico lawns and ought to pay custom as such) were nevertheless entered as calicoes, to the King's prejudice to at least 10,000*l. per an.*, and that other calicoes of new invention paid so small a duty that the importation thereof was greatly prejudicial as well to the linen as the woollen trade and therefore ought to be further taxed; "that your lordship was pleased upon these discoveries to tell your petitioner that he had done his Majesty very good service herein and should have encouragement therein and reward for such his service:	*Ibid*, p. 137.

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1685.	that the petitioner finding that your Lordship hath proceeded accordingly to have the said goods taxed in Parliament and that the business relating to the calicoe lawns is under consideration"; therefore prays some consideration.	
July 8.	Henry Guy to Lady Williams, enclosing the report [missing] of the Surveyor General of Crown Lands and of Sir Christopher Wrenn upon Mris. Ellis's petition. Send the Lord Treasurer what information you think fit thereon.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 100.
	Same to the Customs Commissioners, enclosing the petition of William Cooke, gent., for a place under the new impositions on sugars and tobacco. You are to present him on the next vacancy.	*Ibid.*
	Privy seal for 20,000*l.* to James Grahme, Keeper of the Privy Purse: for the use and service of the Privy Purse, without account. (Royal warrant dated July 4 for said privy seal. Money warrant dated July 8 hereon. Money order dated July 9 hereon.)	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 157. *Money Book* VI, p. 95. *Order Book* I, p. 34.
July 9.	Henry Guy to the Attorney General. By the Act for the new duty on French linens etc. the officers are to keep a separate account thereof and to pay the same in specie into the Exchequer weekly under penalty. It is impossible for the officers in the outports to pay in such receipts weekly into the Exchequer. Advise the Lord Treasurer whether in case they return their moneys to the Receiver General of the Customs and he pay it in weekly into the Exchequer, such payment will answer the ends of the Act.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 100.
	Same to Mr. Fox [Paymaster of the Forces] to report on the petition [missing] of Sir Tho. Beckford with the account [missing] of the money due to him for clothes supplied to soldiers under the pay of Visct. Ranelagh.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Customs Commissioners to report on (*a*) *infra*. *Appending:* (*a*) letter from Mr. Lightfoot, a Customs officer at Rye [to the Lord Treasurer] desiring increase of salary and complaining of one Lucas, a Customs Surveyor, "one that had married his mother-in-law," for neglect of duty.	*Ibid*, p. 101.
	Same to Sir Robt. Howard and Mr. Harbord, enclosing the petition [missing] of Abraham Shapton. You are to deliver to him the lease about the mines royal in Great Taunton, co. Gloucester.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Graham, enclosing two petitions [missing] of Mr. Glemham and two reports [missing] of the Attorney General concerning John Rivane's estate. Some time since at the request of the Earl of Castlehaven, the Lord Treasurer signed a warrant for an inquisition. You will find this at the King's Remembrancer's Office. You are to look after Rivane's estate on the King's behalf.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Darcy *et al.* to forthwith furnish the Maids of Honour's chambers as requested by the Lord Chamberlain's letter enclosed [missing].	*Ibid.*

Date.	Nature and Substance of the Entry.	Reference.
1685. July 9.	Henry Guy to Mr. Pepys. The Navy Commissioners inform the Lord Treasurer that they have employed four oarsmen more in the yard at Chatham. Send the Lord Treasurer your opinion on this.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 101.
	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of John Jackson, landwaiter in Great Yarmouth port, praying for the Chief Surveyor's place there.	*Reference Book* III, p. 136.
	Warrant by same to the King's Remembrancer for stay of process against John Langley, late Receiver General of the Seventeen Months' tax, Poll, and last Eighteen Months' tax for co. Worcester, and of the last Eighteen Months' and Six Months' tax for co. Gloucester.	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, p. 105.
	Money warrant for 500*l.* to Philip Burton as imprest for Crown law charges. (Money order dated July 11 hereon.)	*Money Book* VI, p. 97. *Order Book* I, p. 34.
	Same for 80*l.* to the Mayor etc. of Clifton, Dartmouth, Hardness, for two years to Lady day last on their perpetuity payable out of the Customs of Exeter and Dartmouth port.	*Money Book* VI, p. 97.
	Henry Guy to the Auditor of the Receipt to advance to me [Guy] out of Hearthmoney loans now in the Exchequer 200*l.* for secret service "which requireth the same to be immediately done." The regular warrants for issue of same shall be sent with all speed.	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 47.
	Same to the Customs Cashier to return [*i.e.* to give a bill of exchange] to the Earl of Newburgh for 100*l.* at Bristol by this post. On your delivering to me his acquittance I am to repay you this sum. Also you are forthwith to pay into the Exchequer 300*l.* of Customs money for the Treasurer of the Navy to defray the carriage etc. of the Navy timber from New Forest to Portsmouth. (Same to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue said 300*l.* to the Navy Treasurer.)	*Ibid*, pp. 47–8.
	Same to Mr. Stephens [Cashier to the Treasurer of the Navy] to pay to Benjamin Price the 52*l.* 4*s.* 0*d.* [for a bill] drawn by Capt. George Rooke. The 300*l.* for the carriage of timber as above is directed to-day.	*Ibid*, p. 48.
	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners to settle the management of the new imposition upon sugar and tobacco in London port as follows as proposed in said Commissioners' memorial of the 8th inst. viz.: that the present computor do cast up these duties as well as the former Customs and that he be allowed an assistant at 50*l.* *per an.* salary; that Mr. Wicks, the present Receiver [of Plantation duties] do receive the money and take the bonds for this new imposition and that he be allowed an assistant at 50*l.* *per an.*: 20*l.* *per an.* each to be added to the salary of said computor and receiver for this additional service: the patent officers to maintain together a comptrol to checque the computor and keep distinct accompts of this duty: a surveyor to be appointed to examine the sufficiency of securities and to attend the waterside both inwards and outwards at 80*l.* *per an.* salary.	*Out Letters* (*Customs*) X, p. 36.

Date.	Nature and Substance of the Entry.	Reference.
1685. July 10.	Henry Guy to the Auditor of the Receipt to get one of the Tellers to advance, out of Hearthmoney loans, 200*l.* to me [Guy] for secret service. Also you are to issue 10*l.* to Mr. Griffin, Treasurer of the Chamber, for Mary Dowle, the herbwoman. (Same dated July 9 to said Griffin to pay said 10*l.* to said Dowle.)	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 48.
	Same to the Customs Commissioners, enclosing a list [missing] of the people who are going to Carolina "and pretend they have been shipt a great while." Send the Lord Treasurer an account of all the said people.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 101.
	Two royal sign manuals for respectively 200*l.* and 400*l.* to Henry Guy, for secret service, without account: to be issued on the 10,000*l.* dormant privy seal of June 30 last. (Two money warrants dated July 11 hereon. Two money orders dated July 13 hereon.)	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 160. *Money Book*, VI, p. 97. *Order Book* I, p. 35.
	Royal warrant to the Clerk of the Signet for a privy seal for 1,200*l.* to Robert Spencer, without account: as allowance by the King's bounty for his services as one of the Managers of the Four and a Half *per cent.* duty in Barbados for three years after the salary of 400*l.* *per an.* each (which was allowed to him and his partners after they were made accountable for said duty) was taken off. (Money warrant dated July 14 hereon. Money order dated July 15 hereon.)	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 160. *Money Book* VI, p. 99. *Order Book* I, p. 36.
	Same to the Attorney or Solicitor General for a great seal for a grant to Sir William Bowes, kt., of the office of Master Forester and Chief Warden of all the King's forests and chaces within the lordship of Barnard Castle, co. Durham, and the custody and office of chief keeper of the King's forests of Teesdale and the chase of Marwood *alias* Marwood Hagg, co. Durham, which offices are lately void by the death of Charles, late Earl of Carlisle: to hold during pleasure: Bowes to covenant to repair all the houses or lodges in and belonging to said forests and chaces at his own charge and to pay the several wages and fees amounting to 9*l.* 2*s.* 0*d.* *per an.* and all other fees and allowances to the several keepers or foresters thereof and to indemnify the King touching the same; and to replenish the said forest with a competent number of deer "for our delight when we come there" and to maintain all the lands, meadows, pastures, wood and underwood at his own cost.	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 161.
	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of Sam. Beake, John Vyner, Robt. Rawlinson and Peter Rowel of London, merchants, to be charged only the duty of 16*d.* per gallon (now imposed on single brandies below proof) on certain brandies above proof on board the *Unity* from Bordeaux same having left Bordeaux before petitioners could give notice of the late Act of Parliament [for the new duties thereon].	*Reference Book* III, p. 134.
	Same by same to same of the petition of William Jones for a landwaiter's place, London port.	*Ibid*, p. 135.
	Same by same to same of the petition of Robert Jackson (clerk to Ralph Williamson, Comptroller of Newcastle port) for the place of surveyor of	*Ibid.*

Date.	Nature and Substance of the Entry.	Reference.
1685.	Stockton port void by the surrender of Mr. Hardcastle.	
July 10.	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of Robert Wetwang for renewal of his patent as Trover and Peisor of Newcastle and Sunderland, determined by the late King's death.	*Reference Book* III, p. 135.
	Same by same to same of the petition of John Roope to be continued as collector of Exeter and Dartmouth: "with a good certificate of most of the west country Members."	*Ibid*, p. 136.
	Same by same to Richard Graham of the petition of Jno. Every, Receiver General of Recusants' forfeitures in Cheshire and North Wales, for allowance of his charges therein, amounting to 332*l.* 7*s.* 4*d.*: and further shewing that several of the records relating to his account were burned in the fire in the Temple, and none of them certified into the Pipe, which has hitherto delayed his account; therefore prays stay of process in the interim.	*Ibid.*
	Same by same to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of Charles Bathurst for a place in the Customs, having a certificate from the Earl of Clarendon etc.	*Ibid*, p. 137.
	Same by same to same of the petition of Thomas Tothall for some employment in the tobacco duties, he having been bred a tobacconist.	*Ibid*, p. 143.
July 11.	Henry Guy to Mr. Gray. You are to pay into the Exchequer the money in your hands without further delay as by my letter of the 6th inst.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 101.
	Same to the Customs Commissioners to inspect and seal the Countess of Pembroke's luggage at her lodgings in Whitehall.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Attorney General. The King is pleased to accept 30,000*l.* from Mr. Kingdon, Mr. Trant, Mr. Bridges and Mr. Jenew for the surplus of the Hearth-money, 15,000*l.* thereof to be paid in a month from to-day and the balance in three months. You are to draw a discharge to be given by the King to them for the above consideration and with power to them to recover debts due to them from their officers and others with whom they have deposited money.	*Ibid*, p. 102.
	Same to the Customs Commissioners to report on the enclosed letters [missing] concerning Capt. Lyne, searcher at Southampton port.	*Reference Book* III, p. 136.
	Separate money orders for 100*l.* each to James Griffin, Hen. Finch and Oliver Nicholas for last June 24 quarter as Grooms of the Bedchamber. (Same dated July 14 for Henry Slingsby, Fra. Russell and James Fortrey. Same dated July 15 for David Lloyd and Richd. Leweson.)	*Order Book* I, p. 35.
	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to Philip Burton to pay 200*l.* to Richard Graham for disbursements [in Crown law charges].	*Money Book* VI, p. 97.

Date.	Nature and Substance of the Entry.	Reference.
1685. July 11.	Royal sign manual for 700*l.* to Henry Guy, for secret service, without account: to be issued on the 10,000*l.* dormant privy seal of June 30 last (Money warrant dated July 11 hereon. Money order dated July 13 hereon.)	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 161. *Money Book* VI, p. 97. *Order Book* I, p. 35.
	Privy seal for an annuity or yearly pension of 1,000*l.* to George Dunstan, esq.: to be payable quarterly from Christmas last.	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 163.
July 13.	Money warrant for 300*l.* to Henry, Earl of Peterborough, for last June 24 quarter on his annuity or pension as Groom of the Stole and (in that respect) First Gentleman of the Bedchamber.	*Money Book* VI, p. 96.
	Same for 150*l.* to Henry, Duke of Beaufort, for same quarter on his same as a Gentleman of the Bedchamber. (The like dated same for 150*l.* each to James, Earl of Ossory, and Henry Edward, Earl of Lichfield. for same as same.) (The like dated July 25 for 150*l.* to James, Earl of Arran, for same as same.) (The like dated Aug. 3 for 150*l.* to John, Lord Churchill, for same as same.) (The like dated Aug. 21 for 150*l.* to John, Earl of Mulgrave, for same as same.) (The like dated Sept. 24 for 150*l.* to Charles, Duke of Somerset, for same as same.)	*Ibid*, pp. 96, 129.
	Same for 53*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.* to John Potinger, Comptroller of the Pipe, for one year to June 24 last on his allowance for writing the farms and debts of Recusants and summons of Pipe in Pipe hand twice every year. (Money order dated July 14 hereon.)	*Ibid*, p. 98. *Order Book* I, p. 37.
	Same for 96*l.* 15*s.* 0*d.* to the Secondaries and Clerks in the Treasurer's Remembrancer's Office, viz. 18*l.* 15*s.* 0*d.* to the first Secondary for $3\frac{3}{4}$ years to 1681, June 24, on his fee of 5*l. per an.*; 33*l.* to the second Secondary for $8\frac{1}{4}$ years to 1676, Christmas, on his fee of 4*l. per an.*; 45*l.* to the Clerks for four years to 1680, Lady day, on their fee of 22*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.* payable every second year.	*Money Book* VI, p. 98.
	Same for 3,164*l.* 6*s.* 6*d.* to Richard Kent and Charles Duncombe for interest to June 24 last on several sums by them lent for the service of the late and present King: as by an account thereof made up by Auditor Aldworth and allowed by Treasurer Rochester the 9th inst. (Money order dated July 14 hereon.)	*Ibid*, p. 99. *Order Book* I, p. 37.
	Money order for 45*l.* 8*s.* 4*d.* to William Wardour, Clerk of the Pells, for one year to June 24 last as reward for attendance in vacation and as in lieu of the sums of 16*l.* 13*s.* 4*d. per an.* and 8*l.* 15*s.* 0*d. per an.* anciently allowed him by tally of assignment out of the Customs.	*Order Book* I, p. 35.
	Same for 100*l.* to same for same year for attending the Lord Treasurer for the despatch of his Majesty's service.	*Ibid.*
	Same for 5*l.* to William Parks, Porter at the gate of the Receipt, for last June 24 quarter's attendance there and on the officers there.	*Ibid.*

Date.	Nature and Substance of the Entry.	Reference.
1685. July 13.	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners to order the collector Inwards London port, and the collectors of the outports to forthwith give account to Mris. Ellen Gwynn of the receipts of the Customs on logwood *alias* blockwood since 1677, Michaelmas, and of the quantity of said logwood entered outwards for export and how much they have paid to officers for the care of said duty and of the balance remaining after deduction of such charges and debentures on such exports and to forthwith pay her the said balance ; and so from time to time hereafter : all in accordance with the patent of 1676, Sept. 13, by which Charles II granted to Laurence Hyde, now Earl of Rochester, said duty for 21 years from 1677, Sept. 29, " which said grant was in trust for Mrs. Ellen Gwynn and my name is therein used in trust and for the use and benefit of the said Mrs. Gwinn."	*Out Letters* (*Customs*) X, pp. 36–7.
	Same by same to same to establish James Ayerigg (Agrigg) as the officer for surveying, tasting and distinguishing of brandies and strong waters in London port for the additional duty granted thereon : at 80*l*. *per an.* salary.	*Ibid*, p. 37.
	Reference by same to same of the petition of William Carter for employment as surveyor or examiner of such bonds, drawbooks and ratals as will be required by the new duties on wines, tobacco, sugars, silk etc.	*Reference Book* III, p. 138.
	Same by same to same of the petition of Francis Weaver, collector of Portsmouth port, praying to be placed on the establishment and paid quarterly with the rest of the Customs officers : he having executed said office for some years past for his patent salary with an allowance of 10*l*. *per an.* for a clerk.	*Ibid*, p. 139.
	Henry Guy to the Attorney General. You must send me your patent before the warrant for your salary can be prepared. (The like letter to the Solicitor General.)	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 102.
	Treasurer Rochester to Sir Peter Killegrew. The Auditor of the Duchy of Cornwall informs me that from an imperfect certificate sent to Mr. Griffith, deputy to said Auditor and since deceased, by Bryan Rogers (who together with Mr. Hooker acts as Receiver General of said Duchy under you) it appears that the profits of the pre-emption and coinage for the year ended 1684, Sept. 29, came to 5,402*l*. whereas the preceding year they amounted to 6,282*l*. The vouchers, tin rolls and other papers requisite for making up the account are wanting. You are to attend the Auditor with the said tin rolls attested as usual and the other requisite vouchers, so that the balance on the account may be paid in " and more especially that I may know from you or the said Mr. Rogers how and by what means the said abatement happens " and how it may be prevented for the future.	*Ibid.*
	Henry Guy to the Customs Commissioners to report on Mr. Hall's patent as customer of Chichester port.	*Ibid*, p. 103.

Date	Nature and Substance of the Entry.	Reference.
1685. July 13.	Henry Guy to Mr. Kent [the Customs Cashier] to pay into the Exchequer 200*l.* of Customs money. (Same to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue same to me [Guy] on my warrant for 400*l.* for secret service, which warrant "shall be sent to you.")	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 48.
	Same to the Auditor of the Receipt to advance 700*l.* to me [Guy] for secret service, out of the loans on the new duty on linens etc. The regular warrants for same shall be sent to you as soon as they can be despatched.	*Ibid.*
	Same to same to issue 183*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.* to me [Guy] for secret service: out of the money of the Letter Office. Likewise out of the loans on Hearthmoney to issue 100*l.* each to Heneage Finch, James Fortrey, Oliver Nicholas, James Griffin, David Lloyd, Francis Russell, Richard Leveson, Henry Slingsby, Grooms of the Bedchamber; 300*l.* to the Earl of Peterborough, and 150*l.* each to the Duke of Beaufort, Earl of Ossory and Earl of Lichfield, Gentlemen of the Bedchamber. Also you are to send with the weekly certificate of the receipts and payments at the Exchequer a particular account of the loans on the new duty on linens setting out the date, sums and names of lenders.	*Ibid*, p. 49.
	Same to Charles Fox, esq., to pay 274*l.* 1*s.* 0*d.* to Sir Joseph Tredenham for 1679–80, Jan. 16, to 1684–5, Jan. 16, on his fee of 3*s.* a day as Governor of St. Mawes [Castle].	*Ibid.*
	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Clerk of the Pipe to allow to sheriffs 12*d.* per £ on moneys they shall levy for the year ended Sept. 29 last on the forfeiture of 20*l.* per month on Dissenters: all for the encouragement of said sheriffs in executing process: the said allowance having been made them from time to time.	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, p. 105.
	Instructions by same to Mr. Phill. Frowd, Governor of the Post Office, in reply to the latter's paper of proposals of May 12 last in regard namely to three items only thereof (1) a riding surveyor is hereby to be sent to view the roads of England to establish posts where there are none and to prevent the several abuses now committed and particularly to settle a post to Buckingham and Aylesbury. Give him instructions as to By letters, stage coaches, carriers etc. (2) One officer more is to be added to the Foreign [Letter] Office to take care of the rebates and to enter same in a book, the name, sum and date thereof "that the Return man may go to each merchant's house and examine whether the rebates so entered were really made or no." (3) The three porters or messengers are to have 11*s.* a week each instead of 8*s.* as at present in consideration they are not now permitted as hitherto to take in any letter on post nights after the gates are shut.	*Ibid.*
	Fiat by same for royal letters patent to constitute Thomas Wolstenholme customer of Bridgwater port: to wit, the post he held at the death of Charles II.	*Ibid*, p. 108.
July 14.	Henry Guy to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue as follows out of such moneys of the Customs,	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 50.

Date.	Nature and Substance of the Entry.	Reference.
1685.	Excise and Hearthmoney as are directed to be this week paid into the Exchequer, viz.:	

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Out of the Customs.			
to the Treasurer of the Navy [on the Navy's] weekly money ..	1,500	0	0
to ditto for sea officers and bills in course	400	0	0
to ditto for the Victuallers	1,000	0	0
to the Treasurer of the Ordnance ..	1,000	0	0
Out of the Excise.			
to me [Guy] for secret service on a warrant to be sent	1,907	10	0
to Philip Packer, Paymaster of the Works, for his Majesty's new buildings in the Privy Garden ..	1,500	0	0
to the Treasurer of the Chamber ..	1,717	10	0
to Mr. Graham for the Privy Purse	1,000	0	0
to Mr. Spencer on his privy seal ..	600	0	0
to Sir Robt. Vyner	1,000	0	0
Out of the Hearthmoney.			
to me [Guy] for secret service by [way of] advance	750	0	0
to Mr. Seagar	75	0	0
Out of the Post Office.			
to Mr. Burton	500	0	0

(Same dated same to the Customs Cashier, forwarding the paper of the disposition of the Customs money for the present week; said paper including the abovesaid four Customs items [payable out of the Exchequer] together with the following item [payable direct out of the Customs Office on tallies] viz. 2,000*l.* to Richard Kent and Charles Duncombe in part of their debt. Total disposition of the Customs, 5,900*l.*) (Same undated [to the Commissioners of Excise and Hearthmoney] forwarding similar papers of disposition for the Excise and Hearthmoney for the present week: said paper for the Excise including the above five Excise items [payable out of the Exchequer] together with the following items [payable direct out of the Excise Office on tallies] viz. 1,500*l.* to the Prince of Denmark; 1,000*l.* to Mr. Toll in repayment of part of his debt; 1,604*l.* to the inferior officers on the last June 24 quarter's salary bill [of the Excise Office]. Total disposition of the Excise, 11,829*l.* and similarly for the Hearthmoney disposition: the paper including the above two Hearthmoney items [payable out of the Exchequer] together with the following items [payable direct out of the Hearthmoney Office on tallies] viz., 1,500*l.* to Mr. Duncomb in further part of 22,000*l.* lent on the Hearthmoney rent payable Lady day last; 542*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.* on the last June 24 quarter's salary bill of the Hearthmoney Office. Total disposition of the Hearthmoney, 2,871*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.*)

July 14. Henry Guy to Mr. Griffin [Treasurer of the Chamber] to pay as follows the above 1,717*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.*, viz. 1,387*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.* to the Yeomen of the Guard and 330*l.* to the huntsmen. — *Disposition Book* IV, p. 51.

Three royal sign manuals for respectively 1,907*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.*, 750*l.* and 183*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.* to Henry Guy, for secret service, without account: to be issued on the 10,000*l.* dormant privy seal of June 30 last. (Three money warrants dated July 15 and 16 hereon. Three money orders dated July 16 hereon.) — *King's Warrant Book* X, p. 162. *Money Book* VI, p. 101. *Order Book* 1, pp. 39, 41.

Date.	Nature and Substance of the Entry.	Reference.
1685. July 14.	Allowance by Treasurer Rochester of the last June 24 quarter's salary bill of the Excise (total, 4,759*l.* the details being *ut supra*, pp. 131–2).	*Money Book* VI, p. 99.
	Same by same of the same quarter's salary bill detailed of the Hearthmoney Office (total, 542*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.*).	*Ibid*, p. 100.
	Warrant by same to the Customs Commissioners to pay same quarter's salary bill of the outports (total, 4,590*l.* 14*s.* 2*d.* for established salaries and 572*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.* for additional salaries).	*Ibid.*
	Separate money orders for 300*l.* to the Earl of Peterborough for last June 24 quarter as Groom of the Stole. 150*l.* to the Duke of Beaufort for same quarter as a Gentleman of the Bedchamber. (Same dated July 20 for the Earl of Ossory as same.) (Same dated July 27 for the Earl of Arran.) (Same dated Aug. 5 for John, Lord Churchill.) (Same dated Aug. 12 for the Earl of Feversham.) (Same dated Aug. 26 for the Earl of Mulgrave.) (Same dated Sept. 30 for Charles, Duke of Somerset.)	*Order Book* I, pp. 37, 38, 41, 43, 45, 46, 52.
	Henry Guy to the Commissioners of Excise and Hearthmoney for a draft of the instructions concerning the Hearthmoney you think proper to be given to the Judges who go the circuits.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 103.
	Same to the Customs Commissioners enclosing the Attorney General's opinion [missing] touching the weekly payment of the duty arising by French linens. You are to order the outports officers to keep separate accounts of the proceed thereof and to return same weekly to the Receiver General in order to the payment thereof into the Exchequer.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Ralph Grey. Treasurer Rochester has given order to the King's Trustees to take their course at law against you.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Navy Commissioners. In answer to yours of to-day Treasurer Rochester has already paid to the Navy Treasurer 3,000*l.* in part of the 29,745*l.* therein mentioned; and would have you proceed to make such contracts within that sum as you think best. He will provide the money as you shall send to him for it.	*Ibid.*
July 15.	Money orders for 20*l.* each to John Lowe and Peter Le Neve, Chamberlains of the Receipt, for 1685, Easter and Trinity terms, for their additional increase of fee for sorting and ordering records in the Treasury [of the Receipt] at Westminster.	*Order Book* I, p. 38.
	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners to employ Henry Wilkinson (one of the landwaiters in Stockton port) as surveyor *ibid. loco* Michael Hardcastle, who has relinquished same. Richard Sheldon as surveyor, waiter and searcher at York *loco* Rob. Sanderson, lately dismissed. James Lyell to be established as surveyor to examine the sufficiency of securities for the new additional Customs and to attend at the waterside at 80*l.* *per an.* salary.	*Out Letters* (*Customs*) X, pp. 37, 38.

Date.	Nature and Substance of the Entry.	Reference.
1685.		
	Henry Wolstenholme to be established as assistant for said new duties to Mr. Wicks, the Receiver of the Plantation duty ; at 50*l. per an.* salary. Tho. Andrews to be established as assistant for said new duties to Mr. Davies, the examiner and computor ; at 50*l. per an.* salary. Robert Jackson as a waiter and searcher in Newcastle port *loco* Henry Wilkinson, who is to be surveyor of Stockton. John Jacob as a boatman at Rye *loco* Rd. Lylburne, who has descrted same. William Duke as a landwaiter, Weymouth port *loco* Cha. Cogan, removed to be a landwaiter at Poole.	
July 15.	Henry Guy to the Customs Commissioners to permit the ship *William*, bound for Jamaica, John Bennett master, to proceed in her voyage with the following passengers, provided she produce a pass from the Earl of Sunderland. *Appending :* list of said passengers. Simon Musgrave and Rachel his wife, Gertrude Potts, Margaret Richards, John Richards, Edmond Robinson. *To be sold :* Thom. Hart, Dowry Noutes, John Bankes, Geo. Renhall, Joseph Jones, Sam. Bucknall, Robt. Rea, John Lismore, John Elmes, Dan. Rowland, Christo. Healths, Charles Biggs, John Houley, Ann Stevenson, Sarah Pile, William Webb, Robt. Longstraw, Mar. Parke, Joane Alderston. *Free passengers :* Hum. Turkey, Will. Stamper, Evans Player, James Bucknell, Geo. Fletcher, Anth. Teshmaker, Edw. Aylmer, Sam. Clerke, Will. Philips, Mary Philips, Geo. Philips, James Blaire, Fran. Blaire, Henr. Macheury, John Smitt. *Other servants to be sold not belonging to S.M.* [? abovesaid Simon Musgrave]. Leonard Hagg, Thom. Dowson, Edw. Laurenee, Will. Thickins, Will. Morton, Andrew Dowson, John Whiting, Sizera Elwood, Archibald Noble, John Martin, Peter Withers, Will. Weeke, Joseph Dyer, Will. Hawkes, Aver. Ellis, Will. Bottom, Henry Willson.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, pp. 103, 104-5.
	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to Auditor Aldworth of the account of interest due to Col. Friend and partners. *Prefixing :* abstract of said account as certified by Sa. Story for Elias Ashmole, Comptroller of the Excise : same shewing a principal of 22,000*l.* due to them 1684, Dec. 15, as the remainder of 30,000*l.* by them lent to the late King 1683, June 15 : on which said 22,000*l.* there has been repaid 12,000*l.* to them since 1684, Dec. 15 : total interest due from said date to June 15 last, 525*l.* 15*s.* 7½*d.*	*Reference Book* III, p. 144.
July 16.	Same by same to Mr. Fillingham, Mr. Hall and Mr. Lowndes of the petition of Hanah Billingsly shewing that her husband John Billingsly was one of the partners of John Wadlow in the contract as to collecting the first Wine Act money under Charles II and paid all he owed on that account to Wadlow, who was their Treasurer, but he [Wadlow] afterwards defrauded the King of part of the said moneys whereupon process issued against her husband with the rest of said partners : therefore prays his discharge as some of the others have been discharged, and petitioner being poor with four " fatherless " children.	*Ibid*, p. 139.

Date.	Nature and Substance of the Entry.	Reference.
1685. July 16.	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to William Harbord, Surveyor General of Crown Lands, of the petition of Thomas Leigh of Ridghall, co. Chester, for a fresh lease of several cottages and other small encroachments on the waste within the Hundred of Broxton and elsewhere, co. Chester, as granted by a sign manual dated 1663, April 14, to William Ross for the separate maintenance of Mary, petitioner's grandmother, who after the death of [her husband, petitioner's] grandfather, John Leigh, did marry William Greenville: the said Ross having subsequently unfaithfully run away with the said lease and died in Scotland which rendered his said grandmother ever since incapable of receiving the benefit of said grant and she has assigned all her interest to petitioner.	*Reference Book* III, p. 139.
	Henry Guy to Mr. Lytcot. Your patent as Comptroller [of the accounts of the Customs] must be renewed with additional clauses for the new duty.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 103.
	Same to Mr. Graham and Mr. Burton to report on the petition and case [missing] of Edward Barrell concerning the estate of John Rivans, a *felo-de-se*.	*Ibid.*
	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to the Master, Wardens and Assistants of Trinity House of Deptford Stroud, and to the Navy Commissioners of the proposals of Peter Carew as by a reference from the King of the 4th inst. *Prefixing:* paper of said proposals: shewing that "after your Majesty's royal father [*sic*] had caused the Woodmongers' charter to be dissolved about 12 years ago by reason of their extortions in combining to raise the price of coals, some other persons driving the coal trade do daily practice the same thing; and it being free by law for every one to sell coals many of other trades do sell the same oppressing the poor by many frauds, one under another, whereby they [the poor] are much wronged in their measures and the high prices [the traders] do continually combine to have them sold for per chalder": that having considered the measures at Newcastle, at the Pool in the river of Thames, at the wharves and as retailed to the poor respectively I am able to make out that if said trade were managed by Commissioners the King would gain near 50,000*l. per an.* "and the Commissioners be limited not to raise the price above 22*s.* per chalder just measure at any time of the year." I have considered what number of ships your Majesty may need to build or buy for this use and have conferred with people who will provide same and be reimbursed out of the profits [provided] that they may have timber out of the [royal] forests to build such ships and [protection] to take up ballast in the river etc. without molestation of the patentees. Such ships may on occasion be serviceable as fireships and will provide 3,000 sailors in readiness on all occasions. Therefore prays a reference hereof to persons expert in navigation etc.	*Reference Book* III, p. 141.
	Same by same to Richard Graham and Philip Burton of the petition of William Justice late Receiver of the fines and forfeitures of Popish Recusants in the North and East Ridings, co. Yorks, praying for allowance of his extraordinary charges therein, his accounts being ready to be passed.	*Ibid*, p. 142.

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1685. July 16.	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to the Commissioners of Excise and Hearthmoney of the petition of Tho. Langhorne, nephew to Richard Langhorne and clerk to him at the time of his commitment, whereby petitioner lost his employment: having four children, prays a collector's place in the Excise.	*Reference Book* III, p. 142.
	Same by same to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of Andrew Blanque, an Italian, shewing that being bound for Hamburg he arrived here from Genoa in the *Angell* of London, Richard Anderson commander; that he had entrusted to him 20 doz. of gloves as a present from the Resident of the Grand Duke of Tuscany, now at Hamburg, to Monsieur Tezere, Resident of the King of Sweden at Hamburg: said goods have been seized: prays delivery of them.	*Ibid.*
	Same by same to the Surveyor General of Crown Lands of the petition of John Arundell for extension of his lease of a small parcel of the manor of Kennington called the Princes Meadows, in consideration of his charges in defending the Crown's interest in the premises, which [charges] cost him near 700*l.*	*Ibid*, p. 143.
July 17.	Henry Guy to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue as follows: *l. s. d.* to me [Guy] for secret service: out of the Letter Office money .. .. 183 10 0 to Edward Griffin, Treasurer of the Chamber, out of same .. .. .. 109 10 0 to me [Guy] in part of an order for 1,000*l.* [for secret service]: out of the revenue of the Duchy of Cornwall .. .. 100 0 0 to Philip Rycaut 36*l.* 15*s.* 8*d.* out of same, and 135*l.* 14*s.* 1*d.* out of arrears of Hearthmoney and 3*l.* 9*s.* 9*d.* out of any disposable money in the Exchequer .. .. 175 19 6 £568 19 6 (Same dated same to said Griffin to pay the abovesaid 109*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.* to Benj. Coling and John Whinyard, yeoman ushers of the House of Peers, for one year's charges.)	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 51.
	Same to Wilfrid Trewman and William Baines. Treasurer Rochester does not think fit to grant your request for a commission to enquire after concealed lands etc. in Hull and the East Riding. But if upon your own inquiry you can discover such he will reward you.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 104.
	Same to Mr. Harbord and Sir Christopher Wren to see the proof of Mris. Frances Ellis's title, viz. the lease alleged by Mr. Fanshaw to be from the late Earl of St. Albans to her late husband in 1670.	*Ibid.*
July 18.	Same to the Customs Commissioners to deliver the following to the Earl of Peterborough on payment of Customs: viz. a trunk, a case of pictures and a small box of medals and agates on board the *Phenix*, Stephen Warrener master, from Bruges.	*Ibid.*

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1685. July 20.	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of Antho. Meeke for an additional searcher's place, London port, for the new impositions.	*Reference Book* III, p. 143.
	Warrant by same to the Clerk of the Pipe for a fresh grant to Stephen Godfrey of the offices of bailiff and collector of the liberty of the late monastery of St. Mary near the Walls of the city of York and of the manor of Whitgift and Armin, co. Yorks, with the respective fees of 4*l.* and 45*s. per an.*, his former grant thereof dated 1663–4, Feb. 27, having become void by the death of Charles II.	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, p. 106.
	Same by same to same for a lease to John Tooker of (1) the parcel of land in Ryme, co. Dorset, called Pounds Barton, containing one acre, in which the capital messuage of the manor of Ryme once stood ; together with the tenement or cottage now erected thereon and in the occupation of Joseph Warren, being parcel of the Duchy of Cornwall : as demised to John Warren 1628, June 16, for 99 years terminable on the lives of said Warren, Margaret his wife and John his son at a rent of 20*d. per an.* and fine of 6*l.* : (2) a tenement or cottage and the orchard, garden and backside thereto lying in Ryme as demised to Joan Clyde, widow, for 99 years terminable on the lives of said Joan, John Williams of Evill [Yeovil] co. Dorset, and George Williams, his son, at a rent of 12*d. per an.* and fine of 5*l.* The present lease is to be for 99 years from Lady day last terminable on three lives under the old rents and at a fine of 5*l.* *Prefixing :* two particulars of the premises and ratals dated July 15 thereof by the Surveyor General of Crown Lands. George Williams's life in the second parcel is first to be surrendered.	*Ibid*, pp. 107–9.
	Money warrant for 164*l.* 5*s.* 0*d.* to William Shaw as assignee of Treasurer Rochester for 1½ years to June 24 last on said Lord Treasurer's fee of 6*s.* a day as Keeper of his Majesty's New Park, near Richmond.	*Money Book* VI, p. 102.
	Same for 8,000*l.* to Sir Stephen Fox as in part of 16,000*l.* to him for secret service as by the privy seal of July 15 inst. (Money order dated July 21 hereon.)	*Ibid*, p. 102. *Order Book* I, p. 39.
	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Receipt to take from Charles Bertie three tallies of pro struck 1684, May 27, for respectively 1,000*l.*, 500*l.* and 500*l.* to Edward Noell, levied on the Hearthmoney farm rent for the half year ended 1684, Sept. 29 (which tallies remain unsatisfied in said Bertie's hands) and to vacate same and in lieu thereof to levy the like tallies in the name of said Noell on the half year's Hearthmoney revenue due Sept. 29 next.	*Money Book* VI, p. 102.
	Money warrant for 250*l.* to Sir Hugh Tint for last June 24 quarter on his annuity or pension. (Money order dated July 21 hereon.)	*Ibid*, p. 103. *Order Book* I, p. 39.
	Same for 200*l.* to Katherine Gunter for one year to 1683, Sept. 29, on her same.	*Money Book* VI, p. 103.
	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners to pay Charles Segar, one of the	*Out Letters* (*Customs*) X, p. 39.

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1685.	patent landwaiters, Bristol port, 10*l.* *per an.* additional salary to make him equal with the rest of the landwaiters there. The like for Thomas Alcock as a same *ibid.* The like for Capt. Furlong as a same *ibid.* William Hely to be employed as Register of Certificates in the isle of Jersey *loco* Laurence Cole, who was lately removed thence to be surveyor at Poole: as by the order in Council of June 14 last.	
July 20.	Henry Guy to the Customs Commissioners to put on board the *Fubbs* yacht, unopened, the goods bought by bearer, Mr. Maximilian van Namen, and belonging to Monsieur Bentinck.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 105.
	Same to Mr. Graham. Col. Whitley desires leave of absence to go to Tunbridge to drink the waters. Can he be spared without hindrance to the making up of his accounts of the Post Office? (The like letter to Auditor Done.)	*Ibid.*
	Same to Viset. Falkland [Treasurer of the Navy]. The Auditor of the Receipt has delivered you an imprest account to 1683, Dec. 31. Take care of the speedy passing of your accounts to that time. The like notice to Viset. Brouncker for his account to 1684, Sept. 30 [as Cofferer of the Household]. The like to Lord Montagu for his account to 1684, Michaelmas [as Master of the Great Wardrobe]. The like to Mr. Bertie for his account to 1684, June 30 [as Treasurer of the Ordnance]. The like to Sir William Stapleton for the sum of 13,965*l.* 2*s.* 4*d.* imprested to him for the pay of two Companies of Foot in the Leeward Islands. The like to John Baynes for the sum of 2,915*l.* 1*s.* 2*d.* imprested to his father, Commissary John Baines, towards the arrears of the late Regiment of Sir Tobias Bridges, deceased. The like to Sir Dennis Gauden for the sum of 18,218*l.* imprested to him to 1672, Dec. 31, as Victualler General of the Navy; and the 1,282*l.* 14*s.* 11½*d.* imprested to him 1675, Dec. 31, as Surveyor General of his Majesty's marine victuals. The like to Mr. Sidney for his account up to the death of Charles II [as Master of the Robes]. The like to [Edward Griffin,] the Treasurer of the Chamber, for his account to 1679, Sept. 29. The like to Mr. Fox for his account up to 1683, Dec. 31 [as Paymaster of the Forces]. The like to the Mint Commissioners for their account to 1682, Nov. 22. The like to Baptist May for his account of the Healing gold up to the death of Charles II. The like to Mr. Packer for his account up to 1680, Mar. 31 [as Paymaster of the Works]. The like to Mr. Griffith for his account up to 1684, Dec. 10 [for the Stables]. The like to Mr. Hewer for his account to 1684, Mar. 31 [as Treasurer of Tangier garrison]. The like to Mr. Knight for his account of goods and wares bought [for the Great Wardrobe]. The like to Mr. Burton for his account to 1685, April 4 [of Crown law costs]. The like to Mr. Laurence for his account to 1684, April 28 [as Surveyor of the King's private ways].	*Ibid*, pp. 105, 106, 107.

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1685.	The like to Mr. Roberts for his account to 1680, June 12 [as Receiver of the Honor of Windsor].	
July 20.	Henry Guy to the Attorney General repeating the letter of Mar. 16 last *supra*, p. 52, concerning the Duchess of Cleveland's 4,700*l. per an.* in which matter the Duchess's counsel now say they will attend you. You are to despatch said settlement.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 108.
July 21.	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the King's Remembrancer etc. for stay of process against sundry Recusants mentioned in the enclosed schedules [missing] and against their goods etc. and the lessees of the two-thirds part of their lands; and for all moneys levied there to be restored which have not been answered to the King; and for the discharge of the respective sheriffs who have charged themselves therewith.	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, p. 107.
	For Treasurer Rochester's order for interest on Robert Woolley's order *see supra*, p. 189.	*Money Book* VI, p. 63.
	Henry Guy to the Attorney General. Send Mr. Agar the affidavits concerning trees felled in Braywood in Windsor Forest.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 108.
	Same to Mr. Blathwayte. Send the Lord Treasurer an account what instructions are followed by the Commissaries of Musters in mustering the Forces.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Rawleigh Radford. On your submitting yourself to Sir Nicholas Butler you will be restored as a tidesurveyor, London port.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Lord Dartmouth [Master of the Ordnance]. On June 22 last Sir Rob. Holmes received 300*l.* from the collector of Cowes port for his Majesty's service in the Isle of Wight. Said money was so delivered without any regular order for the payment of it. It is necessary that Holmes be charged therewith and render an account thereof. You are to order a bill of imprest to be made forth by the officers of the Ordnance for said 300*l.* to Holmes on account for fortifications and other services in said island. On his endorsing the said bill, as a receipt, the receipt which he gave to the collector, and which is in the hands of the Secretary to the Treasury, shall be delivered up to him. Care will be taken that the Treasurer of the Ordnance shall be charged with the like sum in the Exchequer.	*Ibid.*
[?]	Unfinished entry crossed through [doubtless because transferred to the now missing Irish Letter Book] of a letter from ? Treasurer Rochester to the Primate of Ireland. "Your Grace's of the 14th inst. came to my hands by the last packet which acknowledged the receipt of three of his Majesty's letters, particularly that concerning the 22,000*l.* to be returned hither out of Ireland." . . .	*Ibid*, p. 109.
July 21.	Henry Guy to Mr. Pepys for an account what is due in the Navy for smart money and to seamen that are wounded, and such as have lost limbs, and to the widows and children of those that are killed.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Attorney General to report on the paper presented to the Lord Treasurer by the Commissioners of Excise and Hearthmoney about	*Ibid.*

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1685.	the collecting the Hearthmoney. It is to be recommended to the Judges now going the circuit to give it in charge to the respective Justices of the Peace in the several counties for satisfying the objections made against levying the said duty.	
July 21.	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners to deliver, Customs free, to Don Pedro de Ronquillo, Ambassador Extraordinary from Spain, the pictures and wine as follows. *Appending :* memorandum of said things come in the *Joseph* from Bilboa, Jonathan Stoodligh commander, which said things have all been in use [by said ambassador]. cases 1 and 2, containing two scriptoriums. case 3, containing coat of arms and a crucifix. case 4, containing some pictures. cases 5, 6, 7, containing some pictures and effigies.	*Out Letters* (*Customs*) X, p. 40.
	Henry Guy to Visct. Falkland to pay out of any moneys now in your hands [as Treasurer of the Navy] the 45*l.* 12*s.* 0*d.* for the charge of the transportation from Gravesend to Brentford of the tents and baggage of the three Scotch Regiments, which came lately from Holland.	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 51.
	Same to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue as follows out of such moneys of the Customs, Excise, Letter Office and Hearthmoney as are directed to be this week paid into the Receipt, viz. :	*Ibid*, pp. 52, 53.

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Out of the Customs.			
to the Treasurer of the Navy for stores to be provided within a year	2,000	0	0
to ditto for officers and bills in course	400	0	0
to ditto for the Victuallers	1,200	0	0
to ditto for carriage of timber in New Forest to Portsmouth ..	300	0	0
to Mr. Kent and Mr. Duncombe for interest	3,164	6	6
to the Treasurer of the Ordnance in part of 1,500*l.*	794	16	9
	£7,859	3	3
Out of Hearthmoney.			
to the 12 Judges	3,000	0	0
to the Masters in Chancery in part of 275*l.*	238	10	0
	£3,238	10	0
Out of the Letter Office.			
to the Masters in Chancery in full of 275*l.*	36	10	0
to the Welsh Judges	175	0	0
to the Attorney General	40	13	4
to the Solicitor General	35	0	0
to Sir Richard May	7	10	0
to me (Guy) for secret service ..	500	0	0
to the Treasurer of the Ordnance in full of 1,500*l.*	705	0	0
[*sic*]	£1,499	16	7

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1685.	*Out of the Excise.* — *l.* *s.* *d.* to the Duchess of Portsmouth in part of two quarters to June 24 last .. .. 2,000 0 0 to Mris. Ellen Gwyn by [way of] advance .. .. 500 0 0 to Mr. Toll for interest .. .. .. 1,377 2 4 to [the two] Mr. Hornbys for interest .. .. 949 5 8 to Sir Christopher Wren in the name of Mr. Roberts for Windsor Works by [way of] advance .. 500 0 0 to Sir Ste. Fox for the Earl of Sussex by [way of] advance .. 300 0 0 to the Duke of St. Albans .. .. 375 0 0 to the Treasurer of the Navy for Mr Pearce for sick and wounded 400 0 0 *Out of the loans on the late [new linen duty] Act.* to Charles Fox, Paymaster of the Forces .. .. 12,000 0 0 (Total direction, 30,998*l.* 17*s.* 10*d.*) (Same dated July 24 to the Customs Cashier, forwarding the paper of the disposition of the Customs cash for the present week; said paper including the above five Customs items [payable out of the Exchequer] together with the following item [payable directly out of the Customs Office on tallies] viz. 3,164*l.* 6*s.* 6*d.* to Richard Kent and Charles Duncombe for interest. Total disposition of the Customs, 7, 859*l.* 3*s.* 3*d.*) (Same dated July 24 to the Commissioners of Excise and Hearthmoney, enclosing the similar disposition papers for the Excise and Hearthmoney: the Hearthmoney items being as above and the Excise items being the above eight items [payable out of the Exchequer] together with the following items [payable direct out of the Excise Office on tallies] viz. 3,155*l.* for the remainder of the last Lady day quarter's salary bill to the Excise officers: 2,000*l.* to the Queen Dowager in part of [last] June 24 quarter [on her annuity]. Total disposition of the Excise and Hearthmoney, 14,794*l.* 18*s.* 0*d.*)	
July 21.	Henry Guy to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue to me [Guy], for secret service 45*l.* 8*s.* 4*d.* out of the Hearthmoney [arrears] for co. Bucks for the years 1662 and 1663, payable by William Gilmore, gent.	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 52.
	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Receipt to issue 115*l.* 11*s.* 8*d.* to Edward Griffin on any unsatisfied orders in his name as Treasurer of the Chamber: to be by him paid over to Philip Burton for 9½ years to 1682, Lady day, on his fee of 12*l.* 3*s.* 4*d.* *per an.* as late keeper of Chappel Henholt Walk in Waltham Forest: to be satisfied by tallies on William Gilmore, gent., husband to Anne, daughter of Thomas Harborne, gent., who, as Receiver of arrears of Hearthmoney for co. Bucks, was returned in *super* for over 600*l.* by Sir Robert Gayer, sheriff of said county for 1662 and 1663.	*Money Book* VI, p. 103.
	Money warrant for 949*l.* 5*s.* 8*d.* to Joseph and Nathaniel Hornby for 6 *per cent.* interest to June 24 last on several sums by them lent for the service of the late King; as by an account thereof stated	*Ibid*, p. 103. *Order Book* I, p. 39.

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1685.	by Auditor Aldworth and allowed by the Lord Treasurer July 20 inst. (Money order dated July 22 hereon.)	
July 21.	Constitution and appointment by Treasurer Rochester of Alderman Charles Duncomb, of London, goldsmith, to receive from Capt. George St. Lo, commander of his Majesty's ship *Dartmouth*, 14 chests containing 166,308 crusadoes, 295 ries Portugal money, which were received by Charles Fanshaw, Envoy Extraordinary in Portugal, on account of the Queen Dowager's portion. Duncombe is to bring same to London and deliver it by weight and tale to the Mint Commissioners to be coined into English money for his Majesty's use.	*Money Book* VI, p. 103*b*.
	Money warrant for 364*l*. to Henry, Earl of Clarendon, for last June 24 quarter on his allowance of 4*l*. a day in lieu of diet as Lord Privy Seal. (Money order dated July 24 hereon.)	*Ibid*, p. 103*b*. *Order Book* I, p. 40.
	Same for 375*l*. to George, Marquess of Halifax, for same quarter on his allowance of 1,000*l*. *per an.* in lieu of diet as Lord President of the Privy Council and on his allowance of 500*l*. *per an.* as of royal bounty. (Money order dated July 27 hereon.)	*Money Book* VI, p. 104. *Order Book* I, p. 41.
	Same for 81*l*. 6*s*. 8*d*. to Sir Robert Sawyer, kt., for one year to June 24 last on his fee as Attorney General. 70*l*. to Heneage Finch for same on same as Solicitor General.	*Money Book* VI, p. 104.
	Same for 1,377*l*. 2*s*. 4*d*. to Charles Toll for interest to July 1 last on several sums by him lent for the service of the late King; as by an account thereof stated by Auditor Aldworth and allowed the 20th inst. by Treasurer Rochester. (Money order dated July 24 hereon.)	*Ibid*, p. 105. *Order Book* I, p. 39.
July 23.	Dormant privy seal for 10,000*l*. to be paid in such proportions, to such persons and for such uses and services as the King shall from time to time direct by warrant under his royal sign manual. (Royal warrant dated July 15 for said privy seal.)	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 163.
July 25.	Royal sign manual for 5,644*l*. 19*s*. 0*d*. to Henry Guy, for secret service, without account: to be issued on the 10,000*l*. dormant privy seal of the 23rd inst. (Money warrant dated July 25 hereon. Money order dated July 25 hereon.)	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 164. *Money Book* VI, p. 105. *Order Book* p. I, 40.
	Royal warrant to the Attorney General for a great seal for a grant as follows for the Queen Consort for the increase of her jointure and for the present support of her state and dignity: said grant to be to trustees, viz. Laurence, Earl of Rochester, Henry, Earl of Peterborough, Sidney, Lord Godolphin, Robert Werden and Sir Edward Herbert, kt., the said Queen's Attorney General: is to be for the said Queen's life and is to comprise "the immediate possession of all the manors, lands, tenements and hereditaments [? belonging to the Crown and as per schedule] lying and being in the several and respective counties of Wilts, Gloucester, Oxford, Northampton, York, Lincoln, Huntingdon, Cambridge, Surrey and Isle of Ely and every or any of them; and of the yearly sum of 9,328*l*. 13*s*. 7*d*.	*King's Warrant Book* X, pp. 164–5. *Warrants Early* XXXIII, pp. 14*a*–*b*.

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1685.	payable out of the profits of the Post Office; and also of the yearly sum of 8,000*l.* issuing out of part of our revenue of Excise which were formerly by us (when Duke of York) settled upon our said dearest Consort for her jointure; and also of the further yearly sum of 10,000*l.* to be paid out of the Hereditary Excise arising in the counties of Beds, Berks, Bucks, Herts, Essex, Kent, Norfolk, Suffolk, Cambridge, Yorks and Somerset, excepting the city of Bristol; and 10,000*l.* [*per an.*] more out of the profits of the Post Office": all the said payments to be made quarterly from Lady day last with preference to [before] all others and by the immediate hands of the respective Commissioners, Receivers, Farmers or Collectors of the said revenues before the same be paid into the Exchequer: and if the said revenues of Excise or Post Office be paid into the Exchequer before payment of the above sums charged thereon then what is due thereon as above is hereby to be paid out of any treasure in the Exchequer and without [office] fees or allowances in respect thereof: with power to said trustees to make leases etc. for 21 years or three lives at the present rents (or more) if in lease or a fourth part (or more) of the rent or value if not now in lease: also for a grant to said trustees for the life of said Queen of the manor of East Greenwich, co. Kent, and all that mansion house called Greenwich House and the parks called Greenwich Parks and other lands, tenements and hereditaments thereto belonging; and also all the manor of Eye, co. Suffolk, and all other the manors, lands, tenements and hereditaments in cos. Norfolk, Suffolk, Lincoln, Lancs, Cumberland, Chester, Sussex, Northampton and Essex which by patent of 1678–9, Mar. 18, were granted to Peregrine Bertie, Charles Bertie and Charles Osborne in trust [for the Earl of Plymouth] which grant they have lately surrendered: with power of making leases etc. in the above: and with "directions to the trustees of our dearest sister Katherine, the Queen Dowager after her death to stand possessed thereof or transfer their trust and interest therein (subject to such leases as shall be made pursuant to their powers in that behalf) for the benefit of our dearest Consort during her life" and thereafter for the King and his successors etc.	
July 25.	Royal warrant to the Clerk of the Signet for a privy seal for payment to be made to Thomas Corbyn of the 375*l.* arrear due to him up to 1684, Christmas, on the salary of 50*l.* *per an.* as Surveyor of Woods Trent North (which office was granted to him in 1660 for life with said salary as payable out of the Crown revenues in co. Yorks, and when same became no longer so payable by reason of the sale of fee farms it was by a privy seal of 27 Car. II made payable out of the Exchequer, whereupon it has so been paid up to 1677, Lady day, with 12*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.* in part of the succeeding half year): the payment of said arrears on the above privy seal being obstructed by the late King's death. His growing salary is hereby also to be paid from Christmas last.	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 166.
	Royal sign manual for 500*l.* to Henry Guy, for secret service, without account: to be issued on the 10,000*l.* dormant privy seal of June 30 last. (Money	*Ibid*, p. 167. *Money Book* VI, p. 105. *Order Book* I, p. 41.

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1685.	warrant dated July 27 hereon. Money order dated July 28 hereon.)	
July 25.	Royal warrant to the Clerk of the Signet for a privy seal for the payment to Robert Swan, gent., from 1684, Christmas, of the pension of 80*l.* *per an.* granted to him by privy seal dated 1668, Oct. 22, for being instrumental in the escape of Charles II from Worcester fight; the said annuity being granted only during pleasure and having thereby become void by the late King's death. The payment due at June 24 last is hereby to be presently made.	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 167.
	Same to the Attorney or Solicitor General for a great seal for a grant to Thomas Aram of the office of Solicitor of Excise (Solicitor for the prosecution and defence of all causes before the Excise Commissioners and Commissioners of Appeals) with the salary of 200*l.* *per an.* payable as from Christmas last: his patent dated 1679, July 31, of said office, being during pleasure, having become void by the late King's death.	*Ibid*, p. 178.
	Henry Guy to the Auditor of the Receipt. The 500*l.* formerly advanced to the Mint Commissioners for Healing Medals is to be regularly discharged at the Exchequer by making issues thereof to Mr. Graham, Keeper of the Privy Purse, on his order of the 9th inst.	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 53.
	Same to same to issue to the Navy Treasurer 2,260*l.* out of the loans on the duty on French linens etc.: same to be for the charge of transporting back to Holland from the Thames the six Regiments of (Scotch) soldiers lately come from hence, with the women and baggage belonging to them. (Same dated same to Visct. Falkland, the Navy Treasurer, to so apply said sum.)	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Frowd [Governor of the Post Office] to pay to Richard Allibone and Richard Graham the 500*l.* *per an.* granted out of the Post Office to Sir Sam Morland, same being vested in them by mesne assignment and having been usually paid them by the Receiver General of the Post Office. *Prefixing:* petition of said Allibone and Graham for same.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue to the Earl of Arran 150*l.* out of the loans on Hearth-money.	*Ibid*, p. 54.
	Same to the Navy Commissioners. In reply to yours of the 22nd inst. to Visct. Falkland desiring a further supply of 29,745*l.* for carrying on the ordinary and extraordinary repairs of the Navy the Lord Treasurer has (since the 3,000*l.* mentioned in my former letter to you) directed 2,000*l.* to the Navy Treasurer in further part of said 29,745*l.* When you send for any more money on that head you are to mention the [particular] sum that you desire to have.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 109.
	Same to Mr. Darcy and partners to forthwith furnish the following: *Appending:* letter dated July 21 from the Earl of Arlington, Lord Chamberlain, to the Lord Treasurer.	*Ibid.*

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1685.	There is wanting for the Queen's service at Windsor Castle a down bed with a fine blanket lined with white satin, a quilt covered with white satin, and the bolster there covered with satin; four Portugal mats, two large ones (one for the Eating Room, one for the Queen's Withdrawing Room) and two lesser ones for her Majesty's little bedchamber and dressing room. They are to be delivered to Thomas Hall, Keeper of his Majesty's Standing Wardrobe at Windsor.	
July 25.	Henry Guy to Sir Boucher Wray. Who is to have the 100*l.* for taking Richd. Goodenough?	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 110.
	Same to the Auditors of Imprests, enclosing copy [missing] of the minutes of the late Treasury Lords concerning the arrears of the Law duty.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Customs Commissioners, enclosing the draft [missing] of instructions prepared by you some time since for the Governor of Jamaica. You are to review, enlarge and return same as some other laws have been made and revived in Parliament since same were prepared.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Darcy *et al.* In yours of Mar. 14 last you informed Treasurer Rochester that not being accomptants of the money nor acquainted with the appointments or deceases of the late King's servants you could not present a particular account of them. If you [now] can make such an account do it out of hand.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Visct. Lumley. I am ordered to pay 5,000*l.* for the persons that took the late Duke of Monmouth. The money is ready.	*Ibid.*
	Treasurer Rochester to Lord Chief Justice Jones and Justice Charlton on the Norfolk Circuit. The Commissioners of Excise and Hearthmoney have presented me a paper containing several objections made by Justices of the Peace in several counties touching the receiving and levying of the Hearthmoney with the answers of said Commissioners thereto. They desire same to be communicated to the Justices of Assize to be by them mentioned in the respective charges at the assizes so that the Justices of Peace may take note thereof and the revenue be with less trouble collected for the future. The Attorney General conceives that the said answers are according to law and that it would be to his Majesty's service that the Judges in their several circuits either on the Bench or in their Chambers should call the Justices of Peace before them and acquaint them therewith. I enclose said paper and desire you to do as above within your circuit. (The like letter to Baron Gregory and Justice Levings for the Oxford Circuit and to Baron Atkins and Justice Sir Thomas Walcott for the Northern Circuit. The like dated July 27 to the Lord Chief Baron and Justice Holloway for the Midland Circuit and to Lord Jeffryes and Justice Streete for the Home Circuit. The like dated Aug. 7 to Sir Edwd. Herbert and Jno. Warren for Denbigh, Flint, Chester and Montgomery; to Sergt. Wynn and Jno. Powell for Brecknock, Radnor and Glamorgan; to Sergt. Bugby and Sergt. Farrington for Pembroke, Carmarthen and Cardigan and to	*Ibid*, pp. 110, 111.

Date.	Nature and Substance of the Entry.	Reference.
1685.	Richard Hopton for Carnarvon, Anglesea and Merioneth.)	
July 27.	Henry Guy to Mr. Darcy *et al.* to pay 6*l.* to Mr. Gregory King for three books furnished by him containing the Ceremonial of their Majesties' Coronation.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 111.
	Same to Sir Richd. Middleton, bart., at Chirk Castle in Denbigh. Sir William Neale solicits the Lord Treasurer, and stays in town for a grant of the lands he has discovered in or near the Lordship of Denbigh. Treasurer Rochester desires you to bring or send the grant which you say you have of those lands.	*Ibid*, p. 112.
	Same to Mr. Hall to examine the sufficiency of the securities proposed by William Thomas of St. Margarets, Westminster, for his office of Paymaster of the Band of Gentlemen Pensioners: said securities being himself, Edward Gresham and Jeremiah Thomas of London, goldsmith: total bond, 3,000*l.*	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Customs Commissioners to deliver to the Envoy Extraordinary from Portugal his goods which came in the *Cleveland* yacht: on payment of Custom. *Appending:* schedule of said goods (including a case of tapestry hangings, plate for the Sacristy and a trunk for a servant with the name of Tho. Bottell).	*Ibid.*
	Same to Sir Robert Holmes. In reply to yours of the 25th inst. concerning the 300*l.* which you received from the collector of Cowes port, Treasurer Rochester orders *ut supra*, p. 272. On your owning the receipt of the money by endorsement on the imprest bill I will deliver you the note you gave to the Collector: the Paymaster of the Ordnance will charge himself with the like sum in the Exchequer and the Exchequer officers will give the Customs Cashier a tally for the 300*l.* and thereupon the Customs Cashier will discharge the said Collector thereof upon his account, "which is the nearest way to despatch this matter regularly."	*Ibid*, p. 114.
	Same to the Navy Commissioners to order 200*l.* [per week] part of the 400*l.*, appointed to be paid weekly to the Navy, to be applied first of all to satisfy the 1,167*l.* 7*s.* 0*d.* due to Lord Colepeper and company for freight "in regard you have reported that you do not find any other ship but his (for which freight is due) to have been cast away."	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 51.
	Same to the Auditor of the Receipt to advance to Mr. Michaell Rowman, for the use of the Duchess of Portsmouth, the 2,000*l.* directed the 21st inst. to be issued to her. Care will be taken to pass the warrants for the regular issue of same so as to dischargo the Teller who advances it.	*Ibid*, p. 54.
	Same to Visct. Falkland, Navy Treasurer, to pay 96*l.* 10*s.* 6*d.* to Robert Mellish in satisfaction of a bill of exchange drawn on the Navy Commissioners by Cosmo Cossacci for stores delivered to the [Navy] officers.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Customs Cashier to pay Mr. Erlisman's salary of 380*l.* *per an.* as Consul at Algiers, viz. the three quarters due to June 24 last and from time to time quarterly in future.	*Ibid.*

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1685. July 27.	Henry Guy to Mr. Fox [Paymaster of the Forces] to forthwith return to Peter Shakerly, Governor of Chester, the 155*l.* 18*s.* 4*d.* which he disbursed for five days' provisions at sea for the 15 Companies of Foot transported to Ireland. *Appending:* account of said provisions, dated Chester July 15th inst.	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 54
	Same to the Auditor of the Receipt for the issue of the items of 346*l.* 8*s.* 9*d.* of Letter Office money, 300*l.* of Alienations money, and 36*l.* 9*s.* 7*d.* of Lord Churchill's loan (making altogether 682*l.* 18*s.* 4*d.*) as follows, viz.:	*Ibid*, p. 55.

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
to me [Guy] for secret service by [way of] advance	375	0	0
to Lord Lucas	125	0	0
to Philip Burton	167	18	4
to Mris. Ursula Elliott	15	0	0
	£682	18	4

	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of Richard Arthur for the place of Collector and Surveyor in Hythe port, void by the dismission of John Brewer.	*Reference Book* III, p. 143.
	Same by same to the Auditor of the Receipt and the Clerk of the Pells of the money order for 2,000*l.* for Mr. Ryves in repayment of loan etc. of which order said Ryves desires transcripts. The referees are to report whether the great seal and privy seal in question warrant such transcripts.	*Ibid*, p. 145.
	Money warrant for 167*l.* 18*s.* 4*d.* to Philip Burton for Crown law charges. (Money order dated July 28 hereon.)	*Money Book* VI, p. 106. *Order Book* I, p. 41.
	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to said Burton to pay out of the abovesaid sum 30*l.* to Sir Roger L'Estrange by him expended in sending for witnesses at the late trials of Titus Oates: and 137*l.* 18*s.* 4*d.* to Charles Hanses for the balance of his disbursements about said trial.	*Money Book* VI, p. 106.
	Same by same to the Customs Commissioners to admit the entry of wine and linens imported at Lyme by James Tucker, Jno. Burridge and Jno. Cogan and by Tho. Thomas, Benjamin Beer, Edward Keech and Thomas Pitts during the late rebellion there; considering the circumstances the merchants were under by the said rebellion; and on payment of the duties payable on the first arrival of the ships bringing same, being several days before the Acts for the new duties on wines and linens took place.	*Ibid*, p. 107.
	Money warrant for 125*l.* to Charles, Lord Lucas, for 1681, June 24 quarter, on his pension.	*Ibid*, p. 108.
July 28.	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to Sir Christopher Wren, Surveyor of the Works, of the bills [missing] given in by the workmen for work done in St. James's in 1685, amounting to 1,304*l.* 0*s.* 10*d.*	*Reference Book* III, p. 144.
	Same by same to the Surveyor General of Crown Lands of a survey made May 6 last by Francis Dickins, woodward of New Forest, Richard Warne and	*Ibid.*

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1685.	William Walton, regarders thereof, of the decays of the lodges and rails in said forest.	
July 28.	Henry Guy to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue to Treasurer Rochester (as in further part of 16,000*l.* granted to him out of the estate of the late Ford, Lord Grey) the 200*l.* which is paid into the Exchequer by Mr. Graham *et al.* out of the profits of said estate.	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 55.
	Same to same to issue as follows out of such money of the Customs, Hearthmoney, Post Office and Excise [as is directed to be this week paid into the Exchequer] viz. :	*Ibid*, pp. 56, 57.

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Out of the Customs.			
to the Treasurer of the Navy for Mr. Taylor in full of his contract for stores	1,770	15	0
to ditto in part of 1,500*l.* [Navy] weekly money	1,453	5	4
Out of Hearthmoney.			
to ditto in full of the above 1,500*l.*..	46	14	8
to ditto for sea officers and bills in course	400	0	0
to ditto for the Victuallers	1,200	0	0
to the Lord President [of the Privy Council]	375	0	0
to Philip Packer on the ordinary of the Works	1,000	0	0
to Sir Henry Robinson, for interest	36	19	8
to Dr. Oxenden, in part of 10*l.* ..	9	0	0
Out of the Post Office money.			
to ditto in full of said 10*l.*	1	0	0
to the Lord Privy Seal	364	0	0
to Dr. Brady	60	0	0
to Mr. Graham, for the Privy Purse	1,000	0	0
Out of Excise.			
to the Queen Dowager	1,500	0	0
for Mr. Nihill's interest	804	5	3
to Mr. Hewer for the Earl of Peterborough's arrears at Tangier ..	500	0	0
to Mr. Chiffinch, a year's salary ..	200	0	0
to me [Guy], for secret service, 140*l.* and 500*l.*, by [way of] advance ..	640	0	0
to ditto more by advance (for Lady Mary Tudor)	375	0	0
to the Earl of Lichfield	300	0	0
to Sir Steph. Fox for two weeks on 100*l.* per week	200	0	0
to Edw. Griffin for Mr. Randue ..	100	0	0
to Mr. Walker (Usher of the Exchequer Court) for Mris. Kifford on her liberates	382	16	3
to Visct. Preston	1,365	0	0
to Mr. Ross, the [King's] Jeweller..	1,000	0	0
to Sir William Killegrew	125	0	0
Out of loans on the late Act [for duties on French linens etc.].			
to Charles Fox, Paymaster of the Forces	12,000	0	0
to the Treasurer of the Ordnance ..	2,000	0	0
	£29,208	16	2

(Same dated same to the Customs Cashier, enclosing the paper of the disposition of the Customs cash for the present week ; said paper including

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1685.	the above two Customs items [payable out of the Exchequer] together with the following item [payable direct out of the Customs office] viz. 2,000*l.* in part of the quarterly [London port salary] bill. Total disposition of the Customs, 5,224*l.*) (Same dated July 30 to the Commissioners of Excise and Hearthmoney, enclosing the like paper of disposition for those revenues, said paper including the above seven items of Hearthmoney and the above 13 items of Excise [payable out of the Exchequer] together with the following items [payable direct out of the Excise Office on tallies] viz. 1,000*l.* to the Queen Dowager; 1,500*l.* to Mr. Kent and Mr. Duncombe in repayment of loan; 1,000*l.* to Mr. Toll in repayment of loan; 500*l.* to Mr. Hornby in repayment of loan. Total disposition of the Excise and Hearthmoney, 14,559*l.* 15*s.* 10*d.*)	
July 28.	Money warrant for 15*l.* to Ursula Elliot, widow, for last June 24 quarter on her annuity.	*Money Book* VI, p. 106.
	Henry Guy to the Customs Commissioners to pass, Customs free, all the baggage of the officers and soldiers of the three Scotch Regiments that are returning to Holland.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 113.
	Same to same to report on the enclosed petition and paper [missing] of William Carter.	*Ibid.*
	Treasurer Rochester to the Earl of Bath [Warden of the Stannaries]. It will be of great importance to the tin revenue to bring to an immediate hearing the case between the King and James Kemp, merchant, concerning a seizure of tin. Hear it without fail before you come out of the country.	*Ibid.*
	Henry Guy to Mr. Shadreck Vincent. According to your desire in yours of the 23rd inst. the Warden of the Stannaries is desired to hear the above case forthwith. The Lord Treasurer is very pleased with the pains you take in his Majesty's service.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Navy Commissioners. The King has informed the Lord Treasurer that he intends to pay off several ships. Send my Lord an estimate of this pay so that he may be providing the money.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Attorney General. The Lord Treasurer has perused your draft of a discharge to be given to Mr. Kingdon and partners concerning the surplus of the Hearthmoney on their paying 30,000*l.* *ut supra*, p. 261. By the clause to empower them to recover debts due to them from their officers it was not intended that they should receive any money from the country that is not already collected. You are to tie them up more firmly from receiving such arrears from the country. Such arrears are to be reserved for the King.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Excise Commissioners to report on the enclosed paper [missing] of animadversions upon the present Act for increase of the Excise.	*Ibid*, p. 114.
	Same to the Customs Commissioners to report on a similar paper [missing] of animadversions on the present Act for increase of the Customs.	*Ibid.*

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1685. July 28.	Henry Guy to the Customs Commissioners to report on the enclosed petition [missing] of the Jamaica merchants of London, which is come in since you spoke of it t'other day.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 114.
	Same to Benjamin Poole, Alderman of Taunton, to report on the case of John Hucker of Taunton, one of those that took up arms under the late Duke of Monmouth: he having petitioned for pardon, alleging that he forsook the rebels and submitted himself to the magistracy of your town within the four days limited by the King's proclamation, "whereof it is pretended that you have signed a certificate."	*Ibid.*
	Same to Sir Peter Apsley. Send the Lord Treasurer the establishment of the King's fox hounds and to what time you have paid them.	*Ibid*, p. 115.
July 29.	William Shaw [for Henry Guy] to the Customs Commissioners. Send an officer to the Duchess of Portsmouth's lodgings in Whitehall to visit her goods that are going to France.	*Ibid.*
	Henry Guy to Sir Gilbert Talbot. Lord Maynard has delivered into the Jewel House his plate which is old and battered. You are to make it up in the newest fashion and to deliver it to him in the same quantity that it was at first given out.	*Ibid.*
	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners to employ Ebenezer Crocker as the officer for keeping the control of the new impositions at 50*l. per an.*; and to present three clerks for his assistants at 20*l. per an.* each.	*Out Letters (Customs)* X, p. 40.
	Henry Guy to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue 9,931*l.* 10*s.* 8*d.* to the Treasurer of the Navy out of the loans on the duty on linens etc. Same dated same to Visct. Falkland, Treasurer of the Navy, to pay the said sum as follows, viz.:	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 55.

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
for the officers and seamen of the *Guernsey*	7,124	10	8
for ditto of the *Garland*	275	0	0
for ditto of the *Swan*	287	10	0
for ditto of the *Mary Rose*	315	0	0
for ditto of the *Reserve*	315	0	0
for ditto of the *Charles* galley ..	495	0	0
for ditto of the *Rupert*	420	15	0
for ditto of the *Mountague*	354	15	0
for ditto of the *Henrietta*	344	0	0
	£9,931	10	8

Five royal sign manuals for respectively 500*l.*, 200*l.*, 375*l.*, 375*l.*, and 390*l.* to Henry Guy, for secret service, without account: to be issued on the 10,000*l.* dormant privy seal of the 23rd inst. (Five money warrants dated July 30 hereon. Five money orders dated July 31 hereon.)	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 168. *Money Book* VI, p. 106. *Order Book* I, p. 42.
Royal warrant to the Attorney or Solicitor General for a great seal for a confirmation of the respective pensions granted by the patent of 1677, June 29, to the Ellesdons, viz. of 100*l. per an.* to Anthony and Charles, sons of William Ellesdon for their lives,	*King's Warrant Book* X, pp. 168–9. *Warrants Early* XXXIII, pp. 14*b*–15*a*.

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1685.		
	of 100*l.* *per an.* to Anne and Mary, two of the daughters of said William for their lives (both the above to be payable to said William for them during his life and afterwards to them): and likewise of the pension granted by the patent of 1678, May 11, viz. of 100*l.* *per an.* to said William and Joan his wife for their lives: all payable out of the Customs of Lyme port, co. Dorset; and in consideration of said William's having been instrumental in saving Charles II after Worcester fight. The said pensions being satisfied to 1683, Christmas, cannot be charged on the Customs after the death of Charles II except by fresh grant from the present King. They are hereby to be charged as above on the Customs of Lyme port and are to be so paid with the arrears thereof from 1683, Christmas.	
July 29.	Royal warrant to the Clerk of the Signet for a privy seal for sums, not exceeding 1,500*l.* in the whole, to Philip Burton, as imprest for the charge of the commission for trial of traitors or others concerned in the late rebellion in the Western parts. (Money warrant dated Aug. 10 hereon. Money order dated Aug. 12 hereon.)	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 170. *Money Book* VI, p. 116. *Order Book* I, p. 45.
	Same to same for a same to enstal the First Fruits of William Lloyd, D.D. (late Bishop of Peterborough) as Bishop of Norwich: same to be payable by 208*l.* 12*s.* 10¾*d.* on 1686, July 4; 208*l.* 12*s.* 10¾*d.* on 1687, July 4, and 417*l.* 5*s.* 10*d.* on 1688, July 4; being after the rate of 834*l.* 11*s.* 7½*d.* Tenths deducted: all on said bishop's bonds alone and with the usual clause for the ceasing of all liability on avoidance.	*King's Warrant Book* X, pp. 170–1.
	Same to the Attorney or Solicitor General for a great seal for a grant to Richard Kent of the office of Receiver General and Cashier of Customs, as granted to him 1678–9, Feb. 12, which grant became void by the death of the late King. It is hereby ordered that said Office of General Receipt of the Customs be hereby continued and shall extend to the Customs generally as renewed to the present King by the Act of 1 James II, c. 1, and also to the new duties on wines and vinegar as by 1 James II, c. 3, and the new duties on tobacco and sugar as by the Act of 1 James II, c. 4, and the new duties on French linens etc. as by 1 James II, c. 5; and likewise to extend to the receipt of the Four and a Half *per cent.* duty in Barbados and in the four islands commonly called the Leeward Islands, viz. Nevis, Antigua, Montserrat and St. Christopher, settled by the law made in Barbados in 1663, and by four several Acts passed in 1664 in the said several islands; and likewise to extend to the receipt of the Coinage Duty as revived by the Act of 1 James II, c. 7, and to the receipt of all other Customs whatsoever except the duties on any strong waters, brandy, aqua vitae and spirits. The said office to be kept in the Custom House, London, and to bo open daily till 4. He to pay his receipts weekly into the Exchequer every Tuesday, keeping the moneys of all the above five heads distinct and separate. He to present to the Lord Treasurer every week on Tuesday an account of his receipts and payments and remains which is to be attested by the Comptroller of the Customs: all with the salary of 1,000*l.* *per an.* as from Christmas last; he to detain 500*l.* in his hands for the half year thereon to June 24	*Ibid*, pp. 171–8.

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1685.	last. He to present a yearly account of the Customs at Michaelmas or within three months thereof: with exemption from juries etc. to him and his clerks. And whereas the said Richard Kent and Charles Duncombe have lent several considerable sums to the late King and may hereafter lend to the present King it is hereby declared that all such moneys shall be well and truly repaid upon their tallies for the same upon the Customs other than the above-said new duties on linens and coinage duty which are appropriated by Parliament: together with 6 *per cent.* interest for same. "And to the end it may be in our power from time to time during the continuance of the said Richard Kent in the said employment to have in our hands by way of credit or loan to us upon our said revenue of Customs the sum of 40,000*l.* of the moneys of the said Richard Kent and Charles Duncombe or of the proper moneys of him, the said Richard Kent alone, or so much of the said sum as we shall from time to time think fit for the supply of our occasions and to be a further and better security for the said Richard Kent's due performance" of his trust herein the said Kent is hereby to covenant that as soon as he and Duncombe are satisfied the debt now due to them by tallies on the Customs, or when less than 40,000*l.* shall remain due to them thereon then Kent will advance on the Customs any further sums for the supply of his Majesty's occasions to the amount of 40,000*l.* (reckoning as part thereof all moneys due [then or] from time to time to said Kent and Duncombe or to Kent singly): at 6 *per cent.* interest as above.	
July 29.	Allowance by Treasurer Rochester of the 1685, June 24 quarter's, salary bill of the Customs, London port (being 5,982*l.* 1*s.* 1*d.* for established salaries and 141*l.* 18*s.* 8*d.* for additional salaries; or 6,123*l.* 19*s.* 9*d.* in all).	*Money Book* VI, p. 107.
July 30.	Money warrant for 200*l.* to William Chiffinch for one year to 1681, Michaelmas, on his annuity.	*Ibid.*
	Same for 804*l.* 5*s.* 3*d.* to James Nihill for 6 *per cent.* interest on several sums by him lent for the service of the late King; as by an account thereof to May 13 last stated by Auditor Aldworth and allowed by Treasurer Rochester the 4th inst. (Money order dated Aug. 4 hereon.)	*Ibid*, p. 108. *Order Book* I, p. 43.
	Same for 125*l.* to Sir William Killigrew for last Lady day quarter on his annuity or pension.	*Money Book* VI, p. 108.
	Henry Guy to the Auditor of the Receipt to advance 200*l.* to me [Guy] out of loans on the duty on linens etc.	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 57.
	Same to same to pay 60*l.* to Mris. Mary Cock out of the money of seizures.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Customs Commissioners. Get from Mr. Mason, who executes the place of Comptroller of Hull port, an account of the profits of said place since the death of Mr. Thornton, late Comptroller thereof.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 115.
	Same to same to report whether Mr. Wallace is fit for the office of Customer of Berwick or not. Send Treasurer Rochester with all speed the letter which	*Ibid.*

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1685.	he desired you to draw for Lord Baltimore to send into Maryland.	
July 30.	Henry Guy to Commissary Crawford. Treasurer Rochester has received from Mr. Blathwayte a copy of your general instructions for regulation of the musters. Give my Lord a further account of the methods and orders which you observe in mustering every particular regiment, troop and company as to the number of effective and non-effective men.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 115.
	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to Richard Graham and Philip Burton of the petition of William Legge for a grant of the estate of Thomas Mawes, late of Coleman Street, London, silk dyer, who about a month since stabbed himself in the breast and died, whereby his estate of the value of 300*l.* is forfeit to the King.	*Reference Book* III, p. 145.
July 31 (30).	Henry Guy to Mr. Blathwayte, enclosing a letter from Mr. (Col.) Molesworth of Jamaica: (a letter to the late Treasury Lords dated Mar. 12 last. *See supra*, p. 55).	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 115.
July 31.	Same to the Customs Commissioners forwarding the enclosed instructions [missing, being] a memorial drawn by Mr. Pepys when you desired it some time ago "but the law concerning the Plantation trade being since altered my Lord Treasurer desires you to report what you think fit now to be done therein."	*Ibid.*
	Same to same. The Customs officers are to receive only $\frac{1}{4}d.$ per lb. for Muscovado sugar, according to the opinions of the Attorney and Solicitor General. But they are to be very careful to take $\frac{3}{4}d.$ per lb. for sugar of the English Plantations made fit for common use or spending according to the late Act of Parliament. The other papers you sent to the Lord Treasurer he will lay before the King.	*Ibid*, p. 116.
	Same to the Earl of Huntingdon to reply to the enclosed petition [missing] of several of the Band of Gentlemen Pensioners.	*Ibid.*
	Money warrant for 565*l.* to Richard, Visct. Preston, for 113 days from Mar. 9 last on his ordinary as Envoy Extraordinary to France. (Money order dated Aug. 1 hereon.)	*Money Book* VI, p. 108. *Order Book* I, p. 42.
	Same for 800*l.* to same for a bill of extraordinaries as same. *Appending:* said bill dated July 29, as allowed by Secretary Sunderland. *l.* for entertainment and extraordinaries for the Duke of Northumberland at his being with him [said Ambassador] at several times at Paris, by the late King's order and as allowed by the present King .. 800 (Money order dated Aug. 1 hereon.)	*Money Book* VI, p. 109. *Order Book* I, p. 42.
	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Cashier to pay 300*l.* to Sir William Darcy for three quarters to June 24 last on his 400*l. per an.* granted for $1\frac{3}{4}$ years from 1684, Sept. 29, as by the privy seal of July 8 inst.: out of the duties on alum: with dormant warrant clause for payment of what shall grow due thereon hereafter.	*Money Book* VI, p. 109.

Date.	Nature and Substance of the Entry.	Reference.
1685. July 31.	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners to pay 100*l.* to William Culliford for half a year to June 24 last on his fees or salaries of 106*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.* and 93*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.* as Register of Seizures: with dormant warrant clause for said salaries to be payable in future quarterly out of the Customs establishment.	*Money Book* VI, p. 110. *Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 116.
	Instructions by same to same in reply to their memorial of the 30th inst. (1) There is a doubt as to the duty on French linen, viz. whether the new Act meant only to double the duty on French linen or whether they ought to pay double the duty over what they paid before "the former being supposed to be according to the sense of the House of Commons." Upon a prudential consideration you are to collect only double what they paid before. (2) By a clause in the Act for the duty on tobacco and sugar the duty is to be levied on consumptions thereof in this kingdom, that is to say, it is to be paid by the importer if he be a shopkeeper, retailer or consumptioner upon the importing the goods. Hereon you state a case: a shopkeeper dealing in tobacco and sending a ship to Virginia and bringing thence 50 tons of tobacco which cost there about 500*l.* is liable to the whole new duty in ready money which, with the former Custom included, amounts to 2,500*l.* which sum he is not able to pay. If you take the goods into the King's store the King's warehouses will be filled with tobacco and only such little proportions of money will be received as the retailer shall have occasion to dispose of his goods, and besides the great loss of duty by damage and decay of the goods this practice will be subject to great charge, corruption and deceit and this is likely to prove a common case in Bristol and other ports. You offer as an expedient that whoever shall import 10 hogsheads or upwards shall be deemed an importer and give security as a merchant importer. I approve thereof and you are hereby to take security for the duty accordingly in all such cases. (3) By the same Act it is provided that every merchant or importer that is not a retailer shall give security in double the value of the duty not to dispose thereof before the duty be paid or if he shall not sell or export same in 18 months from the importation, that he will pay the duties. You inform me that many seamen import tobacco in bulk and cannot pay the old Custom of 2*d* per lb. or find security to pay the new duty of 3*d.* per lb. when it falls due: that a merchant is willing to buy this tobacco of the several seamen, to pay down the old Custom and give security for the new duty as if he had been the importer. In such case, which frequently happens, you are to admit the merchant so to do. (4) Several merchants, importers of tobacco, desire to pay this new imposition in ready money provided they may have an allowance or rebate for the time given by the Act. You are hereby to give them a rebate of 2 [*sic* for 10] *per cent. per an.* which is the usual rebate in other parts of the revenue.	*Out Letters* (*Customs*) X, pp. 41–2.
	Henry Guy to Mr. Fox to forthwith pay Capt. Bridgman 57*l.* 1*s.* 6*d.* for the following. *Appending:* an account, signed by J. Bridgeman and J. Hope, of the Tangier arrears due to those men of	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 58.

Date.	Nature and Substance of the Entry.	Reference.
1685.	Capt. Bridgman's Company that were killed in the late Western expedition :	
		l. *s.* *d.*
	to Edward Holdgate, drummer ..	19 0 6
	to Richard Skerry	9 10 3
	to Samuel Judkins	9 10 3
	to George Storey	9 10 3
	to Richard Edwards	9 10 3
		£57 1 6
July 31.	Henry Guy to Mr. Griffin [Treasurer of the Chamber] to pay to Mr. Randue the 100*l.* directed [*ut supra*, p. 281] to be issued to you at the Exchequer.	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 58.
	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to Sir Robt. Sawyer, Attorney General, of the report by Mr. Graham and Mr. Burton, dated the 17th inst., on the petition of Col. John Legg *ut supra*, p. 208 : the said report setting forth the usefulness of the office desired by petitioner.	*Reference Book* III, p. 145.
	Same by same to the Commissioners of Wine Licences of the petition of Richd. Gleane, a clerk in the Wine Licence Office, praying a surveyor's place there.	*Ibid.*
	Same by same to the Attorney General of the petition of Elias Alleyn for renewal of a Commission of inquisition as to discoveries which he proposes in the manor of Rushingdon and of Rainham and Haredopp belonging to him and in other manors ; petitioner having had a warrant 1683, July 10, from the Chancellor of the Exchequer for renewing a commission [of inquiry] for such lands as lie in Mr. Hall's hands.	*Ibid*, p. 146.
	Same by same to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of William Broome for a landwaiter's place *loco* Gervas Scrope, who is now a Lieutenant to Capt. Chaffin in the military employment.	*Ibid*, p. 147.
	Same by same to same of the petition of George Muschamp (formerly employed under the Revenue Farmers of Ireland) for the place of collector of Carolina and Roanoke *loco* Mr. Gibbs ; petitioner's father having been a Commissioner or Farmer of the revenue of Ireland ever since the Restoration, to the improvement thereof but with little regard to his private interest as appears by the unhappy condition he left his family in.	*Ibid*, p. 148.
	Same by same to same of the petition of Lodowick Jackson for some employment [in the Customs] ; he having been Comptroller and sub-collector of Youghal port under three farms [of the Irish revenue] but forced to come to England for his health.	*Ibid.*
	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester [to the Clerk of the Pipe] for the surplusage of 46*l.* 4*s.* 10*d.* resting upon the account of Sir George Browne, as sheriff of Southampton 1683, Sept. 29, to 1684, Sept. 29, to be satisfied out of the debit of 55*l.* 8*s.* 5¼*d.* resting upon the account of David Bigg as sheriff for co. Berks for the same year. *Prefixing :* extracts from the great roll of the Pipe certified by Bartholomew Fillingham, Deputy Clerk of the Pipe, of said surplusage and remain respectively.	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, pp. 109–10.

Date.	Nature and Substance of the Entry.	Reference.
1685. Aug. 2.	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the King's Remembrancer to forbear process against William Kirkby as Receiver General of the Royal Aid, Eleven Months' tax and Poll in co. Lancs in the Hundred of Amounderness.	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, p. 110.
Aug. 3.	Reference by same to Charles Fox and William Blathwaite of the petition of George Clarke, Judge Advocate of the Army, as by a reference from the King dated Whitehall, July 30 last: petitioner shewing that the pay allowed for his office in the first establishment of the Guards under Charles II was 12*s.* 6*d.* a day for himself and 2*s.* 6*d.* [a day] for his clerk and so continued till about six years since when the pay of all the General Officers was reduced and the Judge Advocate's pay was set at 10*s.* a day: that about two years since all the General Officers except petitioner were restored to their former allowances: therefore prays consideration "now that your Majesty is pleased to augment your Forces whereby the employment and business of your petitioner is much increased:" also prays an allowance for a deputy which [he] is allowed by his commission [to have].	*Reference Book* III, p. 147.
	Same by same to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of James Pearse, junr., (one of the patent waiters, London port) for the office of wine taster and examiner of officers' securities *loco* Henry Potkins, deceased.	*Ibid*, p. 148.
	Same by same to same of the petition of John Rous for some employment in the linen duty business, he having been bred a linen draper and having been a landwaiter 19 years and dismissed two years since upon some slight information, his seven brothers and three uncles having served the late King with their lives and fortunes and two of his brothers were in the late action against the rebels.	*Ibid*, p. 149.
	Same by same to same of the petition of Edwd. Randolph, shewing that he was sent into New England as collector, surveyor and searcher with power and instructions to seize all ships trading contrary to law: and with a salary of 100*l.* a year: that in his seizures and prosecutions he has expended 193*l.* 0*s.* 6*d.* in four years without any advantage to himself and by his diligence has caused the Acts of Trade and Navigation to be confirmed and made the laws of that country before his return "which is of great advantage to his Majesty's Customs in England": therefore prays to be paid said sum.	*Ibid.*
	Same by same to same of the petition of Robt. Graydon for an allowance for 63 days' travelling with Lord Cheyne in the Western ports.	*Ibid*, p. 150.
	Same by same to same of the petition of the merchants of London trading to Flanders: shewing that the [yield of the] Customs in England for damask imported from Flanders have for these [last] 15 or 16 years been much diminished by the great impost upon that commodity; the tabling sold here for but 5*s.* 6*d.* a yard pay 1*s.* 6*d.* [a yard] Custom and the napkinning sold for 1*s.* 10*d.* a yard, paying 6*d.* Custom; yet nevertheless the commodity as much used as formerly, being by the	*Ibid.*

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1685.	smallness of the bulk and greatness of the Custom generally stollen [smuggled] into the kingdom in all the outports: therefore pray that said Custom be reduced a half "whereby your Majesty will receive a considerable revenue for the same."	
Aug. 3.	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to Col. William Legg of the petition of Joyce Gurle, widow of Leonard Gurle, late gardener of the King's garden near St. James's, praying to be paid for so many orange trees and other greens which were her husband's proper goods and now belong to petitioner and in the possession of Mr. Vario, the present gardener of said garden, being worth 142*l.* 6*s.* 0*d.*, the same being kept for his Majesty's use by Col. William Legge.	*Reference Book* III, p. 151.
	Warrant by same to the King's Remembrancer, to forbear process against James Johnson *et al.* securities of Robert Cock, deceased, late Receiver for Surrey and several other counties.	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, p. 110.
	Same by same to the Barons of the Exchequer to swear Sir Richd. Dereham into office as Comptroller of Lynn Regis port *loco* John Anguish; Dereham having a grant thereof 1679, Mar. 26, in reversion of said Anguish and John Farrour whose grant, being during pleasure, was void by the late King's death.	*Ibid.*
	Money warrant for 1,330*l.* to Christopher Rosse, his Majesty's Jeweller; 230*l.* thereof for a jewel of diamonds given by the King to the Envoy Extraordinary from the Duke of Brunswick Wolfenbuttel; 300*l.* thereof for a same given by the King to the Count de la Trinité, Envoy Extraordinary from the Duke of Savoy; 300*l.* thereof for a same given by the King to the Envoy Extraordinary from the Duchess of Modena; 300*l.* thereof for a same given by the King to Monsieur Spanheim, Envoy Extraordinary from the Duke of Brandenburgh; 200*l.* thereof for a diamond ring given by the King to the Resident from Brandenburgh. *Appending:* letter dated May 13 last from the Earl of Arlington, Lord Chamberlain of the Household, to the Lord Treasurer for said sum for said purposes. (Money order dated Aug. 4 hereon.)	*Money Book* VI, p. 110. *Order Book* I, p. 43.
	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to William Hewer, Treasurer for the late garrison of Tangier, to pay to the Earl of Peterborough 500*l.* for half a year to 1683, Sept. 29, on his pension.	*Money Book* VI, p. 111.
	Same by same to Richard Graham, Philip Burton and William Shaw (lessees in trust of the seized estate of Ford, late Lord Grey) to discharge Ralph Williamson (who was lately employed to carry commissions into Northumberland and Durham for finding and seizing the said estate) and Col. William Strother (who with said Williamson was employed to receive the rents of said estate) of the following sums on their accounts, viz. 265*l.* 8*s.* 6*d.* for the charge of executing the commissions (which charge was borne by said Williamson) and 100*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.* for returns of money and two audits and 95*l.* 6*s.* 8½*d.* and 74*l.* 17*s.* 2½*d.* for their services in that affair: it appearing from a certificate of Jan. 12 last that they had received up to that time 3,961*l.* 5*s.* 2½*d.* of said rents and had paid 3,500*l.*	*Ibid*, pp. 111–2.

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1685.	to Richard Graham and Philip Burton, and by a certificate of July 14 last it appearing that they have further received 2,559*l.* 5*s.* 10½*d.* whereof they have [similarly] paid 2,400*l.* The above allowances will make the said accounts even and quit.	
Aug. 3.	Money order for 44*l.* 19*s.* 7*d.* to Francis Jeyne, administrator to Capt. Henry Jeyne, in full of all moneys due to said Capt. as arrear from his Company according to a certificate dated 1680, May 31, from two of the Commissioners for Disbanding the late New Raised Forces: together with 8 *per cent.* interest *per an.*: to be paid out of the Six Months' Assessment of 31 Car. II. c. 1, for Disbanding the said Forces.	*Order Book* I, p. 44.
	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners to deliver, Customs free, to the Envoy of Portugal certain goods detailed (oil, sweetmeats, chapel plate etc.).	*Out Letters* (*Customs*) X, p. 42.
	Henry Guy to Sir John Reresby. As to the caveat you desire to be entered against the grants of the [office of] steward and clerk of the Liberty of St. Mary, York, it is not usual to admit of caveats in such cases unless the applicant shew his reasons personally to the Lord Treasurer.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 116.
	Same to the Auditors of Imprests. Why do you desire to stop the passing of any other accounts of Lord Montagu?	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Darcy *et al.* to forthwith provide as follows. *Appending:* letter dated Aug. 1 from the Earl of Ailesbury [Lord Chamberlain] to the Lord Treasurer. There is wanting for the use of the Gentlemen, Grooms and Pages of the Bedchamber 30 pair of fine Holland sheets, 24 pair of fine Holland pillow beares, 12 blankets, 12 pillows, seven fustians, 12 sweet bags, four trunks, one bedcase, two Spanish leather bags for the present year 1685, being the particulars formerly delivered.	*Ibid*, pp. 116–7.
	Same to Mr. Graham and Mr. Burton to report on the enclosed paper [missing] of a discovery of fines levied on Dissenters in cos. Cambridge and Huntingdon. The total of fines levied on said Dissenters in said paper is 338*l.* 18*s.* 10*d.*	*Ibid*, p. 117.
	Same to the Mint Commissioners. The storehouse belonging to the Office of Works in the Tower has been made use of for fortification of the Tower. Lord Dartmouth and the officers of the Ordnance have reported that a place which goes by the name of Rotiers Garden may be converted into a store-house for the Office of Works. Report on the enclosed letter [missing] of Sir Christopher Wren concerning same. Can it be so done without prejudice to the Mint?	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Auditor of the Receipt forwarding (*a*) *infra*. *Appending:* (*a*) letter dated Aug. ——, from William Hewer to Treasurer Rochester. I understand from Lady Peterborough that 500*l.* is ordered for the arrears of the Earl of Peterborough's pension. I enclose a warrant for signature for same. Upon	*Ibid.*

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1685.	a hearing before the late Treasury Lords the Exchequer officers acquiesced in receiving no more [fees] on this pension than on their [the Tangier establishment] ordinary allowance as they have all along done [for said establishment]; yet the last 500*l.* on this [pension] account they claimed full fees on viz. 24*l.* 13*s.* 6*d.* whereas according to [the fees charged on payments for] the establishment it should not come to more than 2*l.* 2*s.* 6*d.*	
Aug. 3.	Henry Guy to Mr. Darcy *et al.* to provide for the Queen's service 16 close stool pans and 12 yards of serge according to the Lord Chamberlain's letter [missing] of this day.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 117.
	Same to Mr. Blathwaite for an account what the pay of the two Companies in St. Christopher comes to.	*Ibid*, p. 118.
	Same to the Attorney General to report on (*a*) *infra*. *Appending :* (*a*) proposal dated Aug. 3 by Lemuel Kingdon, P. Trant and William Bridges to the Lord Treasurer. It seems legally doubtful whether the authority intended to be given us by the King for the recovery of our debts by virtue of his prerogative will be of any use to us longer than we are real debtors to the King. We desire you to accept our bond for payment of our 30,000*l.* in 10 days and that the warrant may (as intended *ut supra*, p. 282) express our discharge. We will forthwith lodge 20,000*l.* in Mr. Squibb's hands (the greatest part of which is already in his possession) and within a month 10,000*l.* more. For this 30,000*l.* we desire to have tallies of loan on any branch of the revenue and that said tallies be deposited in the hands of the Chancellor of the Exchequer in trust to be applied to the satisfaction of said bond when we shall so desire it. By this means the King is fully secured and we shall have the aid he intended us for recovery of our debt.	*Ibid.*
	Same to same to report on the enclosed petition [missing] of Sir Thomas Strickland and the Customs Commissioners' report thereon.	*Ibid*, p. 119.
	Same to Mr. Darcy *et al.* to supply Garter robes etc. *ut supra*, p. 242, for the Earl of Feversham. *Appending :* royal warrant dated Aug. 1 to Treasurer Rochester for said robes.	*Ibid.*
	Same to same to supply to Dr. Gregory Heskard, Dean of the Chapel Royal at Windsor and Register of the Order of the Garter, a large badge or cover of crimson velvet for the Red Book of the Order, and thereupon affixed the device of two pens in saltire within the Garter and above the same the letters J.R. crowned: all wrought in rich embroidery of gold and silver and various colours of Naples silk, with purles, plates and clasps as is usual. *Appending :* royal warrant *ut supra*.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Customs Cashier to pay to Sir William Darcy 300*l.* due at June 24 last on his annuity of 400*l. per an.* and to pay said annuity in future according to the dormant warrant of July 31 last.	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 58.

Date.	Nature and Substance of the Entry.	Reference.
1685. Aug. 3.	Henry Guy to the Mint Commissioners to forthwith provide 1,000 Healing Medals for his Majesty's immediate use [in Healing]. (Same to the Customs Cashier to forthwith pay into the Exchequer so much as will pay for said medals.)	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 58.
	Same to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue the 300*l.* (which the Customs Cashier is directed to pay into the Exchequer out of the Customs of Cowes port) to Mr. Bertie, Treasurer of the Ordnance, for the fortification etc. in the Isle of Wight.	*Ibid*, p. 59.
	Same to same to issue (out of seizures in the Exchequer) 200*l.* to the Bishop of Chester for the [King's four] Lancashire preachers.	*Ibid.*
	Same to same to advance 630*l.* to me [Guy] for secret service: out of loans on the duty on linens etc. The regular warrants for this issue shall be sent with all speed.	*Ibid.*
	Same [to same] to issue to Treasurer Rochester the 200*l.* which is paid into the Exchequer by Mr. Graham *et al.* out of the profits of Lord Grey's estate: as in part of 16,000*l.* granted to Treasurer Rochester out of said estate.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Griffin, Treasurer of the Chamber, to pay the 100*l.* (directed to you) to Mr. Pile and Mr. Pearce, chirurgeons, for opening and embalming the body of the late King.	*Ibid.*
Aug. 4.	Same to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue, out of Excise money, 2,000*l.* to Sir Allen Apsley, Cofferer of the Household. The privy seal for this is now passing and, when passed, the necessary [money] warrants shall be sent you.	*Ibid.*
	Same to same to issue to me [Guy, for secret service] 200*l.* out of the loans on the duty on linens etc.	*Ibid.*
	Same to same to issue as follows:	*Ibid*, p. 60.

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Out of seizures in the Exchequer.			
to Mris. Gunter on her warrant ..	200	0	0
to the Secondaries and Clerks in the Treasurer's Remembrancer's Office, in part of 96*l.* 15*s.* 0*d.*	40	1	8
Out of Excise money.			
to ditto in full of above	56	13	4
to Edward Griffin, Treasurer of the Chamber	100	0	0
	£396	15	0

Same to same to take from Tho. Hall what moneys he shall lend on the Hearthmoney: and to reserve same for the Lord Treasurer's disposal.		*Ibid.*
Same to the Customs Cashier to pay into the Exchequer 4,600*l.* for the following uses.		*Ibid.*
	l.	
to the Treasurer of the Navy [for two weeks] on the [Navy's] weekly money	3,000	
to ditto for sea officers and bills in course	400	
to ditto for the Victuallers	1,200	

Date.	Nature and Substance of the Entry.	Reference.
1685. Aug. 4.	Henry Guy to Mr. Stephens [Cashier to the Treasurer of the Navy] apprising him of the above direction. Send me word when the ships *Tiger* and *Centurion* come up so that the Lord Treasurer may order money for their payment.	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 60.
	Same to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue the abovesaid 4,600*l.* as above. And further to issue out of loans on the duty on linens etc. 12,000*l.* to Charles Fox for the Forces and 3,000*l.* to the Treasurer of the Ordnance.	*Ibid*, p. 61.
	Same to Mr. Stephens [Navy Cashier] to pay Mr. Roger Vaughan's bill of 20*l.* 10*s.* 5*d.*, and Capt. Henry Killegrew's bill of 23*l.* 10*s.* 8*d.*	*Ibid*, p. 60.
	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners to restore to Katherine Curtius of Amsterdam, a few hoods, cornets etc. which she brought in the ship *Hope* of Rotterdam, which she bought for her return after she came over with the late Dutch ambassadors in expectation of getting a service here which she could not obtain.	*Out Letters* (*Customs*) X, p. 43.
	Same by same to same to swear in Richard Amory as deputy to Benjamin Skinner as a patent waiter, London port.	*Ibid.*
	Same by same to same to permit the export to Ireland, Customs free, of the baggage, detailed, of Col. Butler's Troop of Dragoons.	*Ibid*, p. 44.
	Same by same to same to allow to the collectors and surveyors of imported liquors in the outports 2*s.* per £ on their receipts as well on the additional duty on brandy as on the old duty.	*Ibid.*
	Henry Guy to the Customs Commissioners. Mr. Lytcot's patent is to be renewed with the salary of 1,000*l.* out of which he is to pay his clerks. The 220*l. per an.* for said clerks is not to be inserted in the quarterly salary bill in future.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 120.
	Same to Mr. Darcy *et al.* to forthwith provide as follows. *Appending :* letter undated from the Earl of Ailesbury to Treasurer Rochester. The King has commanded liveries to be provided for John Warner, the Master of the Queen's Barges, and her 24 watermen as heretofore allowed, viz., to the Master six yards of bastard scarlet at 26*s.* the yard, six yards of bayes to line the same at 2*s.* 8*d.* the yard, four gross of points at 4*s.* the dozen, 14 ells of Holland at 7*s.* the ell, and a velvet cap. For the watermen each $1\frac{3}{4}$ yards of bastard scarlet at 15*s.* the yard, three yards of bayes to line same, seven ells of Holland and a velvet cap.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Customs Cashier to continue to send to the Treasury Chambers the weekly certificates [of the Customs] every Tuesday during the time of the King being out of town. (The like to Mr. Duncombe [for the Excise] and to Mr. Lilly [for the Post Office].)	*Ibid.*
	Same to Edward Seymour to certify whether the balance of the Hanaper revenue will satisfy the arrears due to the late Lord Chancellor Nottingham by [payments of] 96*l. per an.*	*Ibid*, p. 121.

Date.	Nature and Substance of the Entry.	Reference.
1685. Aug. 4.	Henry Guy to the Navy Commissioners. Thomas Sutton, purser of the King's ship *Woolwich*, took Mr. Benj. Bartlett, servant to Richard Brett and partners, late Victuallers of the Navy, in execution on a judgment for 123*l.* on July 22 publicly at Garreway's Coffee House to the great discredit of the Victuallers and the King's service. You are to admonish Sutton.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 121.
	Same to Auditor Phillips. Send Treasurer Rochester your reasons for refusing to make Lord Ossulston a rate upon his fee farm rents which he desires as a reprisal.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Howard, Commissary of the Musters. Send Treasurer Rochester the duplicaments of the last musters of all the Regiments, troops and soldiers that came from Tangier.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Duncomb to impress 500*l.* of Excise money to the Excise Commissioners for incidents.	*Ibid.*
	Money order for 429*l.* 8*s.* 0*d.* to John Walker, Usher of the Exchequer Court, for necessaries delivered by him to said Court in 1685, Trinity term, and for 150 days' diet for himself 1684–5, Mar. 7, to Aug. 4 inst. at 5*d.* a day.	*Order Book* I, p. 43.
	Money warrant for 500*l.* to Robert Squibb: on the privy seal of April 30 last and as imprest for the redemption of English captives [in Barbary]: to be satisfied out of moneys in the Receipt arising from the collection for said use. (Money order dated Aug. 4 hereon.)	*Money Book* VI, p. 112. *Order Book* I, p. 24.
	Same for 538*l.* 9*s.* 11¼*d.* for half a year to the falconers as follows, viz. 32*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.* to the executors of Geo. Russell as late Serjeant of the Hawks and 45*l.* 12*s.* 6*d.* as falconer; 40*l.* to Marmaduke Conway as falconer and spaniel keeper; 25*l.* 1*s.* 10¾*d.* each to Arthur Witchells, William Sakins, Andrew Holmes, Jno. Silvester and Silvanus Rowley; 25*l.* each to John Preston, Jno. Legg, William Poulton, James Russell, and Peter Croles; 22*l.* each to Jno. Potter, Richd. Edes, Abell Daniel, Tho. Dechamp and Tho. Duffeild; 24*l.* 18*s.* 4*d.* to George Russell, junr.; 19*l.* 0*s.* 2¾*d.* to William Russell; 15*l.* 19*s.* 4¾*d.* to the executors of Jno. Osbaldstone, deceased.	*Money Book* VI, p. 113.
	Same for 500*l.* to George Dunstan for half a year to June 24 last on his pension.	*Ibid*, p. 114.
	Same for 30,000*l.* to William Hower, Treasurer for the late city and garrison of Tangier, as imprest for same and on the privy seal of Mar. 31 last. (Money order dated Aug. 8 hereon.)	*Ibid*, p. 114. *Order Book* I, p. 44.
	Three royal sign manuals for respectively 630*l.*, 500*l.*, and 200*l.* to Henry Guy, for secret service, without account: to be issued on the 10,000*l.* dormant privy seal of July 23 last. (Three money warrants dated Aug. 4 hereon. Three money orders dated Aug. 4 hereon.)	*King's Warrant Book*, X, p. 179. *Money Book* VI, p. 112. *Order Book* I, p. 43.
	Royal warrant to the Clerk of the Signet for a privy seal for sums not exceeding 80,000*l.* in the whole to Sir Peter Apsley, kt., Cofferer of the Household: as imprest and upon account for the service of the	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 179. *Money Book* VI, p. 123. *Order Book* I, p. 45.

Date.	Nature and Substance of the Entry.	Reference.
1685.	Household. (Money warrant dated Aug. 14 hereon. Money order dated Aug. 17 hereon.)	
Aug. 4.	Royal warrant to the Attorney or Solicitor General for a privy seal for the discharge of the baronetcy fee of 1,095*l.* due to Charles II from Sir Robt. Dashwood. (Treasurer Rochester's warrant dated 1685, Dec. 19, to the Receipt for said discharge accordingly.)	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 180. *Money Book* VI, p. 203.
	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to the Commissioners of Excise and Hearthmoney of the order of the King in Council dated Whitehall, July 31 last, referring to Treasurer Rochester the petition of Sam Beake of London, merchant, to be relieved of the duty of 2*s.* per gallon on 100 pieces of over proof brandy which, before the late Act for additional duty thereon, he had laded on the *Unity* of London bound home and which he had not time to cancel.	*Reference Book* III, p. 150.
	Same by same to Auditor Aldworth of the account of Thomas Hall for 300*l.* for six months' interest on 10,000*l.* from the respective days of lending (viz. 2,000*l.* on 1684, Dec. 11, 2,200*l.* on Dec. 12, 1,600*l.* on Dec. 16, 2,200*l.* on Dec. 17, 2,000*l.* on Dec. 19).	*Ibid*, p. 151.
	Warrant by same to Richard Graham to deliver to Thomas Howard the following papers which were, amongst others, delivered to you by Thomas Browne, Clerk to the House of Lords, by order of the Treasury Lords. *Appending :* schedule of said papers. bond dated 1676, Aug. 25, for 200*l.* by Thimelby Conquest and Mr. Benedict. Thomas Harris's note dated 1677–8, Jan. 30, for 3*l.* Dame Eliz. Philips's bond to Tho. Pickering dated 1678, Oct. 28, for 300*l.* George Sheldon's bond for 206*l.* dated 1674, Nov. 28. Sir Henry Moore's bond to Tho. Pickering for 206*l.* dated 1676, June. 23. James Airy's bond dated 1672, May 4, to Edward Burdett for payment of an annuity of 10*l.* for 99 years. Ralph Sheldon's bill dated 1672, Mar. 26, to pay 6*l. per an.* for Edward Sheldon's life and the 100*l.* principal to the Benedictine monks at Douai in Artois. Bennet Hankinson's assurance dated 1668, May 26, to pay 6*l. per an.* to Dame Katherine Titchborne for the consideration that she had given 100*l.* to the Religious Dames of Cambray. Mortgage dated 1672, June 20, from George Hussey to Edw. Burdett and Gabr. Cox for 212*l.* Francis Howard's deed dated 1647-8, Feb. 25, to Thomas Howard for 50*l. per an.*	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, p. 111.
[?]	Entry of [Treasurer Rochester's signature of] the docquet of an *in custodian* lease under the Exchequer seal to John Jefferyes, esq., of the capital messuage and several parcels of ground in Treyr Llan in the parish of Guilsfield, co. Montgomery, being the lands of Eubulus Edwards, gent., outlaw : at a rent of 20*d. per an.* and fine of 3*s.* 4*d.*	*Ibid.*
Aug. 6.	Henry Guy, dated Windsor Castle, to Alderman Duncombe. Although allowed by the Lord Treasurer	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 122.

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1685.	this day the incidents bills of the Excise Office and Hearthmoney Office are only to be paid as he shall assign money for them.	
Aug. 6.	Allowance by Treasurer Rochester of the incidents bill, detailed, of the Hearthmoney Office to June 24 last. (Total, 343*l.* 14*s.* 4*d.*)	*Money Book* VI, p. 115.
	Same by same of the incidents bill, detailed, of the Excise Office to June 24 last. (Total, 1,521*l.*: including items to the stationers being Mr. James and Mr. Blagrave; to Mr. Pilsworth for the Office of strongwaters and the Office of coffee and cyder; to Mr. Hall the housekeeper, Mr. Woods for letters, Mr. Weekes for bags, Hutchins the yardkeeper and Mr. Browne, deputy cashier for the Excise.)	*Ibid*, pp. 115–6.
	Henry Guy to the Auditor of the Receipt to advance to me [Guy, for secret service] 200*l.* out of the loans on the duty on linens etc.	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 61.
Aug. 7.	Same, dated Windsor, to the Customs Cashier to pay to Mr. Lodington his salary of 380*l. per an.* as Consul at Tripoly, what due thereon to June 24 last and so for the future.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue as follows.	*Ibid*, pp. 62, 63.

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Out of moneys of the Customs.			
to the Mint Commissioners for the [Mint and Coinage]	1,500	0	0
to Mr. Graham, for Healing Medals	250	0	0
to Sir Hugh Tint, a quarter's pension	250	0	0
to Mr. Roberts for works at Windsor by [way of] advance	500	0	0
to Sir Richard Bulstrode for extraordinaries	1,972	18	0
to Mr. Chudleigh, for extraordinaries, in part	1,000	0	0
	£5,472	18	0
Out of moneys of the Excise.			
to Mr. Knight	2,000	0	0
to the Duke of Southampton, on his pension	375	0	0
to the Duke of Grafton, on ditto ..	750	0	0
to Sir Robt. Vyner for plate	1,000	0	0
to the Earl of Bath on the pension to him and Lord Hawley	500	0	0
to Sir Stephen Fox for secret service	200	0	0
to the Earl of Sunderland, for ditto	1,000	0	0
to Henry Guy for ditto	500	0	0
	£6,325	18	0

(Same dated same to the Customs Cashier, enclosing the paper of the distribution of the Customs for the present week, said paper including the above-said Customs items [payable out of the Exchequer] save that the sum for the Mint is here set down as 1,000*l.*; and also the three items for the Navy *ut supra*, p. 293, and also the following items [payable direct out of the Customs Office on tallies] viz. 2,000*l.* in further part of the last quarter's [salary] bill to the officers [of the Customs, London port]; 1,000*l.* to Mr. Hewer on two tallies. Total disposition of the Customs, 13,072*l.* 18*s.* 0*d.*) (Same to the Commissioners of Excise and Hearthmoney enclosing the

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1685.	similar paper of disposition for the Excise and Hearthmoney, said paper including the abovesaid eight items [payable out of the Exchequer] together with the following items [payable direct out of the Excise Office on tallies] viz. *out of the Excise :* 1,500*l.* to Mr. Kent and Mr. Duncombe for repayment of loan ; 1,000*l.* to Mr. Toll for ditto ; 500*l.* to Mr. Hornby for ditto ; 1,521*l.* for [the Excise Office] bill of incidents ; 1,000*l.* to the Prince of Denmark on his pension. *Out of the Hearthmoney :* 343*l.* 14*s.* 4*d.* for [the Hearthmoney Office] bill of incidents ; 1,000*l.* to Mr. Toll in repayment of loan ; 4,000*l.* to Mr. Duncombe in further part of [repayment of] 22,000*l.* Total disposition of the Excise and Hearthmoney, 17,189*l.* 14*s.* 4*d.*)	
Aug. 7.	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners to employ John Manwaring as waiter and searcher at Deal *loco* Steph. Bunce, lately dismissed. Robert Sayce as a watchman, London port *loco* Samuell Geip, lately deceased.	*Out Letters* (*Customs*) X, p. 45.
	Royal sign manual for 200*l.* to Henry Guy, for secret service, without account : to be issued on the 10,000*l.* privy seal dormant of July 23 last. (Money warrant dated Aug. 10 hereon. Money order dated Aug. 10 hereon.)	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 180. *Money Book* VI, p. 114. *Order Book* I, p. 44.
	Henry Guy, dated Windsor Castle, to the Customs Commissioners. The Attorney General, in his opinion on the Plantation trade grounded on the Act of 22 and 23 Car. II. [c. 26] advises that notice be given to the Governors of all the Plantations abroad of the revival of the said Act. You are to give such notice speedily to the end they take care that same be punctually observed.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 121.
	Same to same to attend the Lord Treasurer at the Treasury Chambers next Monday.	*Ibid*, p. 122.
Aug. 10.	Same to the Commissioners of Excise and Hearthmoney. The Lord Treasurer will not sit to-morrow. I have sent to the Justices of Peace for co. Herts the paper of expedients you gave me concerning their dispute with your officers. They reply that they will comply therewith. Your officers are therefore to forbear distress.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 122.
	Same to Mr. Cheeke. George Ryder pretends to the reward for apprehending Burton. Before disposing same Treasurer Rochester will hear from you.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Earl of Nottingham, enclosing (*a*) *infra*. *Appending :* (*a*) extract from Mr. Seymour's letter of Aug. 7 to Henry Guy. Am now in the country. This is the present state of the Hanaper [revenue] : the year's account ending Sept. 29 next by reason of the Sessions of Parliament is overcharged about 400*l.* by [reason of] several new warrants for making out all the Parliament writs and all the Lords' writs of summons, sending for records out of the Tower, enrolling and managing the proceedings of the Court of Claims to the Register and a big bill with the King's printer. This demand of the Earl of Nottingham's if ever paid was from the Office of the Butlerage and never paid out of the Hanaper till the present Lord Keeper hath it in his warrant of	*Ibid.*

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1685.	allowances by way of supplement. I can depose that Chancellor Hyde never received one penny of it, either of the Butlerage or Hanaper nor his fee from the Wardrobe.	
Aug. 10.	Henry Guy to Mr. Duncombe. Mr. Skelton has drawn a bill on you for 750*l.* which is in Mr. Gore's hands. Treasurer Rochester forgot to speak to you about it. You are forthwith to pay it and take up the bill though it be protested. Attend the Lord Treasurer thereon next Wednesday.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 123.
	Same to the Navy Commissioners to pay 23*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.* to Capt. Henry Killegrew and 20*l.* 10*s.* 5*d.* to Roger Vaughan on their bills for victualling volunteers on board the King's ships *Montague* and *Woollwich*.	*Ibid.*
	Same to same to pay 96*l.* 10*s.* 6*d.* to Robt. Mellish for a bill of exchange drawn on you by Mr. Cosmo Casacci for stores delivered to the officers of the *Centurion* and *Tyger* at Leghorn.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Customs Commissioners, enclosing a paper of instructions [missing, being for the Governor of Maryland]. Fill up the blanks and return to me.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Sir Sam Astry to forthwith pay into the Exchequer 133*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.* of William Norden's fine.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Henry Howard. Treasurer Rochester has your reply about the Tangier musters. He did not want the musters last taken at Tangier by the muster masters there but the duplicates of the last musters taken by you here in England upon the English establishment, viz. of Col. Peircy Kirke's Regiment, Col. Charles Trelawney's Regiment, and the Troops of Capt. John Coy, Capt. Tho. Langston, Capt. Alex. Mackenny, Capt. Char. Neatby [being] the King's Batallion of five Companies from Tangier.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the abovesaid Colonels and Captains severally (Capt. Coy being here given as Capt. Croy). The King has directed the Lord Treasurer to supply Mr. Hewer with what will pay off each officer and soldier belonging to the late garrison of Tangier six months upon the musters of 1682, April 1, June 1, and Aug. 1. Send Hewer a list of your non-commissioned officers and men then under you and now under you and distinguishing the mounted from the unmounted men.	*Ibid*, p. 124.
	The like letters to Capt. Phill. Kirk, for his Company, Capt. Ja. Fortrey for ditto, Col. Edward Sackvile for ditto, Capt. Tho. Tollmash for ditto, and the chief officer of the Company lately commanded by Capt. Bowes at Tangier.	*Ibid.*
	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of Peter Airault of St. Martin's in the island of Rhé, shewing that he with divers others being necessitated for their religion to fly from their native country and taking hold of his late Majesty's Declaration they shipped themselves in the English ship *William* to transport themselves to one of the English Plantations and were forced to enter in the river of Lancaster begging a pass to proceed but were stopped upon pretence they must pay Custom for the little estate they carried with them for their	*Reference Book* III, p. 151.

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1685.	establishment in the King's dominions, all which the said Declaration makes no mention of: therefore pray to be suffered to proceed in their voyage "or that they may have liberty to return into their own country or go to any other port without paying any Customs."	
Aug. 10.	Money warrant for 150*l.* to Lewis, Earl of Feversham, for last June 24 quarter on his annuity as one of the Gentlemen of the Bedchamber.	*Money Book* VI, p. 122.
	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to [Philip Burton] to pay (out of moneys imprested to you for the Commission for trial of traitors in the West) 1,400*l.* to Charles Graham, gent., for disbursements for his Majesty's service.	*Ibid.*
	Same by same to William Hewer. The King has directed my supplying you with so much as will pay six months' arrears to the officers, soldiers and troopers of the late garrison of Tangier. I have ordered the said officers to send you an account of the names of the non-commission officers and soldiers then belonging and now belonging to their respective Companies according to the latest musters. On receipt thereof you are to adjust 183 days' pay on the musters of 1682, April 1, June 1 and Aug. 1 and give them notice when you shall be ready to pay them out of the 14,368*l.* which I shall direct to be paid you for that purpose. Take care to make the due deductions for the King, for yourself for money advanced or for such officers as have moneys due to them from their companies.	*Ibid.*
	Money warrant for 1,924*l.* 9*s.* 6*d.* to Sir Richard Bulstrode for five bills of extraordinaries as follows as Resident at Brussels (after disallowance of items as below, amounting to 700*l.* and the item of 48*l.* 8*s.* 9*d.* in the third bill as below). (Money order dated Aug. 11 hereon.) *Appending:* said bills. (1) from 1680, Mar. 25, to 1681, Mar. 12, as sworn to by said Bulstrode before Hieronimus de Brugn [Bruyn], notary public, Brussels, and witnessed by Henry Gaye and Charles Schuermans and as allowed by Secretary Sir L. Jenkins 1681, Aug. 26.	*Ibid*, pp. 117–21. *Order Book* I, p. 44.

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
for post letters	117	5	0
for letters by messengers and paying letters into Germany, Italy etc. ..	73	13	0
for sending expresses upon extraordinary occasions to several places	27	6	0
for intelligence	100	0	0
for 240lb. of chocolate for the King at 10*s.* the lb. (*in the margin:* disallowed 60*l.*)	120	0	0
for Mr. Kennedy, allowance from his Majesty (*in the margin:* disallowed)	100	0	0
for my journey to Dunkirk, having been out 18 days	30	0	0
for Mr. Kennedy's journey into Flanders when the Court was last there at eight gilders a day for him, a servant and two horses, having been out 18 days	14	8	0

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1685.		*l.*	*s.*	*d.*	
	for new year's gifts to the [servants of the] Spanish Court	20	0	0	
	for the fees of a quarter's pension [ordinary] due in April, 1680.. ..	7	4	6	
		£608	16	6	
	(2) from 1681, Mar. 25, to 1682, Mar. 25: as sworn before G. Vandoren, notary public, Brussels, and witnessed by Antonie Taylor, Charles Schurmans and Hubert Masur and as allowed by Secretary Jenkins 1683–4, Mar. 1, except the two last items, which are submitted to the Treasury Lords.				
		l.	*s.*	*d.*	
	for post letters and letters by messengers and paying letters into Germany and Italy	148	12	0	
	for intelligence	100	0	0	
	extraordinary charges in attending the Duchess of Modena to Ostend when she went for England	20	0	0	
	extraordinary charges upon the arrival of the Prince of Parma and in treating Mr. Legg	30	0	0	
	for New Year's gifts to the Spanish Court	20	0	0	
	for extraordinary charges for the birthday of the [English] King, Queen and Royal Highness [Duke of York]	50	0	0	
	for ditto of the Emperor and King and Queen of Spain	30	0	0	
	for a voyage with the Prince of Parma into Flanders	25	0	0	
	for three pieces of Burgundy wine delivered to his Majesty	75	0	0	
	charges in the Exchequer on receiving three quarters' pension [ordinary] due in 1680, July and Oct. and 1680–1, Jan.	35	12	6	
		£534	4	6	
	(3) from 1682, Mar. 25, to 1683, Mar. 25, as similarly sworn before Hieronim de Brugn and attested by R. Stanford, F. du Chesne and Antho. Taylor and as allowed 1685, June 4, by Secretary Sunderland, with the exception of items 3, 4, 5, 7 and 8, which are referred to the Treasury Lords.				
		l.	*s.*	*d.*	
	for letters both by post and messengers and paying letters into Germany and Italy	150	0	0	
	for intelligence	100	0	0	
	for extraordinary charges upon the coming of the Marquis de Grana to the Government	30	0	0	
	for extraordinary charges for the birthday of the [English] King, Queen and Duke [of York].. ..	60	0	0	
	for ditto of the King and Queen of Spain and the Emperor	40	0	0	
	for going with the Marquis de Grana to Antwerp and into Flanders ..	30	0	0	
	for conducting the Duchess of Modena to Calais in her way to England and in meeting her upon her return	30	0	0	

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1685.		*l.*	*s.*	*d.*	
	for New Year's gifts to this Court ..	20	0	0	
	charges in the Exchequer and Treasury Chamber on two bills of extraordinaries 1678, June 24, to 1680, Mar. 25	48	8	9	
	[the like] charges on a year's ordinary received in Sept., 1682	35	10	0	
	for 50lb. of chocolate sent to the King at 5*s.* the lb.	12	10	0	
		£556	8	9	
	(4) from 1683, Mar. 28, to 1684, Mar. 25, as similarly sworn and attested and as allowed by Secretary Sunderland June 4 last for the first, second and last items only, the remainder being referred to the Lord Treasurer.				
		l.	*s.*	*d.*	
	for letters by post and messengers and paying letters into Germany and Italy	160	10	6	
	for intelligence	100	0	0	
	for extraordinary charges for the birthday of the [English] King, Queen and Duke [of York]	60	0	0	
	for ditto of the King and Queen of Spain and Emperor	40	0	0	
	for extraordinary charges of the Marquis de Grana's marriage ..	30	0	0	
	for ditto of the Marquis de Grana's daughter's marriage	20	0	0	
	for New Year's gifts to this Court ..	20	0	0	
	for extraordinary charges for the treating the English officers of the four Regiments of his Majesty's subjects who were all the winter in garrison at Malines	50	0	0	
		£480	10	6	
	(5) for 1684, Mar. 25, to 1684–5, Feb. 6, as sworn before Sir John Hoskyns, Master in Chancery, and as allowed by Secretary Sunderland May 30 last, except items 4, 5 and 7, which are referred to the Lord Treasurer.				
		l.	*s.*	*d.*	
	for letters both by post and messengers and paying letters into Germany and Italy	130	12	6	
	for intelligence	100	0	0	
	for extraordinary charges for the birthday of the [English] King, Queen and Duke [of York]	60	0	0	
	for ditto of the King and Queen of Spain and Emperor	40	0	0	
	for conducting the Duchess of Modena to Nieuport, in her way to England and in meeting her upon her return	30	0	0	
	for treating the Duke of Northumberland at my house for the time he stayed there	50	0	0	
	for New Year's gifts to the Court ..	20	0	0	
	for the Exchequer charges of receiving a half year's ordinary in May, 1684	17	15	6	
	for ditto on five quarters' ordinary advanced by Mr. Duncombe.. ..	44	10	0	
		£492	18	0	

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1685. Aug. 10.	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to William Hewer, Treasurer for the late town and garrison of Tangier. The King has directed 13,000*l.* to be supplied to you to be proportionably distributed to tho inhabitants of said late city or to such as are concerned in the respective debts due to them either from the King or from the military officers as by a statement thereof presented by you to the late Treasury Lords being part of the general debt due from the King. You are hereby, in accordance with the privy seal of Mar. 31 last, to adjust the proportion of each person in said 13,000*l.* according to said paper agreed on by his Majesty and on the receipt of said sum you are to proceed in the paying of same. In the case of those whose debts do not exceed 20*l.* they are to be paid off wholly [in full], taking care that the total of 13,000*l.* be not exceeded. And as there are several petitions to me relating to debts due to one inhabitant from another his Majesty expects that they take care proportionably to satisfy their debts one to another. See this done in the best manner you can to the satisfaction of all to prevent clamours. Further there are several debts due to the King from said inhabitants, as adjusted at Tangier and not yet stopped from them for Excise, porterage, rent and otherwise. You are to deduct a proportion of the said debts out of the money now payable.	*Money Book* VI, pp. 122, 125.
	Same by same to same. The late Treasury Lords ordered 200*l.* a week to you towards discharging and paying off several of the late inhabitants of Tangier for their proprieties in houses there, over and above what you were directed to pay by the warrant of 1684, July 23 (*supra, Calendar of Treasury Books,* Vol. VII, p. 1245). You have proceeded to the payment of 600*l.* to Mr. Sidney Wortley and others out of three weeks' money supplied you for that purpose and as in part of what is due to them on their said proprieties. You are hereby, out of such funds as I shall put into your hands to proceed to payment of the following list of the moneys due to them for their proprieties in houses lately demolished at Tangier according to the value put upon them by the Commissioners appointed by Lord Dartmouth at Tangier for that purpose "whose papers for making out their respective titles not appearing to the said Commissioners at Tangier was the cause that this mark * was put against their names in the account delivered in by the said Lord Dartmouth and now lying before me to distinguish them from those proprietiers whose titles appeared plain to the said Commissioners." Upon paying them you are to use the same caution directed in the former warrant for taking in all the leases and other evidences making out their respective titles and also a receipt and full discharge from them to the King. *Appending:* list of moneys due to persons for their proprieties in houses at Tangier whose titles not being made out to the abovesaid Commissioners were by them marked as above for their clearing in England. No. 9. Tho. Hogbon, 74*l.* due. Nos. 19–22. Sid Wortley *alias* Montagu, 240*l.*, 342*l.* 16*s.* 0*d.*, 140*l.* and 54*l.* due; whereof 300*l.* paid, leaving 476*l.* 16*s.* 0*d.* still due. *Note by Treasurer Rochester:* this sum you [Hewer] are to detain in your hands and apply it to pay other cases that are more necessitous.	*Ibid*, p. 126.

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1685.	No. 24. Nathan Luke, 121*l.* 14*s.* 0*d.* due. No. 31. Lady Faireborne, 36*l.* due. No. 32. John Creed, 93*l.* due, which is paid. No. 34. Walwin Gascoigne, 64*l.* due. No. 37. Morgan Read, 40*l.* due. No. 38. Ditto, 32*l.* due. No. 42. Edwd. Roth, 99*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.* due. No. 46. Mris. Bolland *alias* Skinner, 24*l.* due. No. 58. William Smith, 35*l.* due. No. 72. Sir Hugh Cholmly, 12*l.* due. No. 83. Executors of Wade and Middleton, 28*l.* due. No. 100. Mris. Ann Philpott, 10*l.* due. No. 101. Tho. Hogbon, 22*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.* due. No. 112. Sam Smith, 93*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.* due, which is paid. No. 115. Lady Faireborne (no sum stated). No. 121. Mris. Alsop and Mris. Tessine (no sum stated). No. 122. Lady Peterborough, not adjusted by the Commissioners. No. 152. Robt. Jackson, 33*l.* 15*s.* 0*d.* due. Nos. 164–6. Widow Philpott, 54*l.*, 37*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.* and 30*l.* due ; whereof 67*l.* 2*s.* 6*d.* paid, leaving 54*l.* 7*s.* 6*d.* still due. No. 169. Edwd. Rothe, 1,717*l.* 1*s.* 8*d.* due, whereof 553*l.* 19*s.* 2*d.* paid, leaving 1,163*l.* 12*s.* 6*d.* still due.	
Aug. 10.	Henry Guy to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue 5,644*l.* 19*s.* 0*d.* to me [Guy], for secret service : out of loans on the duty on linens etc.	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 61.
	Same to Alderman Duncombe [Excise Cashier] to pay into the Exchequer on Wednesday next 6,000*l.* for the Forces.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Sir Sam. Astry to forthwith pay into the Exchequer 133*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.* of William Norden's fine lately paid to you.	*Ibid*, p. 63.
Aug. 11.	Same to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue as follows.	*Ibid*, p. 64.

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Out of loans on the linen duty.			
to Charles Fox, Paymaster of the Forces	6,000	0	0
to the Treasurer of the Ordnance ..	2,000	0	0
to me [Guy] for secret service ..	5,644	19	0
to the Treasurer of the Navy towards paying off the *Tyger* and *Centurion*	13,000	0	0
	£26,644	19	0
Out of Customs money directed to be this week paid into the Exchequer.			
to the Treasurer of the Navy to complete the pay of the *Tyger* and *Centurion*	3,000	0	0
to ditto to pay several bills of exchange to the Royal African Company as in the Navy Commissioners' letter of the 4th inst. to Visct. Falkland	1,676	1	6
to ditto in further part of 29,745*l.* for the ordinary and extraordinary repairs of the Navy ..	2,000	0	0
to ditto for [the Navy's] weekly money	2,000	0	0

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1685.	to the Treasurer of the Navy for sea officers and bills in course .. .. 400 0 0 to ditto for the Victuallers .. .. 1,200 0 0 to ditto for the new dock now building at Chatham by the King's own officers; being for buying timber and carrying on the work .. .. 1,000 0 0 £11,276 1 6 *Out of the Excise money directed to be this week paid into the Exchequer.* to Charles Fox, Paymaster of the Forces .. .. 6,000 0 0 (Same dated Aug. 11 to the Customs Cashier to pay into the Exchequer on Wednesday next 11,276*l.* 1*s.* 6*d.* of Customs money to meet the above Customs items.)	
Aug. 11.	Money warrant for 500*l.* to John, Earl of Bath, for half a year to 1684, Christmas, on the pension granted by Charles II to him and Francis, Lord Hawley.	*Money Book* VI, p. 121.
	Same for 250*l.* to Frances, Countess of Portland, for 1681, June 24 quarter, on her pension.	*Ibid.*
Aug. 14.	Henry Guy, dated Tunbridge, to William Bridgman, enclosing the instructions for the Governor of Maryland, with the blanks filled in. The Customs Commissioners think it better they should send all instructions of this sort to any of the Plantations and that they may send with them Books of Rates etc. with duplicates for the respective Collectors in the Plantations. As Lord Baltimore is now in England these instructions may be given to him personally: but for the future all instructions of this nature to any of the Plantations are to be sent to the Customs Commissioners, through me, for them to despatch same.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 125.
	Nomination and appointment by Treasurer Rochester of Theophilus Westwood, gent., as clerk for preparing bills of impost or warrants usually called the bills of impost to be signed by the Lord Treasurer for paying moneys to ambassadors, noblemen and others in lieu of the impost on wines formerly allowed them; and for keeping entries of the said warrants.	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, p. 111.
	Three money warrants for respectively 5,000*l.*, 3,000*l.* and 2,000*l.* to Tho. Hall in repayment of the like sums lent by him into the Exchequer the 5th inst. on credit of the Hearthmoney revenue due at Lady day next: together with 6 *per cent.* interest payable [or to be made into principal] at the end of every six months. (Three money orders dated Aug. 17 hereon.)	*Money Book* VI, p. 123. *Order Book* I, p. 45.
	Money warrant for 15*l.* to Anne Bird for half a year to June 24 last on her annuity or pension: together with dormant clause for payment of said pension from time to time in future.	*Money Book* VI, p. 123.
	Same for 750*l.* to Henry, Duke of Grafton, for last June 24 quarter on his pension of 3,000*l.* *per an.* on the Excise. 375*l.* to Charles, Duke of Southampton, in part of 1683, June 24 quarter, on the like pension.	*Ibid*, p. 124.

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1685. Aug 14.	Money warrant for 118*l.* 16*s.* 2*d.* to Edward Progers, Keeper of the Middle Park of Hampton Court, without accompt; for his disbursements 1682–3, Jan. 18, to 1684–5, Mar. 24, for hay for deer, repairs at the lodges and pales and cleansing the ponds etc. there. (Money order dated Aug. 19 hereon.) *Appending:* account of said disbursements (the hay being 48 loads at a cost of 72*l.* 8*s.* 0*d.*).	*Money Book* VI, pp. 124–5. *Order Book* I, p. 46.
	Henry Guy to the Customs Cashier, dated Southborough, near Tunbridge, to forthwith pay 2,000*l.* into the Exchequer to complete the pay of the *Tyger* and *Centurion*. (Same to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue same to the Navy Treasurer for said purpose.) (Same to Mr. Stephens [Navy Cashier] apprising him hereof.)	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 63.
Aug. 17.	Royal warrant to the Clerk of the Signet for a privy seal for 200,000*l.* to Anthony, Visct. Falkland, Treasurer of the Navy, as imprest for the Navy and Victualling. (Money warrant dated Aug. 27 hereon. Money order dated Aug. 27 hereon.)	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 180. *Money Book* VI, p. 131. *Order Book* I, p. 47.
	Royal sign manual for 500*l.* to Henry Guy, for secret service, without account: to be issued on the 10,000*l.* dormant privy seal of July 23 last. (Money warrant dated Aug. 18 hereon. Money order dated Aug. 19 hereon.)	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 181. *Money Book* VI, p. 127. *Order Book* I, p. 45.
	Royal warrant to the Clerk of the Signet for a privy seal dormant for the yearly sum of 50*l.* to the churchwardens of the parish of St. James's within the Liberty of Westminster as royal bounty for the sustenance and relief of the poor inhabitants and orphans of said parish: the first issue hereon to be at the end of a year from date of this privy seal; without account other than such as said churchwardens are to render [to their parish] for the other moneys they receive for the use of said poor.	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 182.
	Same to same for a same for an annuity of 50*l.* to Nicho. Estoll as from Christmas last: the first payment for the half year to June 24 last to be made presently and so subsequently quarterly: said Estoll having a like grant by privy seal dated 1668, Aug. 26, for discovering a dangerous conspiracy against Charles II and other treasonable designs against some of his garrisons; which privy seal became void by the late King's death.	*Ibid*, pp. 182–3.
	Same to the Attorney General for a great seal for a grant and confirmation to Sir Roger Strickland of the duty on imported salt whether from beyond seas or from Scotland: at the rent of 40*s. per an.*: to hold same from Feb. 16 last to 1688, Sept. 29, being the remainder of the term granted him by Charles II by an indenture under the great seal dated 1682, July 29: the King's Counsel having advised that the duty on Scotch salt is an inheritance of the Crown and will have continuance notwithstanding the death of Charles II but that the duty on Foreign salt did thereupon determine.	*Ibid*, p. 184.
	Instructions by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners in reply to their memorial of the 10th inst. (1) You are to sell by inch of candle the goods in the hands of Thomas Thrayle, husband of the Four and a Half *per cent.* duty, which you	*Out Letters* (*Customs*) X, p. 45.

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1685.	acquaint me are of considerable value. Pay the proceeds to the Receiver General of the Customs and see him charged therewith. Do the same from time to time with other such goods. (2) By the Act for the duty on tobacco and sugar you can allow 8 *per cent.* for wastage and decay of goods during the time they remain in the hands of the importer before sale or exportation. My late direction for a rebate of 10 *per cent.* for ready money seems to exclude this allowance for wastage. You are hereby to allow a further 4 *per cent.* for wastage upon payment of the duty in ready money.	
Aug. 17.	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners to employ Richd. Tucker (tidesman in extraordinary, Cowes port) as a tidesman in fee *ibid. loco* John Kirton, lately deceased. John Knowman as a tidesman, Weymouth port *loco* William Duke, preferred to be a landwaiter *ibid.* George Muschamp as collector of the [Plantation] duties under 25 Car. II [c. 7] within the province of Carolina *loco* Timothy Biggs, lately deceased. As the present allowance of one half of the receipt (whereof two-thirds to the collector and one third to the Comptroller) is not a suitable reward for their trouble and charge, you are hereby (as is done in Virginia and Maryland) to allow them three-fourths of the whole receipt, viz. a moiety to the collector and a quarter to the Comptroller and Surveyor. Hugh Newton (an extraordinary tidesman, Weymouth port) as a tidesman in fee *ibid. loco* Thomas Clotworthy, lately dismissed. Robt. Gregs (a tidesman, Whitehaven port) as waiter and searcher *ibid. loco* William Beckworth, lately dismissed. John Greene as a waiter and searcher at Pembroke Ferry in Milford port *loco* Lewis Moore, who declines same. John Goldsmith and Simon Gill as watermen to Humphry Jones, one of the tidesurveyors *loco* Thomas Hazzard, deceased, and his mate.	*Out Letters* (*Customs*) X, pp. 46, 47.
	Treasurer Rochester to the Earl of Dunbarton. Several of the inhabitants of the late city of Tangier have applied to me concerning the debt of 8,519*l.* 14*s.* 2*d.* owing to them from the officers of your Regiment for their subsistence during their serving at Tangier; towards which debt (so adjusted and stated by the Commissioners appointed by Lord Dartmouth) only 3,958*l.* 14*s.* 10*d.* appears to be paid although several of your officers allege to the said inhabitants that the whole of their debts are stopped out of their pay. Likewise Mr. Hewer has laid before me a memorial of money advanced by him upon account of clothes supplied to said Regiment whilst at Tangier and also of money advanced by order of Lord Dartmouth to your officers there which was to be repaid to Lord Dartmouth or to Hewer out of their first pay after their arrival in England: viz. 530*l.* paid 1680, Nov. 30, for clothes supplied to the 200 recruits sent to Tangier by order of the Commissioners for the affairs of Tangier; 400*l.* paid 1683, Dec. 5, to Capt. Douglas and Capt. Monroe; 49*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.* paid 1683–4, Jan. 20, at Tangier by order of Lord Dartmouth and 480*l.* similarly paid 1683–4, Feb. 8,	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 125.

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1685.	or in all 1,459*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.* Hewer is to attend you as to both these matters. I recommend it to you that his Majesty may receive no further trouble herein and that I may not be obliged to put a stop to the pay due to the Regiment. (Henry Guy of same date to said Hewer, enclosing said letter. You are to attend the Earl of Dunbarton therewith.)	
Aug. 17.	Henry Guy to Sir William Stapleton to attend Treasurer Rochester at his house to-morrow morning. (The like notice to Richard Coling.)	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 126.
	Same to the Mint Commissioners to forthwith provide and deliver to Sir Thomas Grantham a medal of gold with the King's effigies and a chain of gold of the value of 50*l.* which the King is pleased to give him for his great courage and valour in defending himself against the *New Rose* of Algiers, Admiral Cannary commander, in 1678, Oct. 24, when said Sir Thomas was master of the *Concord* merchantmen.	*Ibid.*
Aug. 7 [*sic* for 17].	Same to Auditor Done to peruse the enclosed draft [missing] of a privy seal for Alderman Sturt.	*Ibid.*
Aug. 17.	Same to Mr. Darcy *et al.* to forthwith provide as follows. *Appending :* letter dated Aug. 9 from the Earl of Ailesbury, Lord Chamberlain, to Treasurer Rochester. Two blue chairs were made at the Coronation which would be very serviceable for the King and Queen upon removes on progress "if there were made two blue stools to each chair suitable, to set in the withdrawing rooms for their Royal Highnesses the Prince and Princess of Denmark, otherwise the chairs will be of themselves useless and at the Coronation there was no use of stools which is the reason they were made without." The stools are to be delivered to Mr. Kinnersly, Yeoman of the Removing Wardrobe.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Dove [of the Office of Treasurer of the Chamber] enclosing a copy of the new establishment of the falconcers. Send a copy to Windsor to Mr. Griffin, who will get it signed by the King. Before any payments be made, pursuant to this establishment, to any of the falconers who are payable at the Exchequer by their patents, they are to surrender their said patents. *Appending :* said new establishment (*a*) the falconers that must do the duty, a serjeant 100*l. per an.* and 10 falconers, viz. Conway 80*l. per an.*, Poole 50*l. per an.*, Milles 45*l. per an.*, Potter 44*l. per an.*, Duffeild 44*l. per an.*, Sylvester 50*l. per an.*, Philip Berenbrooke 44*l. per an.*, Daniel 44*l. per an.*, Ryves 25*l. per an.*, Garrell 25*l. per an.* Total, 551*l.* (*b*) Falconers that are in arrear and desire an allowance of 20*l. per an.* pension, viz. William Seakins, Tho. Dychampe, Witchell, James Russell, Rowly, Poulton, Col. Legg, Peter Crowles, Preston, Edes, Bacon, Prettiman, Cooke, Holmes. Total pensions, 280*l.* Total establishment, 831*l. per an.*; as against 1,440*l. per an.* previously.	*Ibid*, p. 127.
	Same to Lieut. Tower. Treasurer Rochester will order 100*l.* to your servant for taking Burton. You are to make such satisfaction to Ryder for services thereon as you at first intended.	*Ibid*, p. 129.

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1685. Aug. 18.	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to the Revenue Commissioners, Ireland, of the petition of Edmond Barry for the office of searcher, gauger and packer in Dublin port *loco* Mr. Hare, deceased.	*Reference Book* III, p. 152.
	Same by same to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of John Jackson (a landwaiter for 21 years) for a land surveyor's place, for which he had a reference July 7 last: he having a certificate of his loyalty and conformity to the Church of England.	*Ibid*, p. 153.
	Same by same to Mr. Hewer of the petition of James Gibbs for payment of his Tangier arrears, being desirous of returning to his own country, Scotland.	*Ibid*, p. 154.
	Money warrant for 125*l.* to Dame Joan Howard for 1681, Christmas quarter, on her pension.	*Money Book* VI, p. 127.
	Same for 150*l.* to John Dryden for three quarters to 1681, Sept. 29, on his annuity as Poet Laureate.	*Ibid.*
	Same for 1,262*l.* 16*s.* 2*d.* to Thomas Chudleigh, late Envoy Extraordinary to the Hague, for his extraordinaries as follows from 1684, June 15, to 1685, April 5, after the disallowance of items 15, 16 and 19 therein. (Money order dated Aug. 19 hereon.)	*Ibid*, pp. 127–8. *Order Book* I, p. 45.

Appending: bill of said extraordinaries as allowed July 17 last by Secretary Middleton, with the exception of said three items which are referred to the Lord Treasurer.

	l.	*s.*	*d.*	Holland. Gilders.	st.	d.
for postage of letters and messengers to the Brill and expresses to England				1,603	15	0
the expense of my journey from the Hague to London in July, 1684				345	7	0
ditto of my journey back to the Hague ..				366	10	0
given in New Year's gifts				511	0	0
for several journeys to Leyden, Rotterdam, Maeslandsluijs, Honslaerdijk and other places				344	19	0
for several messengers sent to Utrecht, Amsterdam and other places				212	11	0
for intelligence of all kinds				2,315	0	0
for relieving poor seamen and other of his Majesty's subjects ..				260	0	0
gifts and rewards upon other occasions ..				467	8	0
for putting myself and family, my coach, horses and house in mourning on the late King's death	300	0	0			
for paper, wax, gazettes and other prints ..				642	9	0

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	l.	*s.*	*d.*	Holland. Gilders.	st.	d.
to physicians and apothecaries for several of my family				63	13	0
an entertainment to several of the States [General] at my audience of congé ..				284	0	0
for my return into England with all my goods, servants and horses ..				1,354	0	0
paid in Exchequer fees on 2,000*l.* of my extraordinaries which I received the last summer	68	10	6			
ditto on 600*l.* more received in Nov. last ..	17	0	6			
ditto on 2,941*l.* of my ordinary allowance ..	66	4	0			
fees on passing a new privy seal for the said money	19	10	0			
Exchequer fees on what I am to receive [for this present bill] ..	51	17	0			
the whole reduced to sterling	£1,400	4	2			

Aug. 18. Henry Guy to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue as follows out of such Excise money and Hearthmoney as is directed to be this day paid into the Exchequer and out of Post Office money paid in last week, viz.: *Disposition Book* IV, p. 65

Out of the Excise.	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*
to me [Guy] for secret service, 500*l.* and 500*l.* by [way of] advance ..	1,000	0	0
to Mr. Griffin, Treasurer of the Chamber, for one quarter to the Foxhounds	120	0	0
to Mr. Graham, Keeper of the Privy Purse	800	0	0
[*Out of the Hearthmoney.*]			
to me [Guy] for secret service by [way of] advance	500	0	0
Out of Post Office money.			
to Lady Portland	250	0	0
to Lady Joane Howard	125	0	0
to Mr. Dryden	150	0	0
to the falconers	538	9	0

(Same dated same to the Commissioners of Excise and Hearthmoney, enclosing the paper of the disposition of the cash of the Excise and Hearthmoney for the week ending the 11th inst. [and that ending the 18th inst.]: said paper including *for the Excise:* the item of 6,000*l.* *ut supra*, p. 305, and the abovesaid three Excise items [payable out of the Exchequer], together with the following items [payable direct out of the Excise Office on tallies] viz. 1,000*l.* to Mr. Toll in part of his debt; 1,500*l.* to Mr. Kent and Mr. Duncombe in part of their debt; 500*l.* to Mr. Horneby in part of his debt. Total disposition of the Excise, 10,920*l.* *For the Hearthmoney:* the above item of 500*l.* to Guy [payable out of the Exchequer] together with the following items [payable direct out of the Hearthmoney Office on tallies], viz.: 2,000*l.* to Mr. Toll

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1685.	in repayment of loan; 3,000*l.* to Mr. Duncombe in further repayment of 22,000*l.* Total disposition of the Hearthmoney, 5,500*l.*)	
Aug. 18.	Henry Guy to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue as follows out of Customs money directed to be this week paid into the Exchequer, viz.:	*Disposition Book* IV, pp. 65, 66.
	l. to the Treasurer of the Navy to pay off the *Montague's* men, the *Mordaunt*, *Dunbarton* and *Shophia* prize .. .. 5,000 to ditto for sea officers and bills in course.. 400 to ditto for the Victuallers 1,200 £6,600	
	And likewise to issue 8,200*l.* to the Paymaster of the Forces out of Excise money to be paid in for that purpose and 3,800*l.* to same out of loans on the linen duty; reserving out of said loans 1,264*l.* 19*s.* 6*d.* for uses to be signified: and to issue to the Treasurer of the Ordnance up to 1,500*l.* out of what remains of said loans after deduction of these two items. (Same dated same to Alderman Duncombe to pay said 8,200*l.* into the Exchequer to-morrow.) (Same dated same to the Customs Cashier to pay 6,600*l.* of Customs money into the Exchequer to-morrow for the three items as above.)	
	Same to the Customs Commissioners to visit the goods of the Envoy of Portugal at his house in Pall Mall in order to their transport for Portugal.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 126.
	Same to Mr. Harbord for an account of the information of wastes in New Forest which was presented to the late Treasury Lords by Major Dickens.	*Ibid*, p. 127.
	Same to the Attorney General. It is the King's pleasure that the three proclamations enclosed [missing] concerning the Post Office be renewed viz. 1672–3, Jan. 11, about soldiers quartering in Post houses; 1667, July 26, to keep the Post officers from public offices; 1669, June 21, about carriers.	*Ibid.*
	Treasurer Rochester to Sir Mathew Jenison, late undersheriff of Notts. Your account for the year ended 1684, Sept. 29, is not yet passed in the Exchequer. It must be perfected in Michaelmas term next otherwise you will be arrested. (The like notice to John Kyrle, sheriff of Hereford, to 1684, Sept. 29; James Howard, ditto of Northumberland, to 1684, Sept. 29; Sir John Coryton, ditto of Cornwall, to 1684, Sept. 29; Charles Jones, ditto of co. Gloucester, to 1684, Sept. 29; Edmund Craister, ditto of Northumberland, for the two years to 1683, Sept. 29; William Hall, ditto for co. Gloucester, to 1681, Sept. 29; Simon Urwyn, ditto for co. Stafford, to 1677, Sept. 29.)	*Ibid*, p. 128.
	Henry Guy to Chr. Hilliard, steward of the Liberty of St. Mary's, York. Send me your answer to the enclosed complaint [missing] of Sir John Rercsby against you. (The like notice to Rich. Battersby, clerk of the said Liberty.) (Same of same date to Mr. Harbord or in his absence Mr. Fisher, to report on said complaints.)	*Ibid.*

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1685. Aug. 18.	Henry Guy to Mr. Bridgeman. The Customs Commissioners have represented to the Lord Treasurer that it is desirable that captains of the King's men of war that go to any of the Plantations should have copies of the instructions which are given to the Governors of those Plantations to which the captains are bound. You are to send to Mr. Pepys copies of these respective instructions so that he may so deliver them. This method is to be constantly observed for the future.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 128.
	Same to the Customs Commissioners to report on the enclosed petition [missing] of the patent officers [of the Customs] and the papers relating thereto. *Appending:* note of said papers (*inter al.* an account of petty Customs payable by Carta Mercatoria and navigation duties with what more has been collected by virtue of the Greenland Act and the Act for Tillage in London port for the year ended 1684, Sept. 29).	*Ibid*, p. 129.
	Same to the Commissioners of Wine Licences. As to your report on Richard Gleave's petition if you think a riding surveyor is necessary you ought to pay his salary and not the King.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Commissioners of Excise and Hearth-money to report on the enclosed letter [missing] of the Duke of Beaufort and the complaint of the gentlemen of Carmarthenshire.	*Ibid.*
Aug. 19.	Same to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue the two single 100*l.* (advanced to me for secret service out of the Excise) to Sir Stc. Fox on his order for secret service, "Mr. Squibb, my clerk, being to pay the money to him." And further to issue to me [Guy] 48*l.* 12*s.* 8*d.* out of Lord Churchill's loan; and 564*l.* 19*s.* 6*d.* out of loans on the linen duty and by way of advance; and 1,299*l.* 0*s.* 10*d.* out of Post Office money in the Exchequer, likewise by way of advance; and to reserve for Treasurer Rochester's disposal the 48*l.* 6*s.* 0*d.* remaining of 1,972*l.* 18*s.* 0*d.* [being the total of the above items and representing the sum] intended lately for Sir Rich. Bulstrode.	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 67.
	Same to same to issue out of William Harbord's loans 250*l.* to me [Guy] and 40*l.* to Robt. Swan.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Customs Commissioners to employ John Bambury as a tidesman in extraordinary, London port, he being recommended by the Bishop of Winchester.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 129.
	Same to Mr. Pepys to report on (*a*) *infra* concerning the anchorage duty in Ireland. What has been the practice here [in England]? *Appending:* letter dated Aug. 11 inst. from Sir P. Pett to [Treasurer Rochester]. As Advocate General of Ireland I have received complaints from the Marshal of the Admiralty there that the right and duty of anchorage which was always paid in that Kingdom to the Lord High Admiral has in some ports of late met with interruption on pretence that that duty has not been of late years paid in England. I consulted the Admiralty records here [England] hereon and find that before the rebellion	*Ibid*, p. 130.

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1685.	of 1641 that duty was constantly paid in England after the rate of 4*d.* per ton [burthen] for all ships above 50 tons and 2*d.* per ton for all under that burden. To the end the duty may receive no further interruption in Ireland I advise the settling of it in England according to the ancient usage. It will soon be effected if referred to the examination of Sir Leoline Jenkins, Judge of the Admiralty, Sir Rich. Lloyd, his deputy and Dean of the Arches, Sir Thomas Exton, Advocate General of England, and myself, "which may be a sufficient ground for his Majesty to re-establish that ancient regale and perquisite of Admiralty with effect in both kingdoms."	
Aug. 20.	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of William Culliford, Register of Seizures, for permission to resign his [said] employment to John Earle, gent.; petitioner being lately appointed a [Revenue] Commissioner, Ireland.	*Reference Book* III, p. 152.
	Henry Guy to the Auditor of the Receipt to reserve for Treasurer Rochester's disposal all the money that is or shall be paid into the Exchequer on account of the duties on wines, vinegar, tobacco and sugar. (Sam. Langford to same dated same to keep a distinct account of these impositions and so to express it in your weekly certificate as Auditor.)	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 67.
	Same dated Windsor, to same to issue as follows out of the moneys of the Customs, Excise, Hearth-money and Post Office directed to be this week paid into the Exchequer, viz.:	*Ibid*, p. 68.

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Out of the Customs.			
to Philip Packer, Paymaster of the Works, for the new buildings at Whitehall	1,500	0	0
Out of the Excise.			
to Mr. Graham for the Privy Purse	800	0	0
Out of Hearthmoney.			
interest for several small loans ..	1,228	4	6
to Mr. Hewer for interest to April 1 last	1,030	10	1
Out of Post Office money.			
to me [Guy] for secret service by [way of] advance	344	6	10
to Mr. Whitgrave	200	0	0
to the parish of Walbrook, due on a perpetuity	84	6	8
	£5,187	8	1

(Same, dated Aug. 21, to the Customs Cashier to pay the abovesaid 1,500*l.* into the Exchequer for Packer.) (Same, dated Aug. 21, enclosing the paper of the disposition of the cash of the Excise for the present week: said paper including the abovesaid item of 800*l.* to Graham [payable out of the Exchequer] together with 8,200*l.* for the Forces and 1,500*l.* for Mr. Kent and Mr. Duncombe in repayment of loan; 1,000*l.* to Mr. Toll for ditto and 500*l.* to Mr. Hornby for ditto. [It is uncertain whether these items are duplicates with the similar items of Aug. 18, *supra* p. 310.] Total disposition 12,000*l.*) (Same dated Aug. 22 to same, enclosing

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1685.		
	the paper of the disposition of the Hearthmoney for the present week: said paper including the abovesaid two items of 1,228*l.* 4*s.* 6*d.* and 1,030*l.* 10*s.* 1*d.* [payable out of the Exchequer] together with the following items [payable direct out of the Hearthmoney Office on tallies] viz., 1,000*l.* to Mr. Toll in repayment of loan; 3,000*l.* to Mr. Duncombe in further part of repayment of 22,000*l.* Total disposition of the Hearthmoney, 6,258*l.* 14*s.* 7*d.*)	
Aug. 20.	Henry Guy to Sir Joseph Ashe. Send your answer to the enclosed case [missing] between the King and the East India Company concerning the payment of their duties with a proposition touching the payment of debentures for East India goods as presented to the Lord Treasurer by the Customs Commissioners.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 130.
	William Shaw to the Customs Commissioners to have sent up to London two boxes stopped at Dover, being directed to the Countess of Rochester.	*Ibid.*
	William Lowndes (in the absence of Henry Guy) to same to report on the following enclosures. *Appending:* note only of said enclosures, viz. Mr. Blathwait's letter to Mr. Guy of Aug. 18 inst.: The petition of Barrakiah Arnall, late master's mate of the pink *Hannah and Eliz.* whereof Natha. Stanberry was commander, to the King and the report thereon dated Aug. 1 inst. from Sir William Stapleton to the Committee of Trade and Plantations: a certificate of the deputy searcher of Boston on behalf of said petitioner: a certificate of the discharge of the *Hannah and Eliz.*, Barakiah Arnold commander.	*Ibid*, p. 131.
	Henry Guy, dated Windsor Castle, to same not to fill up Robert Bathurst's place, whom you have removed from Arundel port, as several principal gentlemen of that country have recommended a person for said place.	*Ibid.*
Aug. 21.	Reference by Treasurer Rochester, dated Windsor Castle, to William Hewer of the petition of James Gorman, shewing that Edw. Roth, late of Tangier, owes petitioner 7,000*l.* and intends to convey his estate to others to defraud petitioner, therefore prays the payment of 2,791*l.* 16*s.* 8*d.* due to Roth [from the King] to be stopped.	*Reference Book* III, p. 152.
	Same by same to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of James Pearse for a place as deputy searcher, London port, and for leave to make a deputy in his office of a patent waiter *ibid.*	*Ibid*, p. 153.
	Same by same to same of the petition of Lieut.-Col. John Devereux, an inhabitant of Montserrat, shewing that a small vessel which traded in the said island with Scotch manufacture contrary to the Navigation Act was seized and condemned and thereon bought by petitioner for 53*l.* who loaded her with the production of said island and brought her to London where she is seized for coming contrary to the said Act: therefore praying a discharge of the ship and goods.	*Ibid.*

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1685. Aug. 21.	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to the Warden and Commissioners of the Mint of the petition of George Macy for 400*l.* being his charges in prosecuting clippers and coiners, he having convicted about 240 persons.	*Reference Book* III, p. 162.
	Same by same to Bartho. Fillingham, Thomas Hall and William Lowndes, Agents for bringing in the arrears of Taxes, of the petition of Tho. Marsden, late Receiver for co. Lancs, of the last part of the Eighteen Months' and Six Months' Assessment, shewing that he returned to Serjt. Ramsey, late one of the Agents for Taxes, 283*l.* at several times, whereof Ramsey only paid in 100*l.*: prays that the remaining 183*l.* may be paid out of money due to said Ramsey in the Exchequer.	*Ibid*, p. 168.
	Entry of the signature by Treasurer Rochester and Sir John Ernle, Chancellor of the Exchequer, of the docquet of an *in custodiam* lease under the Exchequer seal to Thomas Price of the lands of Christian Langley, merchant, extended for debt: at 18*s.* 4*d. per an.* rent and fine of 36*s.* 8*d.*	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, p. 112.
	Fiat by same for royal letters patent to constituto James Waring, gent., customer of Berwick port *loco* Feild Dunn.	*Ibid.*
	Money warrant for 500*l.* to Robert Squibb, junr., as imprest for the relief of English captives [in Barbary] as by the privy seal of April 30 last: to be satisfied out of moneys in the Exchequer arisen by the collection for the said use. (Money order dated Aug. 22 hereon.)	*Money Book* VI, p. 129. *Order Book* I, p. 46.
	Same for 40*l.* to Robert Swan, gent., for half a year to June 24 last on his annuity or pension. (Money order dated Aug. 22 hereon.)	*Money Book* VI, p. 129. *Order Book* I, p. 46.
	Same for 120*l.* to the Dean and Chapter of Westminster for two years to June 24 last on the annuity to them for the minister of the French Church in the Savoy.	*Money Book* VI, p. 129.
	Warrant, dated Windsor Castle, by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners to make such abatement as they think fit on all decayed and defective wines and to take the same duty upon wrought plate exported as if same was bullion (viz. that same go free as by the order of the Treasury Lords in 1672): it appearing that under the Wine Duty Act which expired in 1681 the said Commissioners had authority to make allowance for defective wines in regard of the greatness of the duty but after said expiry they kept themselves strictly to the rule of the Act of Tonnage and Poundage and only gave allowance on wines where same was fit only for the still or vinegar and in that case also they did not exceed the allowance of a third which allowance will not now be practicable in regard of the greatness of the [new] duty.	*Out Letters* (*Customs*) X, p. 47.
	Same by same to same to employ Henry Gosnold as waiter and searcher at Leigh *loco* Joseph Crab, who has relinquished same.	*Ibid*, p. 48.
	Same by same to same to permit the ship *William* (belonging to Peter Airault and other distressed	*Ibid.*

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1685.	Protestants who came from Francc on account of their religion) and her lading of wine and brandy now in Lancaster port, to return to France or any other foreign port without unlading or payment of Custom: it appearing that said ship is not navigated as required by law and so is unqualified to go to any of his Majesty's Plantations; petitioner in his ignorance having come into Lancaster port for a pass thinking that would be sufficient to authorise him to unlade his goods in the Plantations.	
Aug. 21.	Warrant, dated Windsor Castle, by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners to observe a royal warrant, dated Windsor, Aug. 17, to permit Thomas Hawgood, sword cutler to the Ordnance, to import six chests of sword blades on payment of the usual Custom and to deliver same to the [Ordnance] stores under direction of Lord Dartmouth; said Hawgood having contracted with the Ordnance to furnish them with a considerable quantity of swords which he cannot well do without bringing sword blades from foreign parts which is against a late Act of Parliament prohibiting gunpowder, arms or other ammunition to be imported without special licence.	*Out Letters* (*Customs*) X, p. 48.
	Same by same to same to repay the 20*l.* as follows deposited by Henry Fever, master of the *Rebecca*, whose ship in Jan. last was seized by Robert Bernard at Weymouth on the information of Richard Savage for trading between Ireland and the Plantations contrary to law, whereupon Fever "applied himself to your Board who offered him the favour of a letter of licence to compound with his owners, which he would not accept, resolving to stand trial; that being bound to the Newfoundland and having on board 100 men, he agreed to the offer as having the greater share of the said vessel provided he could be immediately despatched away on paying down the King's and officer's part [of the seizure] by way of deposit; but upon advice he was informed that in case of a composition the seizer could not make a good sale of the vessel because the property still remained in the owners and therefore he paid down the King's full moiety in order to a recovery of the said ship upon the promise of your Board to become a means that the 20*l.* remaining over and above the King's third part should be repaid to him or his order and thereupon you directed the delivery of the said ship which hath been since recovered through default of the owners in not appearing."	*Ibid*, p. 49.
	Henry Guy, dated Windsor Castle, to the Customs Commissioners to visit the goods of the Count de Castle Meliore in order to their transport to Portugal. Mr. Sawyers, Vice-Chamberlain to the Queen Dowager at Somerset House, will direct your officer to the Count's lodgings.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 130.
	Same to Mr. Fox, Paymaster of the Forces, to pay to Lieut.-Col. Butler, his Lieut. and Cornet, and to Capt. O'Conner and his Lieut. and Cornet (who are all in Col. Hamilton's Regiment of Dragoons) their full pay as if their Troops had been mounted from the time they were first paid.	*Ibid*, p. 131.
Aug. 22.	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of George Ribton,	*Reference Book* III, p. 154.

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1685.	master and owner of the ship *Freeman* of Whitehaven, shewing that at Dublin he freighted for Virginia and the Commissioners of [Revenue or] Customs there assured him that on his giving bond there, their certificate should clear him in Virginia either for England or Ireland; that at Virginia said certificate not being sufficient he had to give bond in 100*l.* to enter [his lading] in England, intending for Whitehaven; that by contrary winds his ship drove near Dublin, where he went ashore for provisions; then the ship drove into Dublin bay, where the Commissioners grounded her and forced him to enter his tobacco which he did, paying 2*d.* a lb. Irish duty and ½*d.* a lb. English duty; thereupon the Commissioners gave him a certificate to clear his bond in Virginia: nevertheless on coming to Whitehaven the Comptroller there seized his ship for landing in Ireland contrary to law; "that one Mr. Savage pretends that he can prove he landed goods in Virginia" and threatens to send for said bond in Virginia and put it in suit: therefore petitioner prays a stop to all proceedings herein. *Appending:* (1) certificate dated June 23 last by the [Revenue] Commissioners, Ireland, of the payment of said duty. (2) Affidavit touching the foreing said ship on shore by the officers there [Dublin] and detaining the sails until the ship was entered and Customs satisfied for said goods.	
Aug. 22.	Royal warrant to the Attorney General for a privy seal for a grant or confirmation to the mayor, bailiffs and burgesses of the borough of Berwick on Tweed of the annuity or pension of 100*l. per an.* granted by Charles II 1666, July 23, out of the Customs of Berwick or Newcastle port: the patent for which grant did contain proviso that the said town should at their own charge for ever support and repair the bridge over the Tweed built by James I without any further pretences to the King for further repair thereof, that all the said annuity should be expended therein and to no other use and that they should give security for the performance hereof by such conveyance of the manor of Tweedmouth as the Attorney General should approve, the said manor being affirmed to be of the yearly value of 100*l.* By reason that the said grant cannot be charged on the Customs granted to the present King without this present fresh privy seal and the said borough has represented that said bridge is now in danger of falling unless it be speedily repaired, the said annuity is therefore hereby to be paid from 1678, Lady day, out of the Customs as above. The necessary covenants are to be inserted herein for due employing of said annuity for the use intended.	*King's Warrant Book* X, pp. 185–6.
	Same to the Clerk of the Signet for a same for regulating Anthony Sturt's account as follows. The said Sturt and Jonathan Gauden as the assignees of Sir Dennis Gauden, kt., Sir Denny Ashburnham, bart., Abraham Jaggard and Benjamin Gauden were employed as Victuallers of Tangier from 1678, Sept. 29, to 1683–4, Feb. 5, under a contract dated 1664, Aug. 30, made between James, Duke of York, *et al.* on behalf of the King of the one part and Thomas Yeabsly, Thomas Andrewes and John Lanyon, merchants on the other. Some time after the death of Charles II the said Sturt and Gauden	*Ibid*, pp. 186–8.

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1685.	exhibited to the Commissioners for the affairs of Tangier an account of said victualling "for which the said Anthony Sturt paid or advanced the money," and for interest computed to 1684, May 1. Said account was stated by Auditor Done and shows receipts by them from Samuel Pepys 1678, Dec. 30, to 1680, April 7, of 12,834*l.* 16*s.* 5½*d.* and from William Hewer 1680, June 5, to 1684, April 22, of 78,520*l.* 17*s.* 1½*d.* and provisions received by them from the said Sir Dennis Gauden, Sir Denny Ashburnham and partners to the value of 7,325*l.* 9*s.* 0*d.* towards making good the standing magazine of victuals appointed to be kept in said garrison. The said total charge is 98,681*l.* 2*s.* 7*d.* Against this they are allowed in discharge for provisions issued to the garrison (at the rate of 3*s.* 2¼*d.* per man per week) 124,486*l.* 16*s.* 7*d.*; and for provisions delivered by order of the Governor or Commander in chief for the forts and other extraordinary occasions, 8,979*l.* 12*s.* 4*d.*; and for ditto for the sick and wounded in the Hospital by order of Edward Sackvill, late Governor there, 253*l.* 15*s.* 1½*d.*; and for ditto for five Companies of Foot Guards sent to said garrison and four Companies sent there from Ireland, 85*l.* 2*s.* 7½*d.* as by the certificate of Sir Palmes Fairborne, then Commander-in-Chief of said garrison; and for sea provisions delivered on board several ships for victualling 240 Troopers belonging to the [King's] Forces that came from Spain for the assistance of Tangier, viz. for five days at 8*d.* per man per day (which was the rate allowed to the Victuallers of the Navy for sea victuals) 40*l.* as by the certificate of Edward Sackvile, esq.; and for 6 *per cent.* interest computed to 1684, May 1, for money grown due for said victuals so delivered, 4,245*l.* 12*s.* 8*d.* The total discharge is 138,090*l.* 19*s.* 4*d.*, leaving a surplus of 39,409*l.* 16*s.* 9*d.* due to the accomptants: and the said account has been allowed as reasonable by the Navy Commissioners and other referees. Since 1684, May 1, the said Sturt and Gauden have further received from Mr. Hewer, 8,721*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.* besides 278*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.* paid them for coals which item is to be placed to another account. The surplus still due is therefore 30,688*l.* 6*s.* 9*d.* By an instrument dated April 14 last, said Jonathan Gauden has agreed that said account shall pass only in the name of said Sturt and the balance to be paid only to him, subject to the articles of agreement dated Mar. 14 last between Sir Dennis Gauden and said Jonathan Gauden of the one part and said Sturt of the other. It is hereby ordered that the said account be passed in the form as above and the surplus due thereon as above is hereby to be paid to said Sturt. Further among the victuals for which allowance is hereby directed there is comprehended 161,480 lbs. of biskett, 15,077 pieces of beef, 6,316 pieces of pork, 1,377 bushel of pease, 1,604 bushel of oatmeal, 4,706 lbs. of butter and 1,011 lbs. of Cheshire cheese which by order of Lord Dartmouth when he was at Tangier to demolish that garrison were delivered by the agents of said Sturt to the ships then under the command of Lord Dartmouth there by which means Richard Brett and partners who were Victuallers of the Navy received the pursers' indents for those provisions, viz. to the value of 3,425*l.* 2*s.* 10*d.* and interest thereof. The said Brett and partners are hereby to be	

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1685.	eharged with said item and with the biskett bags and casks belonging to same.	
Aug. 22.	Henry Guy, dated Windsor Castle, to Mr. Stepliens for an aecount what is due to you on your loans upon the last half year of the Hearthduty.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 130.
	Same to the Exchequer officers, enelosing (*a*) *infra*. Return your answer thereto. *Appending:* (*a*) the Earl of Peterborough's reasons why he should not pay the 50*l*. now demanded by the Exchequer officers for fees on the 1,000*l*. a year paid him out of the establishment of Tangier by the Treasurer of Tangier. Said pension was granted on a valuable consideration and has always been inserted in the Tangier establishment: up to the time of Mr. Povey's resigning the Treasurership of Tangier to Mr. Pepys in 1664, the officers of the Exchequer never demanded other fees than those paid for the issues on Tangier account, whieh are mueh greater than in the case of issues for the Navy etc.: and so also during Mr. Pepy's treasurership 1664–80: in the last establishment for Tangier the King allowed only 20*s*. per 1,000*l*. for fees of the Exchequer officers, whereas they have and do now receive, by favour, 4*l*. per 1,000*l*.: the said officers have never received other fees for any pension on any establishment than was paid for the money generally reeeived [on such establishment].	*Ibid*, pp. 131–2.
Aug. 24.	Same, dated Windsor Castle, to the Customs Commissioners to permit the Earl of Carlingford to unlade from the pink *William and Sarah* of Yarmouth, lately come from Hamburg, some presents sent him by his brother, Count Taaff from Vienna, whieh are for the King.	*Ibid*, p. 132.
	Same to same to visit the goods of the Marechal D'Humières, at the French ambassador's house in St. James's Square in order to their transport to France.	*Ibid.*
Aug. 25.	Privy seal dormant for 10,000*l*. to be issued in such proportions, to such persons and for such uses as the King shall direct by royal sign manual. (Royal warrant dated Aug. 17 for said privy seal.)	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 181.
	Eight separate royal sign manuals for respectively 344*l*. 6*s*. 10*d*., 500*l*., 700*l*., 564*l*. 19*s*. 6*d*., 250*l*., 500*l*., 1,299*l*. 0*s*. 10*d*. and 500*l*. to Henry Guy, for secret service, without account: to be issued on the 10,000*l*. privy seal dormant of Aug. 25 inst. (Eight money warrants dated Aug. 25 hereon. Eight money orders dated Aug. 26 hereon.)	*Ibid*, p. 189. *Money Book* VI, p. 130. *Order Book* I, p. 47.
Aug. 26.	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester [to the Receipt] for a debenture for 50*l*. being the unsatisfied remainder of a money warrant dated 1684, Nov. 22, for 600*l*. to Charles, Duke of Southampton, to complete 1683, Lady day quarter, on his pension of 3,000*l*. *per an.* on the Excise.	*Money Book* VI, p. 130.
	Henry Guy to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue as follows out of moneys directed to be this day paid into the Exchequer. *Out of the Customs.* — *l.* *s.* *d.* to the Treasurer of the Navy for the *Dartmouth's* men now going out to sea 3,000 0 0	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 69.

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1685.		*l.*	*s.*	*d.*	
	to the Treasurer of the Navy for sea officers and bills in course	400	0	0	
	to ditto for the Victuallers	600	0	0	
		£4,000	0	0	
	Out of the Excise.				
	to the Paymaster of the Forces ..	6,000	0	0	
	Out of loans on the linen duty.				
	to ditto, more	6,000	0	0	
	to the Treasurer of the Ordnance ..	1,500	0	0	
		£7,500	0	0	
	Out of Thomas Hall's loans.				
	to William Hewer for the late garrison of Tangier	8,000	0	0	
	Out of the money of the Letter Office.				
	to the Clerk of the Pipe	107	4	2	
	to [Blathwayte for] the clerks etc. attending the Committee for Trade and Foreign Plantations for half a year to June 24 last ..	600	0	0	
	to the Churchwardens of St. Botolph's, Aldersgate	19	15	0	
	to me [Guy] for secret service ..	100	0	0	
		£826	9	2	
	(Same dated same to the Customs Cashier to pay said 4,000*l.* into the Exchequer for above uses.) (Same dated same to the Excise Commissioners to similarly pay said 6,000*l.* into the Exchequer.)				
Aug. 26.	Henry Guy to the Customs Commissioners to permit the export to France of goods (detailed) belonging to Lord Montagu.				*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 133.
	Same to Mr. Aldworth to deliver to the present Commissioners of the Hearthmoney the Hearthmoney books now in your custody for Lady day, 1684. *In the margin :* a later letter dated 1685, Sept. 10, for him to deliver to the late Managers of the Hearthmoney the collectors' books thereof for the nine preceding half years to 1683, Sept. 29, in order to the stating the accounts between the respective Receivers General and said managers "you having no objection thereto."				*Ibid.*
	Same to the Attorney General to despatch the three proclamations *ut supra*, p. 311, relating to the Post Office.				*Ibid*, p. 133. *Money Book* VI, p. 130.
	Same to Commissary General, Henry Howard. You were asked on the 10th for duplicates of the very last musters of the Tangier Forces taken by you here in England upon the English establishment. Instead you have sent duplicates of the musters by you taken at their landing in April, 1684. Send what I asked for.				*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 133.
	Same to Mr. Hewer to report on Mr. Hordesnell's petition for 96*l.* 12*s.* 0*d.* to be paid out of Lieut. Dunn's arrears.				*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Darcy *et al.* to forthwith provide as follows. *Appending :* letter dated Aug. 25 from the Earl of Ailesbury, Lord Chamberlain, to the Lord Treasurer.				*Ibid.*

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1685.	The Queen desires a grass green cloth carpet three yards by $2\frac{3}{4}$ yards lined with green taffeta and fringed about with gold fringe to play cards upon. There are also wanting new covers of taffeta for the chairs and stools in the King's great bedchamber, to be of crimson colour, and for those in the little bedchamber, to be of dove colour: also for the King's Chapel at Windsor three cushions of crimson velvet to kneel upon, fringed with silk fringe.	
Aug. 26.	Henry Guy to Mr. Blathwayte to prepare a warrant to insert Stephen Hales, senr., on the establishment of the Forces for half pay of 2*s.* a day like others in similar circumstances.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 134.
	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of Samuel Turner, gent. for the place of waiter and searcher at Arundel *loco* Mr. Bathurst, removed.	*Reference Book* III, p. 154.
	Warrant by same to the Auditor and Receiver of the Duchy of Cornwall, to pay to Elizabeth the relict and Thomas the son of Thomas Johnson, the profits of the manor of Liskeard, co. Cornwall, the said Thomas, senr., having purchased the manor, park and demesnes of Liskeard [during the Civil war] and having been confirmed by several orders in 1660 until a lease of the park and demesnes was granted him which was again renewed in 1675, but the manor being not grantable by lease was continued to him by several orders of the Commissioners for the sale of Crown and Church Lands and by a special warrant thereon made 1660–1 by Sir Charles Harbord, Surveyor General of Crown Lands, which tenure was again confirmed 1668, May 20, after the death of Treasurer Southampton and by Treasurer Danby in 1675, July 8, and by the late Treasury Lords 1680–1, Jan. 25.	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, pp. 112–3.
Aug. 27.	Money warrant for 588*l.* 19*s.* 5*d.* to Sir Benj. Bathurst, kt., for 6 *per cent.* interest to Lady day last on several sums by him lent for the late King's service: viz., 20,000*l.* lent on the Customs and Excise from 1684, Sept. 29 (whereof 2,000*l.* is repaid) and for 2,000*l.* due to him by bill of exchange from Tangier upon Mr. Sheare's letter to the late Treasury Lords, viz., from 1684, Aug. 1, to Nov. 28, when same was paid: all as by an account made up to said date by Auditor Aldworth and allowed by Treasurer Rochester July 4 last. (Money order dated Aug. 31 hereon.)	*Money Book* VI, p. 131. *Order Book* I, p. 48.
	Same for 1,531*l.* 1*s.* 2*d.* to Edw. Noell, esq., for 6 *per cent.* interest to May 20 last on several sums by him lent for the late King's service: as by an account thereof made up to said date and allowed *ut supra.* (Money order dated Sept. 3 hereon.)	*Money Book* VI, p. 131. *Order Book* I, p. 47.
	Same for 320*l.* 0*s.* 6*d.* to Sir Hugh Cholmley for 6 *per cent.* interest to Lady day last for money (10,999*l.* 7*s.* $0\frac{1}{4}$*d.*) lent *ut supra*: as by an account made up to said date and allowed *ut supra.* (Money order dated Sept. 1 hereon.)	*Money Book* VI, p. 131. *Order Book* I, p. 48.
	Henry Guy to the Customs Commissioners to deliver, Customs free, to John Bayly, his Majesty's purveyor for fowls, 1,000*l.* Orlelans which he has provided	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 134.

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1685.	for the King's service by order of the Board of Greencloth.	
Aug. 27.	Henry Guy to the Customs Commissioners to report on (*a*) *infra.* *Appending:* petition dated London, 30–20 Aug. from Pierre Trowde, master of the vessel which brought the goods of the Marq. d'Humieres from Calais to London, praying leave to return without payment of the French duty.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 134.
	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to same of the petition of Charles Coles, shewing that 12 months since he built a hoy called the *Virgin* of Arundel of 60 tons to carry timber for his Majesty's service and put in Richd. Estridge as master, who after two or three voyages ran away with said vessel to Ireland, there laded 100. fitches of bacon and brought same to London and was there seized under the Act of 20 Car. II [c. 12]; the seizer being satisfied of petitioner's innocence did not prosecute and the said master absconded, but since [then] one Paul Tracy by the assistance of the master and one White, an Irishman of the Temple, have seized the ship and refuse to deliver her and as it is the long vacation no writ of delivery can be had without the Lord Treasurer's order: prays such a writ upon [petitioner's] security to answer the value of the vessel if she be adjudged forfeit by law.	*Reference Book* III, p. 155.
	Warrant by same to the Receipt to cancel and vacate two tallies dated 1676, Nov. 6, for 77*l.* and 22*l.* struck on the Wine Licences which were delivered to Robert Rives as security for loans to the late King and likewise a tally for 1,200*l.* dated 1680, Nov. 25, for money lent by him on that revenue which said loan [as also the other two] is since repaid.	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, p. 113.
	Same by same to the King's Remembrancer for a commission of inquiry as to several lands etc. in several counties, detailed, of England escheated to the King but concealed from him as is represented by Elias Allen, gent. *Appending:* names of said Commissioners, viz. Sir Peter Rich and 29 others.	*Ibid*, p. 114.
Aug. 28.	Henry Guy to Mr. Hewer, enclosing some muster rolls. Of these you are to return to Commissary Crawford to-morrow the two muster rolls of Capt. Hawley's and Capt. Bridgman's Companies as he has not yet received the King's orders whether to close them up at 60 or 80 men per Company.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 134.
	Same to the Customs Commissioners to report on the enclosed answer [missing] of the East India Company to the case between the King and them concerning the payment of their duties.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Lord Dartmouth. There are several prohibited goods lodged in the Mews. You are to permit Mr. Stephen Chuseman, a Customs officer, to search for and seize same.	*Ibid*, p. 135.
	Same to the Customs Commissioners to deliver the horses as follow. *Appending:* note by C. Walkling dated this day that Prince George of Denmark has brought from	*Ibid.*

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1685.		
	Denmark in the hoy *Hope* of Husum, Hans Petersen master, 11 stone horses and seven geldings.	
Aug. 28.	Henry Guy to Mr. Harbord to report on the enclosed answer [missing] of Mr. Hilliard, steward of the Liberty of St. Mary's in York, to Sir John Reresby's complaint against him.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 135.
	Same to the Excise Commissioners and the Customs Commissioners. The Lord Treasurer will not be in town on Tuesday next. Attend him the following Tuesday.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Attorney General at his country house. Send the Lord Treasurer your opinion on the papers containing a charge against the late Farmers of the London Excise before he take further proceedings therein; in particular (1) has there been any such legal and final determination therein as will prevent fresh proceedings. (2) Was Treasurer Southampton's reference to the Solicitor General as to discovering the authors of the forgery of the counterpart sufficient authority for the Solicitor General's proceeding to a judicial examination thereof. (3) Are the said Farmers by the report thereon so absolved from the guilt of said forgery as to enable them to plead *autrefois acquit*. (4) If any defalcations allowed them were surreptitiously obtained upon false suggestions or accounts or upon forged covenants contained in said counterpart does their discharge under the great seal acquit them thereof. (5) If not how can the King compel them to refund same. (6) You are to fully consider the reasons offered in the long state of the case why the additional 4*d*. per gallon received by the said Farmers under the Retrospect [clause of the] Act of 22 Car. II [c. 3] ought to be by them accounted for and paid to the present King as not being intentionally included in the said Farmers' original grant.	*Ibid*, pp. 135–6.
	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to the Auditor of the Receipt of the petition of John Trinder (Tinder) gent. and Dame Mary Onby his wife, shewing that Dame Mary's late husband, Sir John Onby, paid 2,000*l*. for the place of one of the four messengers attending the Treasury and Receipt of Exchequer; petitioner has always employed substantial clerk-like men to wait at the Treasury door to execute such orders as came from the table, yet during her widowhood some interlopers have invaded the messenger's rights; petitioner still has men and horses ready to perform the Lord Treasurer's commands: therefore prays the Lord Treasurer to forbid any one intermeddling with the messenger's business.	*Reference Book* III, pp. 155–6.
	Same by same to the Surveyor General of Crown Lands of the petition of Mary Gunter, daughter of Col. Geo. Gunter (who conveyed the late King over sea after the battle of Worcester) praying a grant of a strip of ground lying without the wall of the East side of St. James's Park extending from the house of Geo. Holder to the house which William Story inhabits, being 400 feet by 40 feet which is encumbered with Barebone's rubbish of his new buildings.	*Ibid*, p. 156.

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1685. Aug. 28.	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to the Auditors of Imprests of the petition of John Ady and John Cole, Deputy Chamberlains of the Exchequer for joining tallies, praying their fees of 2*s.* per 1,000*l.* on 1,126,319*l.* 1*s.* 2½*d.* [Customs] tallies joined by them in two years to Sept. 29 last.	*Reference Book* III, p. 156.
	Same by same to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of Rich. Sprig for a *noli prosequi* against a ship which he laded with stockwood, being informed that stockwood was [allowed to be] entered but which was seized in the Downs.	*Ibid.*
	Samo by same to same of the petition of John Thompson for leave to import gum seneca for three months.	*Ibid*, p. 157.
	Same by same to the Surveyor General of Crown Lands of the petition of Francis Strutt, one of the King's messengers, as referred from the King in Council May 8 last, for a moiety of a discovery of concealed lands in and near Ashborne, co. Derby, being parcel of the possession of a college of Jesuits at Holbeck, co. Notts, and for the profits thereof "until the said lands shall be by law evicted out of his Majesty's hands."	*Ibid.*
	Same by same to the Excise Commissioners of the petition of Mr. Argalls for a country accomptant's place in the Excise.	*Ibid*, p. 158.
	Same by same to the Customs Commissioners of John Morgan's petition for a tidewaiter's place in London, Bristol, Exeter or West Chester; he having been presented for a place at Berwick which was given to another.	*Ibid.*
	Same by same to William Hewer of the petition of William Brady for 47*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.* for his service at Tangier. of William Smith for 100*l.* as late Major [Mayor] of Tangier. of William Smith, late of Tangier, for 90*l.* stopped by Mr. Hewer from Eliz. White, widow. of Edward Roth *et al.* James Gorman and Philip Stafford for several moneys which they lent to Tangier officers; samo being referred from the King July 17 last. of Edward Roth, Philip Stafford and Lucy Molloy for 9*l.* 17*s.* 3*d.*, 41*l.* 1*s.* 9*d.* and 38*l.* 6*s.* 0*d.* respectively owing to them from Lieut. Florence Macharty: as by a reference *ut supra* from the King. of Henry Shere for four years' arrears in view of his and other officers' unspeakable distress. of Edward Cheston for 25*l.* 16*s.* 0*d.* due to him out of the Tangier revenue. of Mr. Senhouse for 180*l.* for houses demolished at Tangier. of Robt. Cuthbert, for relief in the [matter of the] farm of the porterage at Tangier. of Edward Roth, of Tangier, merchant, for interest for ready money he lent to the officers at Tangier by Lord Dartmouth's order. of Mary Sumner, widow of Richard Sumner, late of Tangier, for 114*l.* due to him, she having nothing to maintain herself and three children.	*Ibid*, pp. 158, 159, 160, 161, 164.

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1685.	of Eleanor Morris for 9*l.* 2*s.* 3*d.* due to her late husband for his service in Tangier. of Eliz. Cane, widow of Thomas Cane, for her husband's arrears as late of Major Douglas's Company at Tangier.	
Aug. 28.	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to Piercy Kirke, esq., of the petition of Bernard Tessin, ensign, for his ensign's pay 1682, April 1, to 1683, Sept. 10, during which he was suspended, being then restored by the King's special order.	*Reference Book* III, p. 159.
	Same by same to the Surveyor General of Crown Lands of the petition of John Vaughan, an infant, [presented] by Hector Philips and William Hooker, his guardians, for the stewardship of several lordships and manors of Mevenydd, Croythyn [Crewddyn] Henniniock, Caerwedros and Perfedd, co. Cardigan, granted to his late father.	*Ibid*, p. 160.
	Same by same to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of Gyles Dowle for a quarter's salary and to be continued in his office, he being employed by the late Treasury Lords at 80*l. per an.* for suppressing the growth of tobacco in England: he alleging that the late Act laying 3*d.* per lb. on tobacco will cause a great deal more than heretofore to be planted.	*Ibid.*
	Same by same to the Surveyor General of Crown Lands of the petition of John Taylor for a lease of 4,000 acres of land in Delamere Forest granted to the Earl of Macclesfield at 6*d. per an.* per acre to be enclosed within five years: no enclosure having been made thereunder and no rent paid, whereby said grant is void.	*Ibid*, p. 161.
	Same by same to same of the petition of Charles Bodvile, Visct. Bodmin, keeper of the Castle of Carnarvon, for a renewal of the grant thereof which became void by the late King's death; and likewise for a grant of so much as has fallen in to the King by the death of Edward, late Lord Herbert, of the offices of Chief Forester of the Forest of Snowdon, Keeper of Conway Castle, Keeper of the courts of the manors and lands of the late monastery of Bardsey, co. Carnarvon.	*Ibid.*
	Same by same to the Auditor of the Receipt of an order of the King in Council dated July 24 last, referring to the Lord Treasurer the petition of John Wilson, esq., sheriff of co. Leicester, and the Justices of Peace of said county for a grant of two fines imposed on the said county, one by Baron Gregory at the last summer assizes being of 1,000 marks, the other by Justice Walcott last Lent assizes of 2,000 marks being both imposed for want of a common gaol for the county: petitioners desiring same towards the building of such gaol to prevent the many escapes now made there.	*Ibid*, p. 163.
	Same by same to Lord Dartmouth of the petition of Rich. Welbeck, keeper of his Majesty's stables at Reading for an addition to his allowance of 18*l. per an.* out of the Chamber and 12*l. per an.* out of the Exchequer, which [latter] was granted for carrying away the soil; on which allowance there will be 30*l.* due next Michaelmas, petitioner being	*Ibid.*

Date.	Nature and Substance of the Entry.	Reference.
1685.	80 years of age, and his wife 78 and reduced to great distress for want thereof.	
Aug. 28.	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of John Underwood for a tidewaiter place, he being reduced out of the Life Guard of Horse.	*Reference Book* III, p 164.
	Same by same to Mr. Graham of the petition of Dame Theodocia Ivie *alias* Bryan for payment of last Lady day's half year on the rent of 140*l.* *per an.* payable to her out of the manor of Dauntsey, co. Wilts, which Mr. Watson the Receiver says he cannot pay without the Lord Treasurer's order.	*Ibid.*
	Same by same to Mr. Darcy *et al.* of the petition of Edward Bird, one of the poor tailors in the Wardrobe, for 10*l.* 8*s.* 0*d.* for half a year's pay ; he being poor and his wife very sick.	*Ibid*, p. 165.
	Same by same to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of Antho. Thorold, Collector of Lyme port, shewing that on the Duke of Monmouth's landing at Lyme he rode post to London to bring the first news and during his absence 400*l.* of Customs moneys was seized out of his house by said Duke, who left a receipt or certificate under his hand of the seizure thereof: prays allowance thereof.	*Ibid*, p. 167.
	Same by same to Rich. Graham of the petition of Rich. Hart, gent. shewing that he has convicted at his own charge several wealthy Dissenters in co. Berks who were in arms against Charles I: therefore prays a grant of recognizances of 40*l.* forfeited by John Tompkins and his sureties for not appearing in the King's Bench.	*Ibid.*
	Money warrant for 512*l.* 1*s.* 10*d.* to William Blathwayte, assistant to the Clerks of the Council attending the Committee of Council for Trade and Plantations: being 257*l.* 2*s.* 6*d.* and 254*l.* 19*s.* 4*d.* for two bills, detailed, of salaries and incidents for said Committee for 1685, Lady day and Midsummer quarters. (Money order dated Aug. 31 hereon.)	*Money Book* VI, pp. 132-3. *Order Book* I, p. 47.
	Same for 5,000*l.* to Thomas Hall as in repayment of so much by him lent the 18th inst. on the credit of the Hearthmoney due Lady day next, with 6 *per cent.* interest payable [or to be made into principal] at the end of every six months. (Money order dated Sept. 1 hereon.)	*Money Book* VI, p. 133. *Order Book* I, p. 48.
	Henry Guy to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue 700*l.* to me [Guy] out of the loans on the linen duty.	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 70.
Aug. 29.	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Surveyor General of Crown Lands for a constat of a piece of ground in St. James's Park 200 feet by 135 feet, on which Ellen Oglethorpe has built a house: with a view to a lease to her which the King is pleased to gratify her in.	*Reference Book* III, p. 157.
	Reference by same to the Chancellor of the Exchequer *et al.* of Thomas Agar's book of wood sales in the King's forests, Trent South, in 1682–4, and of said Agar's claims of allowances.	*Ibid*, p. 158.

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1685. Aug. 29.	Henry Guy to Mr. Gore to eertify the Lord Treasurer the prices at whieh hemp can now be bought.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 136.
	Same to the Surveyor General of Crown Lands to report, on the following papers, who are lords of tho river between Windsor and Staines and proprietors of the lands on each side thereof. *Appending:* extract from a paper of "necessary eonsiderations for the erecting of a lock upon tho river at Windsor." (1) The royalty of the river etc. The first thing to be examined by the Attorney General is who are the lords of the river and of the two banks between Windsor and Staines that so he may make agreements with them. "I am informed that the royalty of the river at Windsor belongs to the Mayor and Aldermen; the bank on Buckingham side to Mr. Abraham Wassele who is lord of the manor of Eton and may be heard of at the Old Jewry near the ehureh; the bank on Berkshire side to Sir Rieh. May who had a grant of the island and meadow ground adjoining to the mill by lease from Charles II."	*Ibid.*
	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners to pay 250*l.* to Gyles Lyteott for half a year to June 24 last on his former salary of 500*l. per an.* as Comptroller General of the aceounts of the Customs: with dormant clause for his present salary of 1,000*l. per an.* from that time to be inserted on the establishment of the Customs and to be paid quarterly.	*Money Book* VI, p. 133.
	Money warrant for 3,100*l.* to Christopher Rosse, his Majesty's Jeweller for jewels as follows, viz.: 300*l.* thereof for a jewel of diamonds given to Baron de Reeke, Envoy from the Duke of Hanover; 300*l.* thereof for a same given to the Baron Devilbroke, Envoy from the Duke of Neuburgh; 300*l.* thereof for a same given to the Baron de Ketles, Envoy from the Duke of Hesse Cassel; 600*l.* thereof for a same given to the Prince Radizvill, Envoy from the King of Poland; 500*l.* thereof for a same given to Count Martenetz, Envoy Extraoridnary from the Emperor; 300*l.* thereof for a same given to the Marquis Angustine de Palavicini (Pallavieini), Envoy Extraordinary from the Republic of Genoa: 300*l.* thereof for a diamond ring given to Monsieur de Benting, Envoy Extraordinary from the Prince of Orange; 200*l.* thereof for a jewel of diamonds given to the Resident from tho Republic of Genoa; 300*l.* thereof for a same with his Majesty's pieture given to the Envoy Extraordinary from tho Elector of Maintz. *Appending:* (*a*) warrant dated June 12 last for the first four of the above items by the Earl of Arlington, then Lord Chamberlain. (*b*) Ditto dated Aug. 3 inst. for the remaining items by the Earl of Ailesbury, Lord Chamberlain. "I must add this, that these jewels were provided by my predeeessor's orders and the letter brought to be signed by me for the same." (Money order dated Aug. 31 hereon.)	*Ibid*, p. 134. *Order Book* I, p. 49.
	Same for 345*l.* 19*s.* 10½*d.* to Mr. Ryves *et al.* as the remainder of 2,345*l.* 19*s.* 10½*d.* as by the patent of 1682, Sept. 12, *ut supra*, *Calendar of Treasury Books*, Vol. VI, p. 740, VII, p. 600: on whieh patent a direction has already been given for 2,000*l.*: to be paid out of loans on the Wine Licence revenue. (Money order dated Sept. 22 hereon.)	*Money Book* VI, p. 134[b]. *Order Book* I, pp. 47, 51, XXXVIII, p. 189.

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1685. Aug. 31.	Henry Guy to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue as follows out of moneys paid and directed to be paid into the Exchequer [this week] viz.:	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 70.

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Out of the Customs.			
to the Treasurer of the Navy towards building the new dock at Chatham, according to contract with Mr. Rogers	400	0	0
Out of the Excise.			
to Mr. Guy for secret service	1,000	0	0
[to ditto] more	500	0	0
to Mr. Ross	1,000	0	0
to Signor Verrio by [way of] advance	200	0	0
to Mr. Guy more by [way of] advance (for Mr. Legg for the labourers in St. James's Park) ..	80	0	0
Out of the Post Office money.			
to Mr. Guy more by [way of] advance	144	10	11
to the Keepers of New Park	164	5	0
	£3,488	15	11

(R. Squibb in the absence of Henry Guy, dated Windsor Castle, Aug. 31, to the Customs Cashier, enclosing the paper of the disposition of the Customs cash for the week ended the 25th inst., said paper including the above item of 400*l.* [payable out of the Exchequer] together with the following items [payable direct out of the Customs Office on tallies] viz.: 2,123*l.* 19*s.* 9*d.* to complete the quarter bill of the Customs [salaries, London port]; 1,000*l.* to Mr. Hewer in repayment of loan; 150*l.* to the Duke of Albemarle for the rent of Mote Park. Total disposition of the Customs, 3,673*l.* 19*s.* 9*d.*) (Same to the Commissioners of Excise and Hearthmoney enclosing the similar paper of the disposition of the Excise and Hearthmoney for same week: said paper including *for the Excise* the above five Excise items [payable out of the Exchequer] together with the following items [payable direct out of the Excise Office on tallies] 6,000*l.* to the Forces, paid already; 1,500*l.* to Mr. Kent and Mr. Duncombe in repayment of loan; 1,000*l.* to Mr. Toll for the like; 500*l.* to Mr. Hornby for the like. Total disposition of the Excise, 11,780*l.*; *and for the Hearthmoney:* 2,000*l.* to Mr. Noell in repayment of loan on two tallies "both in my [Guy's] hands".)

Royal warrant to the Clerk of the Signet for a privy seal for an annuity or yearly pension of 1,500*l.* to Francis Gwynn, esq., in consideration of his good services: to be paid quarterly as from Christmas last, the payment for the half year to June 24 last to be made forthwith. — *King's Warrant Book* X, pp. 189–90.

Same to the Chief Ranger of New Park, near Richmond, to permit Sir John Jenner and his assigns [on behalf of the inhabitants of Petersham, co. Surrey] to take gravel not exceeding 1,000 loads within the said park for repairing of the highways belonging to the said town "as hath been heretofore used." Sir Thomas Jenner, Recorder of London, having desired such permission on behalf of himself and other inhabitants of Petersham. — *Ibid*, p. 190.

Same to the Clerk of the Signet for a privy seal for the payment to Lieut. William Armstrong (out of — *Ibid*, p. 191.

Date.	Nature and Substance of the Entry.	Reference.
1685.	the Portugal portion of the Queen Dowager) of the 600*l.* due at Christmas last on his annuity or pension of 200*l.* granted him by privy seal dated 1676, Oct. 19, for good services which annuity has been satisfied only to Christmas, 1681, and no further payments can be made [without fresh privy seal] on said grant by reason of the death of Charles II. Further it is the King's intention to continue said annuity and same is hereby to be paid quarterly as it falls due.	
Sept. 1.	Henry Guy to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue as follows out of such moneys as will be paid into the Exchequer to-morrow. *l.* *of the Customs.* to the Treasuror of the Navy .. .. .. 3,000 *of loans.* to the Treasurer of the Ordnance .. .. 1,500 to the Paymaster of the Forces .. .. 4,000 *of the Excise.* to the Paymaster of the Forces 8,000 £16,500	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 71.
	Same to Mr. Stephens [Cashier to the Treasurer of the Navy] to pay as follows the abovesaid 3,000*l.* viz.: *l.* towards the pay of the yachts according to a note given in Mar. 11 last .. .. 2,000 for sea officers and bills in course .. .. 400 to the Victuallers .. .. 600 £3,000 But the 2,000*l.* for the yachts you are to keep in your hands till further orders from the Lord Treasurer.	*Ibid.*
Sept. 4.	William Shaw [for Henry Guy] to Mr. Stephens [Navy Cashier]. Send the Lord Treasurer notice what will be due to the Yards at Portsmouth for one quarter.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 137.
	Rob. Squibb (in the absence of Henry Guy) to Marmaduke Darcy, Geo. Benion and Robt. Philips to provide as follows. *Appending:* (*a*) lotter dated Sept. 2 inst. from Hen. Savile [Vice-Chamberlain,] to the Lord Treasurer. The Queen has ordered that the black hangings in her apartment in Whitehall should be fitted to the wainscot in every room and edged about with cloth escalloped instead of fringe. Please order the King's upholster to be directed by the Commissioners of the [Great] Wardrobe to do same. (*b*) Letter dated Aug. 28 last from the Earl of Ailesbury, Lord Chamberlain, to the Lord Treasurer. The Queen has directed that there be speedily provided for her own use three plain tables of a middle size of three several sorts of wood, viz. olive wood, walnut wood and Jamaica or Princes wood: all the tables to be without stands and to be sent to Windsor Castle.	*Ibid.*
	Money warrant for 47*l.* 4*s.* 2*d.* to Hugh, Lord Clifford, for one year to Lady day last on his fee as Clerk of the Pipe; and likewise for 60*l.* for same on the	*Money Book* VI, p. 135. *Order Book* I, p. 49.

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1685.	allowance formerly made to the Clerk of the Pipe for writing the business of Recusants. (Money order dated Sept. 5 hereon for said 60*l.*)	
Sept. 4.	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners to pay 193*l.* 0*s.* 6*d.* to Edward Randolph for his expenditure in the prosecution of seizures in New England without any benefit to himself thereby: the said Commissioners having reported Aug. 21 last that they are very sensible of the sufferings and hardships which he met with from the government of New England in the execution of his duty.	*Money Book* VI, p. 135.
	Same by same to the Customs Cashier to pay 15*l.* 3*s.* 4*d.* to John Langwith for last June 24 quarter's allowance as messenger attending the Customs. *Followed:* by Treasurer Rochester's allowance dated Sept. 7 of the like quarter's bill of 15*l.* 3*s.* 4*d.* due to Langwith as Messenger of the Chamber attending the Lord Treasurer.	*Ibid*, p. 137.
Sept. 5.	William Shaw (in the absence of Henry Guy) to the Hearthmoney Commissioners to transmit to Mr. Aldworth the book of the Hearth duty for the Inns of Court and Chancery during the five years of the late [Hearthmoney farmor] management.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 137.
	Francis Gwynn to the Customs Commissioners to report to the Lord Treasurer on the letter lately received from the Revenue Commissioners, Ireland, in which they desire direction to allow the merchants of Ireland to give security by their friends in England for their ships, intended [bound] for the Plantations, to return for England as the law directs.	*Ibid.*
	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to Mr. Hewer of the petition of John Dennis shewing that he served at Tangier in the quality of a Quartermaster from 1682, April 27, to 1684, May 1, in which time he received no pay: prays an advance of his proportion of the six months' pay of Tangier arrears which will be shortly paid.	*Reference Book* III, p. 162.
Sept. 6.	Same by same to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of Tobias Eden for the place of clerk of the port books and port bonds in the King's Remembrancer's Office with the salary of 240*l. per an.* void by the death of Henry Fanshaw; petitioner having for divers years past been deputy to the late Visct. Fanshaw in the Office of King's Remembrancer and since his death as deputy to the trustees of the present Visct. Fanshaw.	*Ibid.*
	Henry Guy to same. The Lord Treasurer will not be in town to-morrow. (The like notice to the Commissioners of Excise and Hearthmoney.)	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 137.
	Same to same to report on the enclosed petitions [missing] of Mr. Eden and Mr. Burdet.	*Ibid*, p. 138.
Sept. [? an erratum for Dec.] 7.	Royal warrant to the Clerk of the Signet for a privy seal for regulating as follows Col. Edward Sackville's accounts as Governor of the late city and garrison of Tangier as examined and stated by Brooke Bridges and Thomas Done, Auditors of Imprests. Said Sackville is therein charged with 4,321*l.* 8*s.* 2*d.* paid by William Hewer on bills of exchange drawn	*King's Warrant Book* X, pp. 247–50.

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1685.	from Tangier by said accountant and with 85*l.* 15*s.* 0*d.* by said accountant received of Lieut.-Col. Boynton being left in said Boynton's hands by Sir Palmes Fairborne, deceased, late Governor of Tangier (and allowed in said Fairborne's account as paid to said Sackville). The total charge is 4,407*l.* 3*s.* 2*d.*: against which he is allowed 726*l.* 18*s.* 5½*d.* for barley, cask and candles for the Spanish horse, shirts for the sick in the Hospital, wine for the soldiers and seamen employed about the fortifications, cambric and other cloth for presents to the Alcade of Alcazar and his hostages at Tangier and for lead; 280*l.* 1*s.* 6*d.* for freight of some of the said provisions, hire of vessels upon sundry occasions and carriage of some things by land; 1,290*l.* 16*s.* 3½*d.* for money by him paid to several persons therein named for services relating to said garrison; 522*l.* 18*s.* 11¼*d.* for incidents detailed therein relating to said garrison. For these said items amounting to 2,820*l.* 15*s.* 2¼*d.* the said accomptant has produced the vouchers attested by Mr. Erlisman, Comptroller of the said garrison. There is also allowed 287*l.* 9*s.* 9*d.* for payments not vouched, being for sundry services relating to said garrison. The accountant further craves 150*l.* which he paid to Anthony Fist for the purchase of a house in Tangier for the conveniency of quartering soldiers as by a certificate of said Erlisman dated 1681, May 2. The accomptant further craves 2,081*l.* 9*s.* 8*d.* for salary as Governor at the rate of 1,500*l.* *per an.* and as Col. and Captain at the rate of 20*s.* a day from 1680, Oct. 28 (being the day of Sir Palmes Fairborne's death) to 1681–2, Jan. 2, to which time said accomptant continued Governor of Tangier as he alleges, said salary being computed at 4*s.* 6*d.* for every 4*s.* 9*d.* salary according to the establishment of Tangier. The total of the abovesaid discharge or allowance items comes to 5,339*l.* 14*s.* 7¼*d.* leaving the accomptant in surplus 932*l.* 11*s.* 5¼*d.* Said account was read in [the Privy] Council 1683–4, Mar. 12, and referred to the Treasury Lords; since which time said Sackville has produced some papers wherein he grounds a claim of money by him disbursed by order of Charles II in relation to two Moorish vessels seized by Admiral Herbert under the protection of said Col. Sackville's passes given at the request of the Alcade of Alcazar, with the consent and approbation of said Admiral Herbert (over and above the damage, viz. 96*l.* 10*s.* 6*d.* done on board said vessels by the Admiral's men whilst in possession) by reason of which seizure and that the said Admiral would not permit said vessels to procced on their intended voyage the said Sackville was forced (for the late King's service) to take the cargo of one of them (being 116 hogsheads of pilchards and 140½ quintals of poor Jack) off the Moors' hands and to pay them the first cost thereof, which amounted to 2,145 pieces of Eight, which said fish being sent to Malaga by Mr. Rawworth and sold there the neat proceeds thereof amounted to 979 pieces of Eight, thus leaving a balance of loss of 1,166 pieces of Eight or 262*l.* 7*s.* 0*d.* at 4*s.* 6*d.* per piece of Eight: all as is attested by Hen. [now Sir Henry] Shere, late Surveyor General of the Molo then building at Tangier, Mr. Nicholas Sandford and Mr. Robt. Cuthbert. This sum makes the accomptant's surplus 1,194*l.* 18*s.* 5¼*d.* The King is hereby pleased to allow all the abovesaid items,	

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1685.	whether vouched as above or not, being fully satisfied that the same have been really issued and expended as above and the said account is so accordingly to be declared and passed and the surplusage due thereon is hereby to be paid to said Saekville.	
Sept. 7.	Robert Squibb (in the absence of Henry Guy) to the Customs Commissioners to send an officer to the lodgings of the Marquise de Renie at the Barbers Pole in Princes Street near Drury Lane, to see her goods in order to their transport to Denmark, whither she is going.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 138.
	Same to the Navy Commissioners to agree with Mr. Gore for 200 tons of hemp according to the Lord Treasurer's letter now before you.	*Ibid.*
	Henry Guy to Mr. Darcy and partners to forthwith provide presents for the Government of Sallee and the Government of Tripoly in the same manner as you did for the Government of Algiers when Mr. Earlesman went thither. (Letter repeated for Sallee on the 10th Sept.)	*Ibid*, pp. 138, 140.
	Same to the Customs Commissioners to send for a box arrived at Dover for Monsieur de Lauzun. Give me notice as soon as it arrives.	*Ibid*, p. 138.
	Same to Mr. Cheeke. Treasurer Rochester has received from the King a petition of George Ryders about the manner of taking James Burton. You are to keep the money in your hands till his Lordship returns to town and hears the case.	*Ibid.*
	Robt. Squibb (in the absence of Henry Guy) to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue as follows out of the Exchequer.	*Disposition Book* IV, pp. 71–2.

Out of the Customs moneys.

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
to the Treasurer of the Navy to discharge a bill of exchange drawn by Capt. Akerman for paying off a ship hired by him at Plymouth in the late rebellion	200	0	0
to ditto for a quarter to the Yards at Portsmouth	5,475	0	0
	£5,675	0	0

Out of Excise moneys.

to Philip Packer, Paymaster of the Works, intended for building and repairing the stables at Hampton Court	330	0	0
to Mr. Knight, for the Coronation..	2,000	0	0
to Sir Robt. Vyner	1,000	0	0
	£3,330	0	0

Out of Hearthmoney.

to Mr. Noell for interest	1,531	1	2

(Same dated same to the Customs Cashier, enclosing the paper of the disposition of the Customs cash for the week ended Sept. 1 inst.; said paper including the 3,000*l.* *supra*, p. 329, "already paid" and the above two Customs items [all payable out of the Exchequer] together with the following items [payable direct out of the Customs Office on tallies] viz. 1,000*l.* to Sir Hugh Cholmley in repayment of loan; 1,000*l.* to Mr. Hewer in repayment of loan.

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1685.	Total disposition of the Customs, 10,675*l.*) (Same dated same to the Commissioners of Excise and Hearthmoney, enclosing the like paper of disposition of the cash of the Excise and Hearthmoney for said week, said paper including *for the Excise* the above three Excise items and the 8,000*l. ut supra*, p. 329 [all payable out of the Exchequer] together with the following items [payable direct out of the Excise Office on tallies] viz. 1,500*l.* to Mr. Kent and Mr. Duncombe in repayment of loan ; 1,000*l.* to Mr. Toll for the like ; 500*l.* to Mr. Hornby for the like ; 3,000*l.* [for interest] to the bankers. Total disposition of the Excise, 17,330*l.* *And for the Hearthmoney* the abovesaid Hearthmoney item [payable out of the Exchequer] together with the following item [payable direct out of the Hearthmoney Office] viz. 3,000*l.* to Mr. Noell for three tallies in repayment of loan which tallies are in the hands of the Secretary to the Treasury or his clerk. Total disposition of the Hearthmoney, 4,531*l.* 1*s.* 2*d.*)	
Sept. 7.	Henry Guy to Mr. Darcy *et al.* You are to be paid half a year's salary out of the above 2,000*l.* to Mr. Knight.	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 72.
	Royal warrant to the Attorney or Solicitor General for a great seal to grant the office of Register of Seizures of goods, and ships in any of the ports of England, Wales and Berwick to John Earle, gent. *loco* William Culliford : during pleasure with the fees of 106*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.* and 93*l.* 6*s.* 8*d. per an.* as from June 24 last.	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 192.
	Three royal sign manuals for respectively 500*l.*, 1,000*l.* and 324*l.* 10*s.* 11*d.* to Henry Guy, for secret service, without account : to be issued on the 10,000*l.* privy seal dormant of Aug. 25 last. (Three money warrants dated Sept. 10 hereon. Three money orders dated Sept. 10 hereon.)	*Ibid*, p. 192. *Money Book* VI, p. 136. *Order Book* I, p. 50.
	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of Edward Burdett for the office of keeper of port books and bonds and to be recommended to the trustees of Visct. Fanshaw for the office of Register of the Exchequer Chamber both which offices are void by the death of Henry Fanshaw, esq. : petitioner's father having served Charles I during all the Civil war as a Capt. of Horse and petitioner having studied law at Grays Inn, but being a Roman Catholic was obliged to retire to France at the breaking out of the Popish Plot, by which means he lost his practice and small fortune.	*Reference Book* III, p. 162.
	Warrant by same to Henry Ayloffe, the King's Remembrancer, to take from Lemuel Kingdon, Patrick Trant and William Bridges their bond for their payment of 30,000*l.* and to take no fees thereon in regard same is solely for his Majesty's use *ut supra*, p. 292. *Appending :* form of said bond being in 60,000*l.* conditioned upon their payment on the day next thereafter ensuing 30,000*l.* into the Exchequer, being the consideration money mentioned in their privy seal of release for the surplus of the Hearthmoney for five years from 1679, Lady day.	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, pp. 114-5.
Sept. 8.	Robert Squibb (in the absence of Henry Guy) to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue as follows out of the Exchequer.	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 73.

Date.	Nature and Substance of the Entry.	Reference.
1685.	*l.* *Out of Customs money.* to the Treasurer of the Navy for the Victuallers .. .. 1,200 to ditto for sea officers and bills in course.. 400 to ditto for the [Navy's] weekly money .. 3,000 £4,600 *Out of Excise money.* to the Paymaster of the Forces .. .. 6,000 to Mr. Graham for the Privy Purse .. .. 800 to Sir Peter Apsley for the Cofferer .. .. 1,000 £7,800 *Out of loans on the linen duty.* to the Paymaster of the Forces .. .. 6,000 to the Treasurer of the Ordnance .. .. 1,500 £7,500 (Same to Alderman Duncombe [Cashier of Excise] to pay said 7,800*l.* of Excise money into the Exchequer to-morrow. The like notice to the Customs Cashier for said 4,600*l.* of Customs money. Same to Mr. Stephens, Navy Cashier, to pay said 4,600*l.* for items *ut supra.*)	
Sept. 10.	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of Matthew Anderton for the office of Collector of Chester port *loco* Sir Peter Pindar, petitioner having acted as his deputy since 1661.	*Reference Book* III, p. 164.
	Same by same to same of the petition of James Vernon for the renewal of his patent as Customer of Chester port.	*Ibid.*
	Same by same to Mr. Hewer of the petition of William Horne, a soldier who was wounded at Tangier, which cost him 500 dollars in cure and brought him to poverty; praying a continuance of the 8*l. per an.* allowed him, besides the Maundy, by Charles II.	*Ibid*, p. 165.
	Privy seal for sums not exceeding in the whole 18,000*l.* to Henry Guy, without account: to be applied to such uses and services as the King shall direct by royal sign manual. (Royal warrant dated Aug. 31 for said privy seal. Money warrant dated Sept. 14 hereon. Money order dated Sept. 15 hereon.)	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 189. *Money Book* VI, p. 137. *Order Book* I, p. 50.
	Same for 200,000*l.* to Charles Fox, Paymaster of the Forces, as imprest for the pay of the Guards, Garrisons and Land Forces and the contingencies thereof. (Royal warrant dated Aug. 31 for said privy seal. Money warrant dated Sept. 10 hereon. Money order dated Sept. 11 hereon.)	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 190. *Money Book* VI, p. 136. *Order Book* I, p. 50.
	Money warrant for 300*l.* to Thomas Hall for 6 *per cent.* interest on 10,000*l.* lent at several times for the late King's service: as by an account thereof made up to 1685, June 11, 12, 16, 17 and 19, and allowed [by the Lord Treasurer] Aug. 26 last.	*Money Book* VI, p. 136.
	Henry Guy to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue 150*l.* to the Earl of Feversham out of Alderman Duncombe's loans on the Hearthmoney.	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 74.
	Same to same to issue out of the 2,350*l.* Excise money paid into the Exchequer last Tuesday 750*l.* to	*Ibid.*

Date.	Nature and Substanee of the Entry.	Reference.
1685.	Bevill Skelton, esq. ; and out of the loans on Freneh linens 1,600*l.* to Charles Fox, Paymaster of the Forees, to pay bills of exehange drawn by Mr. Skelton ; and 430*l.* to me [Guy] by way of advanee [for seeret service].	
Sept. 10.	Henry Guy to the Auditor of the Reeeipt to issue 3,653*l.* 0*s.* 4*d.* of Exeise money to the Treasurer of the Chamber to eomplete the establishment of the Chamber for June 24 last. (Same dated same to Mr. Duncombe [Cashier of Excise] to pay said sum into the Exchequer to-morrow morning.)	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 74.
	Same to same to issue 150*l.* to the Earl of Mulgrave out of seizures in the Exehequer.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Paeker, Paymaster of the Works, to pay to William Bankes the 330*l.* for the repair of Hampton Court Stables. Bankes is to be aeeountable to Lord Dartmouth for same.	*Ibid*, p. 75.
	Same to the Customs Commissioners. If you have any business of importance whieh eannot stay eome to the Lord Treasurer at his lodgings in Whitehall this afternoon, as he will not be in town next week. (The like note to the Excise Commissioners.) Also send an offieer to Count de Thunn's lodgings over against Covent Garden church in Bedford Street to see his goods made up in order to their transportation.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 139.
	Same to Mr. Hewer. In your report of Aug. 12 last on Mary Rudely's petition *supra*, p. 33, you certify that Capt. Collier owes her late husband 49*l.* 19*s.* 5*d.* for serviee at Tangier to 1682, April 1, and you advise in view of petitioner's great distress that half thereof be stopped out of the six months' pay now to be paid to Collier and the other half out of the next pay to him. Treasurer Rochester direets you to so pay her.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Customs Commissioners to deliver to Mr. Rumbold, unopened and Customs free, a box for the Queen and another for the Princess of Denmark whieh he has brought over from France to Dover.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Seeretary the Earl of Sunderland to enter a *caveat* in his office against the discharge of the baronetey fee of 1,095*l.* due from Sir Thomas Pope Blunt until Treasurer Rochester be first aequainted therewith. (The like notiee to Seeretary the Earl of Middleton.)	*Ibid*, p. 140.
	Same to Mr. Harbord to report on the petition of Lady Oglethorpe and the Lord Treasurer's warrant thereupon, *supra*, p. 326.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Col. Kirke. Hasten your report on the petition of Mauriee Flyn, late Aid Major of Tangier, *supra*, p. 23.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Exeise Commissioners. Mr. Aram, as solicitor of Exeise, is already paid for last Lady day quarter. Take eare he be not paid twiee over.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Darey and partners to inform Treasurer Roehester whether the ambassadors to the Emperor of the Turks have been allowed from the [Great]	*Ibid.*

Date.	Nature and Substance of the Entry.	Reference.
1685.	Wardrobe furniture for their chapel and their cloth of state and chair and stools belonging to same.	
Sept. 10.	Henry Guy to Mr. Darey and partners to forthwith provide as follows. *Appending :* letter dated Windsor Castle, Aug. 14, from the Earl of Ailesbury, Lord Chamberlain, to the Lord Treasurer. There is wanting for the use of the King's chaplains who officiate divine service to the Household at the closet prayers two bibles in quarto of the best edition, five dozen Common Prayer Books in large octavo of the best edition for the use of the congregation, those which are now used being old and sullied and undecent and the number too few. Please have them delivered to Mr. Dunkeley, closet keeper.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 141.
	Same to Mr. Pepys to attend Treasurer Rochester to-morrow at his house with those Commissioners of the Navy who were with you there this morning.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Customs Commissioners to report on (*a*) *infra*. *Appending :* (*a*) petition to the King from John Calvet, "deputy of these families here mentioned," shewing that above 50 families of French Protestants of several provinces being forced out of tenderness of conscience to leave their native country and taking resolution to go and settle in New York and knowing that they were obliged to undertake their voyage under English Captains and masters did apply to Peter Le Coste, an English Captain and master of the ship *King David* of 70 tons, and another Englishman, Capt. Thomas Guilco, master of the *Mary* of 20 tons, both built in France but bought by the said two Captains: that having taken the said families aboard with their provisions, tools etc. "necessary for improving of a Plantation," the said two Captains arrived at Plymouth Aug. 1, where they lyed [lie] still to their great charge ; that having demanded a pass for New York they could not obtain it, although they had the King's declaration of 1682, which merciful and gracious declaration they looked upon as a law in their favour: that many mariners belonging to said two vessels are English as well as the Captains and owners. Therefore pray a pass and a letter to the Governor of New York to receive them kindly, as the said families may increase the plantations of New York, being some merchants, artificers and ploughmen, as they submit to the government of the Church of England. (*b*) Reference dated Sept. 10 from Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners of said petition.	*Ibid*, pp. 141–2.
	Same to Mr. Hewer to report on (*a*) *infra*. *Appending :* (*a*) petition of William Baine, John Nann Milhousen and John Marsh, three poor Tangier soldiers, all discharged from Dublin without a penny, they having begged their way to London and being almost ready to perish.	*Ibid*, p. 142.
[?]	Same to the Mint Commissioners to report on (*a*) *infra*. *Appending :* (*a*) letter dated Tunbridge, Sept. 6 inst. [to Treasurer Rochester] from Tho. Neale, "having been much indisposed this summer and now here for my health, which I thank God amends upon it." Upon the death of Mr. Harley in the Mint the house that always and particularly belongs to the Master	*Ibid.*

Date.	Nature and Substance of the Entry.	Reference.
1685.	Worker of the Mint is become void. There is no other house but this for me in case any time I should (as sometimes I fully intend to do if I ever come to it) reside there. The Warden, Comptroller, Assay-master and most of the clerks, but mine, are provided with houses. Therefore pray that this house be not disposed to any other officer of the Mint, at least till my return which shall be next week.	
Sept. 11.	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners to insert Benj. Skinner on the establishment for his salary of 52*l.* *per an.* from June 24 last as a King's waiter, London port.	*Money Book* VI, p. 137.
	Henry Guy to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue, out of loans on the linen duty, 210*l.* to Charles Fox, Paymaster of the Forces, to be remitted to Bevill Skelton in Holland this night for the Scotch and English Regiments there. (Same dated same to said Fox to so remit same.)	*Disposition Book* IV, pp. 74, 75.
Sept. 12.	Same to the Duke of Beaufort, enclosing the answer [missing] of the Commissioners of Excise and Hearthmoney to the complaints of the Justices of the Peace of co. Carmarthen against the Hearth-money collectors in said county; which complaint you sent to Treasurer Rochester Aug. 8 last.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 143.
	Money warrant for 600*l.* to Lieut. William Armstrong for three years on his pension *ut supra*, pp. 328–9. (Money order dated Sept. 15 hereon.)	*Money Book* VI, p. 137. *Order Book* I, p. 50.
	Royal warrant to the Clerk of the Signet for a privy seal for the payment to Henry, Duke of Grafton, of the yearly pension or sum of 1,000*l.* granted him out of the First Fruits and Tenths by privy seal dated 1682, Aug. 7, which privy seal is void by the death of Charles II. Further the arrears thereon from 1684, June 24, are hereby to be satisfied.	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 193.
	Royal sign manual for 430*l.* to Henry Guy, for secret service, without account: to be issued on the 10,000*l.* dormant privy seal of Aug. 25 last. (Money warrant dated Sept. 19 hereon. Money order dated Sept. 22 hereon.)	*Ibid*, p. 193. *Money Book* VI, p. 139. *Order Book* I, p. 50.
	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Commissioners of Excise and Hearthmoney to make an abatement of the duty of 2*s.* a gallon on 100 pieces of brandy above proof imported by Samuel Beake of London, merchant, same having been laden at Bordeaux before the late Act in that behalf but arrived after [said Act was in force] and as to which he prayed "that he might pay only so much higher duty as the said 100 pieces of brandy are above proof in proportion to single brandys": whereupon the Excise Commissioners have reported Aug. 18 last and Sept. 9 inst. that the importation of overproof brandy was no injury to the King because it was not against the law and that it was not advantageous to the merchant in proportion to its strength above single brandy, and that if all persons in petitioner's circumstances be gratified with the abatement he desires it will not amount to above 300*l.*, as this abatement for the said 100 pieces comes to 217*l.* 12*s.* 0*d.* and the merchant importer deserves encouragement by reason the new imposition of	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, p. 116.

Date.	Nature and Substance of the Entry.	Reference.
1685.	4*d.* per gallon on English spirit is not proportionable to the 8*d.* per gallon on brandies imported and that the former [the manufacture of English spirit] increases exceedingly and will very much obstruct the importation of brandy which will render the new duty here of much less value to the King than was expected.	
Sept. 14.	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of Thomas Treglith for a tidesurveyor's place, Exeter port *loco* Ralph Merson, petitioner having served in the Customs and having discovered several ill practices of many officers in said port for which he is informed they will be dismissed and among them the said Merson.	*Reference Book* III, p. 165.
	Same by same, dated Windsor Castle, to Charles Fox, Paymaster of the Forces, of the petition of Sir. Thomas Daniel and the gunners and soldiers belonging to Arcliffe Bulwark in Dover, shewing that by his patent he is allowed 1*s.* 4*d.* a day [for himself and] 8*d.* a day each for four gunners and two soldiers which amounts to 97*l.* 6*s.* 8*d. per an.* payable at the Exchequer ; that there are six other gunners belonging to said fort at 6*d.* a day each or 54*l.* 15*s.* 0*d. per an.* which are put upon the [Army] establishment and paid by the Paymaster General of the Forces : that at Christmas next there will be 327*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.* due on his patent for 3¼ years and 123*l.* 3*s.* 9*d.* to the said other six gunners for 2¼ years : therefore prays a year's pay on his patent to make them equal with the said six gunners " and to continue him or Capt. Chapman in the command of the said fort by patent or otherwise."	*Ibid*, p. 166.
	Warrant by same to the Excise Commissioners to allow 79*l.* 11*s.* 1½*d.* to David Conyard and Stephen Noguier, merchants, on 20 pieces (containing 2,463 gallons) of overproof brandy imported since July 1 last from the Straits in the ship *Friendship*, Samuel Edwards master, being shipped at the beginning of June last, the said brandies being not three-fifths over proof and by reason of their foulness they will not yield by 6*l.* or 7*l.* a ton as much as other brandies of the same strength, so that it would be near as advantageous to them to stave their brandy as to pay the full new duty according as on overproof brandies.	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, p. 117.
	Treasurer Rochester to the Lords Justices of Ireland to report on the enclosed petition [missing] of James Hamilton for release of the quit rents on certain encumbered lands which were granted to his grandfather, the said release to be until the encumbrances can be discharged.	*Out Letters* (*Ireland*) IV, p. 134.
	Two royal sign manuals for respectively 400*l.* and 350*l.* to Henry Guy, for secret service, without account : to be issued on the 10,000*l.* dormant privy seal of Aug, 25 last. (Two money orders dated Sept. 19 hereon. Two money orders dated Sept. 22 hereon.)	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 194. *Money Book* VI, p. 139. *Order Book* I, p. 50.
	Henry Guy to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue as follows out of the Exchequer, viz. : *Out of Customs money.* *l.* to the Treasurer of the Navy in further part of 29,745*l.* for the ordinary and extraordinary repairs of the Navy .. 2,000	*Disposition Book* IV, pp. 75–6.

Date.	Nature and Substance of the Entry.	Reference.
1685.		
	l. to ditto towards further pay of the yachts 2,000 to Sir Edward Wood upon his bill of extraordinaries .. .. 1,430 £5,430 *Out of the Letter Office money.* to me [Guy] for secret service by [way of] advance .. .. 350 to ditto more .. .. 500 to ditto more by [way of] advance .. .. 400 £1,250 (Same dated Sept. 13 to the Customs Cashier, enclosing the paper of the disposition of the Customs for the week ended Sept. 8; said paper including the above three Customs items and the three Customs items of in all 4,600*l.* already paid, *supra*, p. 334. Total disposition, 10,030*l.*) (Same dated Sept. 13 to the Commissioners of Excise and Hearthmoney, enclosing the like paper of disposition of the Excise and Hearthmoney for the said week ending Sept. 8: said paper including *for the Excise* the three Excise items, *supra*, p. 334, and the item of 3,653*l.* 0*s.* 4*d.*, *supra*, p. 335. Total disposition, 18,653*l.* 0*s.* 4*d.*: and *for the Hearthmoney* 3,000*l.* to Sir Tho. Griffith in repayment of loan; 1,000*l.* to Mr. Toll for the like. Total, 4,000*l.*)	
Sept. 14.	Henry Guy to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue as follows out of the Exchequer, viz.:	*Disposition Book* IV, pp. 76, 77.
	l. s. d. *Out of Customs money.* to the Treasurer of the Navy for the Victuallers .. .. 1,200 0 0 to ditto for sea officers and bills in course .. .. 400 0 0 to ditto for [the Navy's] weekly money .. .. 1,500 0 0 to Sir Henry Goodricke in part of his extraordinaries .. .. 1,500 0 0 £4,600 0 0 *Out of Excise money.* to Charles Fox, Paymaster of the Forces .. .. 6,000 0 0 to Sir Stephen Fox on his privy seal 300 0 0 £6,300 0 0 *Out of loans on the linen duty.* to Charles Fox, Paymaster of the Forces .. .. 6,000 0 0 to the Treasurer of the Ordnance .. 1,500 0 0 £7,500 0 0 *Out of the money of the Letter Office.* to me [Guy] for secret service by [way of] advance .. .. .. 755 15 0 (Same dated same to the Customs Cashier to pay abovesaid 4,600*l.* into the Exchequer on Wednesday.) (Same dated same to Mr. Duncombe [Cashier of Excise] to pay abovesaid 6,300*l.* into the Exchequer on Wednesday and to pay [direct out of the Excise Office] 2,000*l.* to Mr. Toll on his tallies.)	

Date.	Nature and Substance of the Entry.	Reference.
1685. Sept. 14.	Henry Guy to the Auditor of the Receipt to take in on loan from Lemuell Kingdon, Patrick Trant and William Bridges such money as they shall lend into the Exchequer in general. Tallies of loan for same are to be struck in general without charging any particular branch.	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 77.
[?]	Same to same to advance 200*l.* and 1,000*l.* to me [Guy] for secret service: out of the money of the Letter Office. The regular warrants for this issue are prepared and when signed shall be sent with all speed. (Entry struck through. *See infra*, p. 342, under date Sept. 18.)	*Ibid.*
Sept. 14.	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester, dated Windsor Castle, to the Customs Cashier to authorise the Collector [of Customs] at Antigua to dispose of tobacco and sugar upon the place [at Antigua] upon account of the Four and a Half *per cent.* duty as he shall think fit: by reason that a parcel of tobacco has lately arrived from there which the husband of said duty affirms will not pay the freight and other charges.	*Out Letters* (*Customs*) X, p. 49.
	Same by same to same to deliver a seizure of a lading of tobacco arrived at Bristol out of a ship from Virginia which was entered before June 24 last and seized as being landed since [that date] on payment of only 2*d.* per lb. duty; in which case the merchants resolve to stand trial but propose to give bond to stand to the judgment of the Court as to the new duty. You are to similarly proceed in like cases.	*Ibid.*
	Same by same to same to make allowances or rebates of 10 *per cent.* for ready money and 4 *per cent.* for waste to the merchants of Bristol port, and likewise in like cases in other ports, who paid the new duty on tobacco and sugar without such allowances before they had notice of the orders of July 31 and Aug. 17 last; the officers being under an obligation of promise to obtain such allowances in regard the merchants were very ready to discharge their goods and give a good example to others whereby the King was saved the expenses of officers on board and "there are several like cases in other ports where the same allowances are desired."	*Ibid*, p. 50.
	Same by same to same until next Christmas and upon certificate of the payment of the duty of ½*d.* per lb. on tobacco in Ireland as follows to give certificate to discharge the Plantation bonds and to release ships and goods from seizure in cases where ships have gone from Ireland to the Plantations and given bond to return to England, Wales or Berwick only, but have gone to Ireland and there discharged their lading of tobacco and have (in pursuance of the late direction in Ireland) paid, over and above the Customs due in Ireland, ½*d.* per lb. to be remitted into England upon account of the Customs in England.	*Ibid.*
	Henry Guy to the Customs Commissioners to report on (*a*) *infra*. *Appending:* paper unsigned and undated, given to Treasurer Rochester by the King, headed "how the port of Hull and members are managed." Mr. Lysons, 80 years of age, is collector and customer; his son, one of the greatest smugglers in that port; George Dickenson is clerk to the collector, storekeeper	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 143.

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1685.		
	and deputy searcher, his father and brother are two of the most considerable masters in Hull who trade to Hamburg. The said Dickenson never had above 60*l. per an.* and no estate of his own, but has purchased 300*l.* a year in about 12 years' time. Robert Mason was about two years since turned out from being collector yet is continued deputy customer; his son Hugh Mason, deputy comptroller, his son Robert Mason, tidesurveyor. Robert Mason never had above 40*l.* salary and has purchased 300*l.* a year inheritance and not born to a penny. His son Hugh is married to Alderman Lambert's daughter, an eminent merchant so that probably here is a combination. The port of Bridlington, a member of Hull, is managed by James Wilson, nephew to Rob. Mason, who [Wilson] is collector, deputy to the Customers, deputy searcher, clerk to the Custom House and now deputy comptroller since the Deputy Lieutenants have sent Samuell Wearsdale the former deputy to Hull Castle, as a disaffected person. The landwaiter's warrant was for old Eden of Stockton, who is not able to execute but doputes his son, who is not above 18 years of age and continually drunk and not being of age can give no security. There is one Robert Simpson also who has 20*l.* a year as boatman and on purpose to keep a boat but keeps none. Mr. Aslaby, senr., was dismissed from being collector of Bridlington about two years since after 20 years' faithful service and without being admitted to make his defence, but was answered by Sir Nicholas Butler that they did not allow any dismissed officer to make his defence, notwithstanding two other officers in this port for the same pretended misdemeanours were restored with addition of salary. Yet Sir Nicholas told him if he could swear against any officer they would take care of him. Mr. Aslaby's answer was he was neither Oates nor Bedloe. Then Aslaby desired he might be deputy Comptroller, but that was denied him, yet [? Butler] accepted of Sam Wearsdale, who is now in custody who said he would fight up to the knees in blood before the Duke of York should come to the throne.	
Sept. 15.	Henry Guy to the Customs Commissioners. Upon Mr. Randolph's proposals for preventing frauds in tho Plantation trades in New England, which you presented to Treasurer Rochester the 7th inst., his lordship has moved the King for a frigate to ply upon the coast of New England to prevent the practices of interlopers. Directions will be given for this frigate accordingly. You are to prepare instructions for the King to send to the several Governors of New England for the said ends. Also propose an establishment for a boat and watermen to be employed in his Majesty's service there.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 144.
	Same to Mr. Darcy and partners to order as follows. *Appending:* letter dated Sept. 13 from H. Savile, Vico-Chamberlain, to the Lord Treasurer. The King has commanded that the hangings of cloth in his apartment at Whitehall should be fitted to the wainscot, doors and chimneys and have a border of same, escalloped, in his eating room, ante-room, bedchamber, the room within the bedchamber and the withdrawing room. Please appoint the King's upholsterer to do same and to take down the cloth hangings in the Queen's side at Whitehall that the	*Ibid.*

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1685.	rooms may be whited and painted and then to be put up again.	
Sept. 15.	Henry Guy to Mr. Darcy and partners. You are not to provide the present for Sallee *ut supra*, p. 332, but such presents as are usual for the governments of Algiers, Tripoli and Tunis: to be sent by Sir William Soames, who is going as ambassador to Turkey. Get them ready with all speed.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 144.
	Same to Mr. Ange to attend Treasurer Rochester at Windsor on Saturday evening next, the 19th inst.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Excise Commissioners. What was the result of your discourse with the Customs Commissioners as to the wages of the boat and boatmen which you propose to employ in the Downs in the service of the Excise?	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Navy Commissioners. The King approves of your buying so many New England masts as you propose to be bought by Mr. Randolph: 500*l.* shall be remitted to New England for this purpose.	*Ibid*, p. 145.
	Same to Mr. Darcy *et al.* to provide as follows. *Appending:* letter dated Windsor Castle, Sept. 7, from Henry Savile, Deputy Chamberlain, to Treasurer Rochester. It is the King's pleasure that the following particulars be delivered to Sir William Soames, who is going as ambassador to the Emperor of the Turks for his Majesty's service: viz. one large bible of imperial paper without sculpts richly bound in two volumes; two Common Prayer Books in folio; six [ditto] in a lesser folio; an altar cloth of tissue and velvet pained; 20 ells of fine diaper for cloths for the altar and Communion table; 10 ells of fine diaper for towels; two large surplices of fine Holland; a cloth of Estate of crimson damask with the King's arms embroidered thereupon; a great chair; two high stools and a foot stool and two cushions suitable all trimmed and made up with cases of bayes; a foot carpet of Turkey work.	*Ibid.*
Sept. 18.	Same to the Auditor of the Receipt to advance to me [Guy] 1,500*l.* out of Hearthmoney and 200*l.* out of the Letter Office money. The warrants for 1,000*l.* and 700*l.* [to me for secret service] to authorise this issue will be sent to you as soon as signed.	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 77.
Sept. 19.	Money warrant for 955*l.* to Sir William Trumbull, kt., Envoy Extraordinary to France: 500*l.* thereof for equipage and 455*l.* for a quarter in advance on his ordinary of 5*l.* a day. (Money order dated Sept. 24 hereon.)	*Money Book* VI, p. 138. *Order Book* I, p. 52.
	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester, dated Windsor Castle, to the Customs Commissioners to employ Mathew Anderton as Collector of Chester port *loco* Sir Peter Pindar, who by reason of his great age and weakness of his eyesight is willing to be eased of his said employment at Michaelmas next, as he has signified by letter to the Customs Commissioners; said Anderton having been long deputy customer of said port with great integrity. Anderton to have only 50*l. per an.* additional salary as he is to be still deputy customer: which will save the King 10*l. per an.*	*Out Letters* (*Customs*) X, pp. 50–1.

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1685. Sept. 19.	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to Sir John Shaw, bart., Collector Inwards, London port, to swear Thomas Allen into office as deputy to James Pearse, one of the patent waiters *ibid.*	*Out Letters* (*Customs*) X, p. 51.
	Royal warrant [to the Lord Chancellor of Ireland] to give order to the Receiver General of the Revenue, Ireland, to pay 3,000*l.* to Henry, Earl of Clarendon, as royal bounty towards his equipage and preparation for his employment as Lieutenant General and General Governor of Ireland. (Entry struck through: doubtless only as being entered in the wrong entry book. This entry will doubtless appear in the missing volume of Irish Letter Book.)	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 196.
Sept. 20.	Three royal sign manuals for respectively 755*l.* 15*s.* 0*d.*, 700*l.* and 1,000*l.* to Henry Guy, for secret service, without account: to be issued on the 10,000*l.* privy seal dormant of Aug. 25 last. (Three money warrants dated Sept. 24 hereon. Three money orders dated Sept. 24 hereon.)	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 194. *Money Book* VI, p. 139. *Order Book* I, p. 52.
	Royal warrant to the Clerk of the Signet for a privy seal for payment to Charles Osborne, esq., out of the Customs revenue, of 333*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.* in lieu of salary as General Surveyor of the Customs for the half year ended June 24 last. (Warrant by Treasurer Rochester dated Oct. 30 hereon to the Customs Cashier to so pay same. This warrant quotes the privy seal as dated Sept. 30.)	*King's Warrant Book* X, pp. 194-5. *Money Book* VI, p. 161.
	Same to the Attorney or Solicitor General for a great seal for continuing and establishing the office of Collector, Surveyor and searcher of the Customs within the Colonies of New England under the management of the Customs Commissioners of England and for a regrant thereof to Edward Randolph with the salary of 100*l.*: the said office having been erected by patent of 1679, Oct. 15, under the great seal and granted to said Randolph during pleasure, his grant being therefore void by the death of Charles II.: but it being thought necessary for the better observance of the laws of Trade and Navigation to continue said office which said Randolph has faithfully executed to the utmost of his power. He is hereby to be empowered to search for and seize all European goods carried to any of the New England Colonies contrary to Acts of Parliament being not *bona-fide* laden in England and such enumerated commodities as shall come to New England from any other the King's Plantations without payment of the duties as by 25 Car. II, c. 7, and to seize all ships lading enumerated commodities without first giving bond as by the Navigation Act of 12 Car. II, c. 18, and also all goods and ships liable to forfeiture as uncustomed or prohibited.	*King's Warrant Book* X, pp. 195–6.
	Money warrant for 3,000*l.* to Thomas Hall in repayment of so much by him lent into the Exchequer the 8th inst. on credit of the Hearthmoney due at Lady next day: with 6 *per cent.* interest payable [or to be made into principal] at the end of every six months. (Money order dated Sept. 22 hereon.)	*Money Book* VI, p. 138. *Order Book* I, p. 51.
	Robt. Squibb (in the absence of Henry Guy) to the Customs Commissioners to forthwith deliver to William Wissing, the bearer hereof, Customs free, a	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 145.

Date.	Nature and Substance of the Entry.	Reference.
1685.	case of pictures of the Prince and Princess of Orange and one little flower piece arrived from Holland in the *Katherine* yacht, which pictures are for the King and Queen.	
Sept. 21.	Robert Squibb (in the absence of Henry Guy) to Mr. Stephens [Navy Cashier] for an account what is due to Deptford and Woolwich Yards for one quarter; also whether said Yards are now in course for a double quarter. The money is ready. If they are in turn for a double quarter the money for one quarter will be paid this week and for the other quarter next week. But keep in hand this money you receive this week for the one quarter until you receive that for the other. There is ordered 1,642*l.* for stores for the supply of the Sallee squadron.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 145.
	William Shaw to the Customs Commissioners to deliver to Treasurer Rochester's butler the Rhenish wine lately come from Holland in the *Katherine* yacht for him; on payment of Custom.	*Ibid.*
	Robt. Squibb (in the absence of Henry Guy) to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue as follows out of the Exchequer.	*Disposition Book* IV, pp. 77, 78.

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Out of Customs money.			
to the Treausrer of the Navy for one quarter for Deptford and Woolwich Yards	4,004	15	0
to ditto for stores for supply of the Sallee squadron	1,642	0	0
to Sir William Trumbull	955	0	0
Out of Exeise money.			
to the Cofferer of the Household ..	2,000	0	0
to Mr. Graham for the Privy Purse	800	0	0
Out of Hearthmoney.			
to Mr. Thomas Hall for interest money	300	0	0
Out of Post Offiee money.			
to Mr. Guy, for secret service ..	260	0	0

(Same dated Sept. 22 to the Customs Cashier, enclosing the paper of the "further" disposition of the Customs for the week endod Sept. 15; said paper including only the above three Customs items. Total, 6,601*l.* 15*s.* 0*d.*)

(Same dated Sept. 22 to the Commissioners of Excise and Hearthmoney, enclosing the disposition of tho cash of the Excise and Hearthmoney for said week: said paper including *for the Exeise* tho abovesaid two Excise items, the three Excise items, *supra*, p. 339, 750*l.* to Mr. Skelton and 1,000*l.* to Mr. Hornby. Total disposition, 12,850*l.*: and *for the Hearthmoney* the abovesaid Hearthmoney item and 1,000*l.* to Henry Guy [for secret service]; 500*l.* to ditto [for same] and 1,000*l.* to Mr. Toll in repayment of loan. Total disposition, 4,800*l.*)

Sept. 22.	Samo (in the absence of Henry Guy) to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue as follows out of the Exchequer, viz.:	*Ibid*, pp. 78, 79.

	l.
Out of Customs money.	
to the Treasurer of the Navy for the Victuallers	1,200
to ditto for sea officers and bills in course..	400
to ditto for [the Navy's] weekly money ..	1,500
to the Treasurer of the Ordnance	1,000

Date.	Nature and Substance of the Entry.	Reference.
1685.	*l.* *Out of Excise money.* to Charles Fox, Paymaster of the Forces .. 8,000 *Out of loans on the linen duty.* to said Fox for the Forces .. .. .. 4,000 £16,100 (Same dated same to the Customs Cashier to pay 4,100*l.* into the Exchequer for the above four Customs items.) (Same dated same to the Excise Cashier to pay 10,000*l.* into the Exchequer to-morrow being the abovesaid 8,000*l.* for the Forces, 1,000*l.* for Mr. Toll and 1,000*l.* for the Prince of Denmark.)	
Sept. 24.	Henry Guy to the Customs Commissioners to send to Treasurer Rochester's lodgings in Whitehall the boxes in the warehouse directed to his lady and the box of sugar candy directed to Mr. Devet but intended for the Countess of Rochester.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 146.
	Same to same to visit the goods of the Marquess de Valparraiso at his lodgings in Bridges Street over against the King's Playhouse; as same are going for Flanders.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Navy Commissioners. When would you have the 500*l.* paid for the New England masts and how would you have it remitted thither?	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Darcy *et al.* to provide as follows. *Appending:* letter dated Windsor Castle, Sept. 7, from Henry Savile, Vice-Chamberlain, to Treasurer Rochester. There is wanting for the King's service two cases of Manchester bayes for two rich cushions that were made to the old offering carpet used at the Coronation and four cases of the same bayes for four stools made to the two blue velvet chairs for the Coronation: to be delivered to Mr. Kinnersly, Yeoman of the Removing Wardrobe. There is also wanting for the Queen's service an airing basket and a close stool covered with Turkey leather with double pans: to be delivered to Mr. Rogers, keeper of the Standing Wardrobe at Whitehall. Also a suite of feathers to be scoured for the King's bed.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Earl of Clarendon to direct the clerks of the Privy Seal to insert in every docquet which they send to the Treasury [a statement] whether the grant is to be for life or during pleasure.	*Ibid*, p. 147.
	Same to the Customs Commissioners, enclosing a memorial of the Marquis de Valparaiso, Envoy Extraordinary from the King of Spain, concerning some goods stopped by the Customs officers at Rochester. If they are for his own use they are to be delivered Customs free. *Appending:* note of said goods (Brussels lace, Holland, handkerchiefs, damask serviettes).	*Ibid.*
	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester, dated Whitehall, to same to employ John Rousby as collector of the Plantation duties at Patuxent river in Maryland; and Nehemiah Blackiston, who was intended to be collector of said duties in the whole Province of Maryland, to be collector thereof within the rivers of Wicomico and Pocomoke and places adjacent, to officiate only at Wicomico, where he	*Out Letters* (*Customs*) X, p. 51.

Date.	Nature and Substance of the Entry.	Reference.
1685.	inhabits, and George Layfeild, Comptroller and Surveyor to act as his deputy at Pocomoke for his present salary with power to appoint deputies for the duty of his own employment in the other two rivers.	
Sept. 24.	Henry Guy to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue as follows out of the Exchequer. *l.* *Out of Tho. Hall's loans on the Hearthmoney.* to Mr. Hewer, Treasurer of Tangier .. .. 8,000 *Out of Customs money.* to the Treasurer of the Navy for 1684, Michaelmas quarter, for Deptford and Woolwich Yards .. .. 3,992 (Same dated same to Mr. Stephens [Navy Cashier] to send the abovesaid 3,992*l.* [to Deptford and Woolwich] "together with what money is already received for those yards for Midsummer quarter, 1684, which completes the double quarter for them."	*Disposition Book* IV, pp. 79, 80.
	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to the Clerks of the Privy Council of the petition of Barbara Douglas, shewing that her former husband, Thom. Bell, and Sir John Cox were killed with one shot at your Majesty's back on board the *Royal Prince* in the late Dutch wars and that her present husband, William Douglas, has remained two years in slavery at Algiers and left petitioner helpless with three small children: having received no compensation for her previous husband's death prays for the ransom of her present husband, being 240*l.* or for some charity to save her from perishing.	*Reference Book* III, p. 165.
	Same by same to William Hewer of the petition of James Power, shewing that he served as Ensign in the Earl of Dunbarton's Regiment at Tangier, and has 77*l.* 16*s.* 8*d.* due to him in the hands of Capt. John Preston which he was prevented receiving by being sent for to Ireland by the Duke of Ormonde: prays to be preferred before any Tangier creditors in whose behalf Capt. Preston's pay is now stopped.	*Ibid*, p. 166.
	Same by same to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of Hugh Bantock for renewal of his patent as a patent waiter, London port, void by the late King's death.	*Ibid*, p. 171.
	Fiat by same for royal letters patent to constitute James Vernon, esq., Customer of Chester port, to wit, the post he held at the death of Charles II.	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, p. 118.
	Warrant by same to the Excise Commissioners to provide and employ a boarding boat in the Downs peculiar to the Excise for preventing the running of brandies on the coast thereabouts and to other ships lying in the Downs, same being especially necessary now that upon the new imposition such practice is so advantageous. The rates thereof are to be 25*l.* for providing the boat and 145*l.* *per an.* for keeping thereof, viz. 40*l.* to a tidesurveyor and 25*l.* each to four able seamen and 5*l.* for wear and tear.	*Ibid.*
	Money warrant for 1,500*l.* to Sir Henry Goodrick, kt. and bart., for three bills of extraordinaries as late Envoy Extraordinary to the King of Spain. (Money order dated Sept. 24 hereon.)	*Money Book* VI, pp. 139-41. *Order Book* I, p. 51.

Date.	Nature and Substance of the Entry.	Reference.

1685.

Appending: said bills (1) from 1679, Dec. 8, to 1679–80, Mar. 8, as allowed 1680, April 7, by Secretary Henry Coventry with the exception of the last item thereof, which being new and unusual is left to the Treasury Lords.

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
to the Conductor of Ambassadors [at the Spanish Court]	100	0	0
to Don Franco Olivarez, his assistant	15	0	0
to the servants of the [Spanish] King and Queen..	25	0	0
to the [Spanish] Queen Mother's [servants]	12	0	0
to the Pages and officers of the Secretaries	7	0	0
at a bull feast	6	0	0
to my Agent de Negocios	30	0	0
for new liveries upon the King's marriage and compliment thereupon	192	0	0
for other equipage	69	0	0
lost by the fall [lowering the denomiation] of moneys, housekeeping rising two-thirds and all other necessaries [in consequence thereof]	173	0	0
	£629	0	0

"Hoping my other bill is allowed which was principally for extraordinaries on my journey more than my whole allowance, having brought all my attendance from England upon the account of having a Protestant family."

(2) from 1679–80, Feb. 13, to 1680, Dec. 10, as allowed 1681, Aug. 1, by Secretary Sir L. Jenkins, except items 6, 11, and 12, which are referred to the Treasury Lords.

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
for postage of letters for 1½ years ..	147	0	0
a year's salary to my Agent de Negocios	60	0	0
an express by order to Tangier ..	31	0	0
another concerning the 200 Spanish Horse	31	0	0
to several poor soldiers of the King's subjects deserting French service to go to Tangier	19	0	0
for money taken up upon credit of pay from the Exchequer	37	0	0
for intelligence and private gratuities	87	0	0
to the office of the Currios	27	0	0
several bull feasts	28	0	0
luminaries	17	0	0
increase of house rent upon the fall of moneys	147	0	0
for Exchequer fees	37	6	0
to Mr. Roberts, express to Tangier, his money failing	18	0	0
for despatch of orders for 150 horses to be bought for his Majesty's service in Tangier	19	0	0
for mourning for the Elector Palatine	95	0	0
to Mr. Goodricke, sent home express..	70	0	0
	£870	6	0

(3) from 1682, June 11, to 1683, June 6; as allowed 1683, June 14, by Secretary Jenkins, except the last item which is referred to the Treasury Lords.

Date.	Nature and Substance of the Entry.	Reference.
1685.		
	to my Agent de Negocios, one year's salary 60 0 0	
	disburst in my journey home 307 0 0	
	Mr. Wescombe's last bill for letters .. 20 0 0	
	for postage of letters other ways .. 70 0 0	
	for chocolate and snuff for the King .. 53 0 0	
	for New Year's gifts and aguinaldas .. 109 0 0	
	to the officers of the Currios 23 0 0	
	for intelligence and private gratuities 55 0 0	
	luminaries for the Duke of Burgundy 9 0 0	
	Exchequer fees 80 0 0	
	£777 0 0	
	"One part of my family having been detained by contrary winds at St. Sebastians from the 27th of Mar. (at which time I ceased to be in pay) till May the 26th, I humbly beseech allowance for that unavoidable expence during 61 days," amounting to 239*l*."	
Sept. 24.	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to William Hewer, Treasurer for the late garrison of Tangier, to pay as follows to three soldiers discharged from Capt. Chantree's Company in Ireland, viz. 31*l*. 19*s*. 0*d*. to William Baine for 244 days as Corporal and 517 days as Serjeant; 9*l*. 10*s*. 3*d*. to John Marsh for 761 days as a private centinel; 9*l*. 10*s*. 3*d*. to Jno. Van Milhoven for same as a same.	*Money Book* VI, p. 141.
	Same by same to same to pay to the respective Captains of Horse and Foot of the late garrison of Tangier six months' pay (adjusted *ut supra*, p. 300) to themselves and to such soldiers and troopers only as shall appear by the last muster rolls of July 1 last to be now actually belonging to their respective Companies. As to the widows and other relations who have arrears of pay due on Tangier muster rolls, you are hereby to pay such as appear due by certificate from the Captain or chief officers under whom their husbands served, if same agree with the muster rolls.	*Ibid*, p. 142.
Sept. 25.	Henry Guy to the Customs Commissioners to send an officer to Sir William Trumbull's lodgings in Doctors Commons to visit his goods that are going to France.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 147.
	Same to the Commissioners of Excise and Hearthmoney. Hasten your report on the petition of Mr. Garrett Cotter. *Appending:* said petition as referred by Treasurer Rochester to the said Commissioners July 7 last: petitioner shewing that he was Receiver General of Hearthmoney in several counties for several years; that by the death of the late King such collectors being to enter into new bonds to the present King petitioner was prevented by sickness and the Commissioners deputed another: prays to be restored, being well acquainted with those counties where an improvement [in the said revenue] may be most expected.	*Ibid*, p. 147. *Reference Book* III, p. 166.
	Same to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue, out of seizures in the Exchequer, 200*l*. to Philip Packer, Paymaster of the Works, for the speedy repairs of the stables in the Mews against the King's return from Windsor.	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 80.

Date.	Nature and Substance of the Entry.	Reference.
1685. Sept. 25.	Henry Guy to the Navy Commissioners to assign the 2,290*l.* 6*s.* 1*d.* due for the freight of tho ship *Europa* for payment out of the 200*l.* per week (part of 400*l.* per week) which was assigned for payment of Lord Colepeper's bill of freight: the *Europa's* bill having been due from 1679, Dec. 10, "and no bill of freight due before that."	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 80. *Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 147.
Sept. 26.	Same to the Customs Commissioners to send bearer for the Countess of Rochester's box of sugar candy which will be found in the two boxes in the warehouse carried thither by Mr. Lucas from a Rotterdam ship.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 148.
	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester, dated Windsor Castle, to same to employ Richard Maydstone and his mate as boatmen at Whitstable in Sandwich port at 60*l.* *per an.*: as by the memorial of the said Commissioners of the 24th inst. showing that, upon laying down [discharging] the [Customs] smacks, Mr. Dickinson in his late survey of the coast of Kent and Sussex has for the better guarding those coasts appointed several small boats, and amongst them the above. Similarly Robert Jacobs and his mate to be boatmen at Shorcham at 60*l.* *per an.* Similarly Thomas Wildboare and his mate as boatmen at Margate. Similarly Thomas Brown and his mate as boatmen at Folkeston. Similarly Jacob Vivian and Henry Carter as boatmen at Newhaven. Similarly Francis Blake and Thomas Child as boatmen at Ramsgate in Sandwich port. Similarly Adcock and his mate as boatmen at Hastings. Gilbert Pack as waiter at Yealm in Plymouth port *loco* Stephen Holditch, deceased. Thomas Elmes, Robt. Powel, Daniel Mulford, Henry Johnson and Rob. Swaby to completo the number of watermen wanted to row the coastwaiters' boats. William Mead as tidesman in Excter port *loco* John Mitton, lately dismissed.	*Out Letters* (*Customs*) X, pp. 52, 53.
Sept. 27.	Henry Guy, dated Windsor Castle, to Mr. Kent, Customs Cashier, for a certificate of thc Customs, from the last weekly certificate to to-morrow, as Michaelmas is on Tuesday. (The like notice to Mr. Duncombe for the Excise and Mr. Lilly for the Post Office.)	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 148.
	Same to thc Customs Commissioners to report on the enclosed draft [missing] of a warrant for the shipping of wool to Jersey and Guernsey.	*Ibid.*
	Same to same to dcliver to bearer, Monsieur La Force, a box at Dover directed to Monsieur D'Lauzun.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Darcy *et al.* to provide as follows. *Appending:* letter dated Windsor, Sept. 23, from the Earl of Ailesbury, Lord Chamberlain, to the Lord Treasurer. The King and Queen have commanded that the mourning in both their apartments at Whitehall should be taken up and fitted to the borders of wainscot and the foot-carpets which were of black cloth to be taken away and Portugal mats with black colours in them to be laid and nailed	*Ibid*, p. 149.

Date.	Nature and Substance of the Entry.	Reference.
1685.	down in the Queen's Privy Chamber, her Withdrawing Room, her Great Bedchamber, under the bed in the King's Bedchamber, under the purple bed in the King's Withdrawing Room and in the Great Eating Room, the last named not to be nailed down. Please order this to be done before the remove of the Court to Whitehall, which will be in the middle of next week.	
Sept. 27.	Henry Guy to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue as follows out of the Excise money which is directed to be paid into the Exchequer on Monday next, viz. : *l.* to the Cofferer of the Household .. .. 1,000 to Mr. Rose [Ross, the King's Jeweller] .. 1,000 *And out of money of the Letter Office.* to Consul Baker .. .. 100 to the Earl of Nottingham .. .. .. 500 to Lady Alington or the executors of Lord Alington .. .. 200 £2,800 (Same of same date to the Customs Cashier, enclosing the paper of the disposition of the Customs money for the week ended the 22nd inst. ; said paper including the 3,992*l.* to the Navy Treasurer *supra*, p. 346, for Deptford and Woolwich Yards directed the 24th inst. [payable out of the Exchequer] together with the following items [payable direct out of the Customs Office on tallies] viz. 1,000*l.* to Sir Hugh Cholmondeley in repayment of loan ; 1,000*l.* to Mr. Hewer in repayment of loan. Total disposition of the Customs, 5,992*l.*) (Same dated same to the Commissioners of Excise and Hearthmoney, enclosing the like paper for the disposition of these revenues ; said paper including *for the Excise* the above two Excise items [payable out of the Exchequer] together with the following items [payable direct out of the Excise Office on tallies] viz. 8,000*l.* for the Forces ; 1,000*l.* to the Prince of Denmark ; 1,000*l.* to Mr. Toll [in repayment of loan]. Total disposition of the Excise, 12,000*l.* [*For the Hearthmoney*] 3,000*l.* to Mr. Duncombe in repayment of loan in further part of the 22,000*l.*)	*Disposition Book* IV, pp. 80, 81.
	Royal warrant to the Attorney or Solicitor General for a privy seal for a grant to Thomas Fisher, of London, gent., of two forfeited recognizances dated 1682–3, Jan. 23, in which John Seagood of Thistleworth [Isleworth], co. Midd., and Ferdinando Lockwood of London, innholder, became bound in 200*l.* each *ut supra*, p. 120.	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 197.
Sept. 29.	Henry Guy to the Customs Cashier to have sent up to London a box which will arrive at Dover for the Queen.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 149.
	Same to Mr. Stephens [Navy Cashier] for an account what the pay for a quarter to the Yards at Chatham and Sheerness, next in course [to be paid], will amount to.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Navy Commissioners for an account of the quantity of hemp you lately contracted for with Mr. Gore and the days when each particular payment is to be made.	*Ibid.*

Date.	Nature and Substance of the Entry.	Reference.
1685. Sept. 29.	Henry Guy to the Customs Commissioners. Mr. Pepys yesterday sent order to the Commander of the *Deptford* ketch to give passage to John Rousby and his servant to Virginia as you desired.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 149.
	Same to the Attorney General to report on the enclosed draft commission [missing] for Mr. Randolph to be surveyor of his Majesty's woods in New England.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue as follows out of the moneys of the Customs and Excise directed to be paid into the Exchequer to-morrow, viz.:	*Disposition Book* IV, pp. 81, 82.
	l. *Out of the Customs.* to the Treasurer of the Navy for the Victuallers .. .. 1,200 to ditto for fitting for sea service the *Bristol* and *Dartmouth* .. .. 405 to ditto for sea officers and bills in course.. 400 to ditto for fitting the guardships for Chatham and Portsmouth .. .. 735 £2,740 *Out of the Excise.* to the Paymaster of the Forces .. .. 8,000 to the Cofferer of the Household .. .. 2,000 to the Queen's Trustees or Col. Werden by [way of] advance .. .. 2,000 £12,000 *Out of loans on the linen duty Act.* to the Paymaster of the Forces .. .. .. 4,000 (Same dated same to the Customs Cashier to pay 2,740*l.* into the Exchequer to-morrow for the abovesaid four Customs cash items.) (Same dated same to the Excise Cashier to pay 12,000*l.* into the Exchequer to-morrow for the abovesaid three Excise cash items.)	
Oct. 1.	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to Tobias Eden, Deputy King's Remembrancer. The custody of the port bonds and port books appertains to you in right of your office as Deputy Remembrancer. In order that same may be carefully examined and preserved and that the bonds be not at any time fraudulently discharged or vexatiously prosecuted you are hereby to observe the orders already made concerning same and such orders as shall be hereafter made by me, the Lord Treasurer, or the Customs Commissioners.	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, p. 118.
	Henry Guy to the Customs Cashier to forthwith pay into the Receipt 7,738*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.* of Customs money remaining in your hands of the week ended Sept. 29 last. (Same to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue same to the Treasurer of the Navy for one quarter for the Yards at Chatham and Sheerness.) (Same to Mr. Stephens [Navy Cashier] apprising him hereof.)	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 82.
	Money warrant for 200*l.* to the executors of William, late Lord Alington, as in part of 250*l.* for 1683, Christmas quarter on his annuity of 1,000*l.* as Constable of the Tower of London.	*Money Book* VI, p. 142.
	Henry Guy to the Customs Commissioners to send to the Duke of Norfolk's house in St. James's Square	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 150.

Date.	Nature and Substance of the Entry.	Reference.
1685.	to visit his goods in order to their transport to France whither the Duke and Duchess are going.	
Oct. 1.	Henry Guy to the Customs Commissioners to deliver to John Taylor some china ware etc. directed to him, on payment of Custom.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 150.
	Same to same. The qu[arte]rs of Rumbold the traitor are arrived in London port. Deliver them to such persons as the King or Secretaries of State shall direct.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Receipt. You are to insist on no more fees on the present payment on the Earl of Peterborough's pension than what the garrison of Tangier pays. But for the future [payments thereon] you may demand the same fees as of others on payments of the like nature.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Customs Commissioners. In your report of the 28th ult. on the proposal of Mr. Jefferys *et al.* importers of tobacco from Virginia, concerning the new imposition on tobacco you propose three alternative ways for payment. Are the merchants to have the advantage of all three or only one thereof? Also what about the order of Aug. 17 last for allowance of 4 *per cent.* for waste?	*Ibid*, pp. 150-1.
	Same to the Commissioners of Excise and Hearthmoney. Is there any other Hearthmoney case in England like in all circumstances to that of the Hospitals of Canterbury called St. John and St. Nicholas; which desire to be relieved of Hearthmoney?	*Ibid*, p. 151.
	Same to the Customs Commissioners to report on (*a*) *infra*.	*Ibid.*
	Appending: (*a*) petition to Treasurer Rochester from Peter Martin, a French Protestant, being come over upon the late King's Declaration in behalf of the French distressed Protestants for permission to send back to France some old Flanders laces which he brought with him, being the remainder of his goods, not knowing they were prohibited here.	
	Same to Sir Stephen Fox. In 1679 there was a retrenchment made of board wages and other allowances payable by the Cofferer of the Household whereby the expence of the late King's Household was reduced from about 107,000*l.* *per an.* to less than half that sum. Certify Treasurer Rochester the proportions by which that retrenchment was made, expressing whether the respective societies or particular servants were retrenched a moiety or a third or more or less; and from what time said retrenchment commenced and how long it has continued.	*Ibid.*
	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to the Excise Commissioners of the petition of Peter Reneu of London, merchant, for an allowance (similar to what Mr. Beake had) in the duty on certain overproof brandy laden at Bordeaux July 4 last; or otherwise prays leave to export them to Holland.	*Reference Book* III, p. 167.
	Same by same to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of Patrick Mein as by a favourable reference	*Ibid*, p. 168.

Date.	Nature and Substance of the Entry.	Reference.
1685.	thereof from the King Aug. 11 last; petitioner setting forth his father's loyalty in Scotland to Charles I and II for which the Parliament of Scotland recommended him to the late King, who ordered his losses to be satisfied out of fines then to be raised in Scotland, which being otherwise exhausted said intention was frustrated whereupon in Jan. last the late King declared that something should be done for him; therefore prays satisfaction out of fines and forfeitures now due to the King in Scotland, or prays employment in the revenue in England, having been several years so employed in Ireland.	
Oct. 4.	Henry Guy to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue as follows out of moneys directed to be forthwith paid into the Exchequer. *l.* *Out of the Customs.* to the Treasurer of the Ordnance .. .. 1,500 to the Mint Commissioners for the coinage 1,500 to Mr. Burton for the expenses of the Judges in the Western Commission .. 1,300 to Mr. Graham for the Privy Purso .. .. 1,200 *Out of Excise.* to the Queen's Trustees, to be paid to Col. Werden .. .. 2,000 *Out of the Post Office.* to Mr. Ross .. .. 1,000 to Lady Stewart .. .. 150 £8,650 (Same dated same to the Customs Cashier, enclosing the paper of the further disposition of the Customs cash for the week ended Sept. 29 last; said paper including the abovesaid four Customs items [payable out of tho Exchequor] together with the following items [payable direct out of the Customs Office on tallies] viz. 2,000*l.* to Sir Hugh Cholmeley in repayment of loan; 1,000*l.* to Mr. Hewer in repayment of loan. Total disposition of the Customs, 8,500*l.*) (Same dated same to the Commissioners of Excise and Hearthmoney, enclosing the paper of the disposition of those revenues for said week; said paper including *for the Excise* the above item of 2,000*l.* for the Queen's Trustees and also 8,000*l.* to the Paymaster of the Forces and 2,000*l.* for the Cofferer of the Household; total disposition of the Excise, 12,000*l.*: and *for the Hearthmoney* the following items [payable direct out of the Hearthmoney Office on tallies] viz. 3,417*l.* 16*s.* 3*d.* to Mr. Duncombe in full of [repayment of] 22,000*l.*; 1,000*l.* to Mr. Toll in repayment of loan; 2,000*l.* for the Queen's Trustees. Total disposition of the Hearthmoney, 6,417*l.* 16*s.* 3*d.*)	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 83.
	Same to the Customs Commissioners, enclosing an Admiralty Commission for Daniell Rexford to be master and commander of the Custom House smack at Plymouth.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 152.
	Same to Sir Christopher Wren. Sir Samuell Morland has acquainted the King that there will be occasion for a wharf to be made on the ground at the waterside to secure the mill and works which convey the water into this [Windsor] Castle from the violence	*Ibid.*

Date.	Nature and Substance of the Entry.	Reference.
1685.	of the winter's weather. You are to advise and estimate hereon.	
Oct. 4.	Henry Guy to Sir Robert Howard [Auditor of the Receipt] to report (with the Surveyor General of Crown Lands) on (*a*) *infra*. *Appending:* (*a*) petition of Abraham Shapton, shewing that he has received back the lease and assignment of the mines royal holding (as he believes) gold and quicksilver, assigned to said Howard and said Surveyor General which they are ready to assign back to petitioner: but being unable to pay the five years now due by his covenants to the Company on the 10*l. per an.* rent or to set the mine on work petitioner prays to be paid said 50*l.* or for the Lord Treasurer to purchase the estate. (*b*) Reference from the Lord Treasurer dated Oct. 2 thereof as above.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 152.
	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners to employ Daniel Rexford as commander of the *Maldon* smack in the service of the Customs at Plymouth upon the dismission of Thomas Powell.	*Out Letters* (*Customs*) X, p. 53.
	Reference by same to same of the petition of John Wyat, shewing that John Hobson, late Consul for the English nation in Venice, came from thence by the King's leave about 12 months since and his household goods, pictures etc. were laden on the *London Merchant*, Capt. King commander, May 30 last; that Hobson died before their arrival and left petitioner executor in trust for his estate in Venice for his two daughters in England and his only son, his Majesty's Consul in Venice: prays for the delivery of said goods, Customs free, in order that they may be sent back to Venice to said son.	*Reference Book* III, p. 169.
Oct. 6.	Henry Guy to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue as follows out of moneys directed to be this week paid into the Exchequer.	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 84.

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Out of the Customs.			
to the Treasurer of the Navy for the Victuallers	1,200	0	0
to ditto for sea officers and bills in course	400	0	0
to ditto for [the Navy's] weekly money	1,500	0	0
to ditto to pay off the *Saphire* ..	9,548	14	0
to the Treasurer of the Ordnance ..	1,500	0	0
	£14,148	14	0
Out of the Excise.			
to the Paymaster of the Forces ..	7,000	0	0
to the Cofferer	3,000	0	0
to the Queen's Trustees, to be paid to Col. Werden	2,000	0	0
	£12,000	0	0
Out of loans [*on the linen duty*].			
to the Paymaster of the Forces ..	5,000	0	0

(Same dated same to the Customs Cashier to pay 14,148*l.* 14*s.* 0*d.* into the Exchequer to-morrow for the above five Customs items.) (Same dated same to the Navy Cashier apprising him of the direction of the above four Navy items to the total of

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1685.	12,648*l.* 14*s.* 0*d.*) (Same dated same to Alderman Duncombe to pay 12,000*l.* of Excise monoy into the Exchequer to-morrow for the above three Excise items.)	
Oct. 6.	Henry Guy to the Customs Commissioners to deliver to the King's celler five fodder of Rhenish wine sent as a prcsent to the King from the Duke of Juliers.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 153.
Oct. 7.	Same to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue to Sir Edw. Wood by way of advance 100*l.* out of the 1,430*l.* reserved in the Exchequer for him.	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 85.
	Same to Mr. Kingdon and partners to forthwith pay 2,000*l.* into the Exchequer for his Majesty's use "which should have been paid by Mr. Genew in April last for the surplus" [of the Hearthmoney and which is now payable by said Kingdon and partners as tho assignees of said Genew].	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue (out of the loans made this day by abovesaid Kingdon, Patrick Trant and William Bridges) 10,000*l.* to me [Guy] in part of an order for 18,000*l.*	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Customs Commissioners to hasten their report on the proposal of Mr. Jefferys *et al.* importers of tobacco from Virginia.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 153.
	Same to same to send an officer to the lodgings of the Prince of Denmark this morning to see the goods of Monsieur Place in order to their transport to Denmark.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Darcy *et al.* to forthwith provide as follows. *Appending :* letter dated Windsor, Sept. 21 last from the Earl of Ailesbury, Lord Chamberlain, to the Lord Treasurer. There is wanting for the Queen's service at Whitehall printed panagon for furnishing the lodging of the Mother of the Maids [of Honour], answerable to the rooms which have been furnished for said Maids ; and six cane chairs and a couch.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Customs Commissioners to report on the enclosed paper [missing] concerning the late imposition upon tobacco particularly that part of it [said paper] which is proposed to be done before the meeting of Parliament. Will it be for the King's service to endeavour at the next session of Parliament to pass such a bill as is here proposed ? Also send the Lord Treasurer an account of the moneys received on the several petty farms of the Customs since the death of Charles II *ut supra*, p. 63.	*Ibid.*
	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to same to release the seizure of the goods of above 50 families of French Protestants after giving them caution of the Navigation Act : John Calvet, their agent, having petitioned shewing *ut supra*, p. 336, that they and their goods have lain since Aug. 1 at Plymouth on board the *King David*, Peter La Coste, an Englishman, master, and the *Mary*, Thomas Guilco, an Englishman, master, both which ships were built in France and bought by the said Captains [but have not boen made free as	*Out Letters* (*Customs*) X, p. 54.

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1685.	English ships] on which petition said Commissioners reported Sept. 26 last that such importation is against the Navigation Act and moreover that no alien or person not born within the allegiance or naturalized or made a free denizen shall exercise the trade of a merchant or factor in any of the Plantations on pain of forfeiture of goods and chattels; that said goods may be restored in pity of the severity of the prosecution from which they are fled, but that they be advised of the danger they will incur by the Navigation Act if they send their goods in the said ships to New York or any of his Majesty's Plantations.	
Oct. 7.	Signature by Treasurer Rochester of the docquet of a lease to Thomas Broadlake, *ut supra*, pp. 144–5.	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, p. 119.
	Same by same of tho same of a lease to Frances Kemp *ut supra*, p. 144.	*Ibid.*
	Warrant by same to the Surveyor General of Crown Lands for a particular of a tenement in the manor of Boyton with a view to a lease thereof to John Holman for 99 years terminable on the lives of him, Mary his wife and Mary her daughter by Samuel Lang, late tenant of the premises at the old rent of 13*s.* 9*d. per an.* and fine of 20*l.* and on surrender of the term in being. *Prefixing:* said Surveyor General's report on said Holman's petition for same. The tenement is about 30 acres, formerly valued at 15*l. per an.* and granted 3 Car. I to Henry Randall for the lives of his three daughters Margaret, Grace and Wilmot, who soon after assigned to George Anderton, whose only daughter Mary married Sam Lang and said Lang obtained a new lease in Feb., 1672–3, for 99 years terminable on the lives of said Margaret Randall, Lang and Mary his wife at 30*l.* fine which was a high rate. A fine of 20*l.* may be sufficient for the present lease as the value of land has fallen.	*Ibid*, pp. 119–20.
Oct. 8.	*Fiat* by same for royal letters patent to constitute George Shepheard, esq., Comptroller of Berwick port: to wit, the office he held at the death of Charles II.	*Ibid*, p. 120.
	Constitution and appointment by same of William Arnold, gent., to the office of steward and stewardship of the manor of Wicks Bishop in the parish of St. Clements in Ipswich and the manor of Waldringfield, co. Suffolk, which manors have been seized into the King's hands for payment of the fine of 10,000*l.* lately set on Sir Samuel Barnardiston in the King's Bench for misdemeanours.	*Ibid*, p. 121.
	Warrant by same to the Clerk of the Pipe for a lease to Andrew Lawrence, Surveyor of the King's highways, of a house lately built by him in the parish of St. Martins in the Fields near the new road leading from Westminster to Knightsbridge near the King's gate there leading to Fulham, being 28 feet by 28 feet, with an adjoining yard 90 feet north thereof and in the occupation of Edward Mathews. The lease to be for 31 years from Lady day last at 12*d. per an.* rent and without fine in consideration of said Lawrence's cost in building said house and enclosing said land.	*Ibid*, pp. 121–2.

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1685.	*Prefixing :* constat and ratal of the premises made out by John Fisher in the absence of the Surveyor General of Crown Lands.	
Oct. 8.	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners approving the method of tobacco bonds and discounts as follows, as advised in their report of Sept. 28 last on the proposals of Mr. Jefferys *et al.*, merchants, importers of tobacco from Virginia who desire that they may give bond for the new duties at three six months in three equal proportions and so to be free to deliver any part of said tobacco to any consumptioner or retailer ; and likewise that the importer or buyer may have 12 months for re-export and further that they be allowed 8 *per cent.* for waste and allowance of discount if they wish to take up their bonds. Upon said proposals said Commissioners report that by order of July 31 last Treasurer Rochester gave order for admitting merchants importers of tobacco and sugar to 10 *per cent.* rebate on payment of duty in ready money and that the allowance of giving bond at three six months is equivalent to said rebate of 10 *per cent.* as far as the King's affairs are concerned, but of more convenience to the merchant : further that by the Lord Treasurer's order of Aug. 17 last 4 *per cent.* is allowed for waste and that such allowance may be made to such as give bond as abovesaid, provided always that every merchant shall enter his whole parcel [come] by any [single] ship and compound for the duties either by bonds at three six months or by payment of money down on rebate or otherwise to have no benefit hereof : and whereas the merchant is allowed 18 months in case he sells not and the buyer four months for the exportation of the said commodities " now in consideration that the whole duty is compounded for at the importation of the goods you have reported that you think it for the King's service that the time for exportation may be ascertained [fixed] to be within 12 months as well for the importer as the buyer of any goods so compounded for at the importation according to the practice of the additional duties in the Act of Tunnage and Poundage," and further that as to the merchants' desire to be admitted, on discount, to take up their bonds when their circumstances shall permit, direction be given to the Receiver General [of Customs] to do the same in such manner as he has been used to discount the payment of the [Customs of the] East India Company " to avoid distraction in the accounts of the Customs."	*Out Letters* (*Customs*) X, p. 55.
	Money warrant for 150*l.* to Dame Sophia Stuart for half a year to June 24 last on her annuity or pension.	*Money Book* VI, p. 142.
	Same for 9,332*l.* 3*s.* $4\frac{3}{4}$*d.* to Treasurer Rochester, Henry, Earl of Peterborough, Sidney, Lord Godolphin, Robt. Werden and Sir Edward Herbert, as Trustees for the Queen ; for last Sept. 29 quarter on the several sums granted by the King to the Queen by the patent of Aug. 28 last *ut supra*, pp. 275–6.	*Ibid*, p. 143.
	Same for 500*l.* to Philip Burton, upon account, for Crown Law charges. (Money order dated Oct. 10 hereon.)	*Ibid*, p. 143. *Order Book* I, p. 52.

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1685. Oct. 8.	Money warrant for 1,000*l.* to Henry, Duke of Grafton, for one year to June 24 last on his pension as by the privy seal of Sept. 28 last. (Money order dated Oct. 13 hereon.)	*Money Book* VI, p. 143. *Order Book* I, p. 53.
	Henry Guy to the Customs Commissioners to send unopened to the Queen's back stairs a box now in the Customs warehouse and directed to the Queen.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 154.
	Same to Mr. Hewer to report on (*a*) *infra*. *Appending :* (*a*) petition to Treasurer Rochester from Thomas Harriot, serjeant under Capt. James Fortrey at Tangier for a considerable time, praying payment of his arrears, being in want.	*Ibid.*
	Treasurer Rochester to Jno. Wilson, sheriff of co. Leicester. A fine has been set upon your county designed for the building of a common gaol there, What has been raised thereon remains in your hands. You are to keep it by you till you inform me how much it amounts to and you are to forbear levying anything more thereon till further order. What method have you taken in levying and proportioning said fine ?	*Ibid.*
	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of Henry, Earl of Clarendon, William Chiffinch and Martin Folks for Tho. Chiffinch to be admitted their deputy in the office of one of the two searchers of Gravesend, he having been sent thither for training in his duty.	*Reference Book* III, p. 170. *Out Letters* (*General*) VIII, p. 42.
	Same by same to Marmaduke Darcy, Geo. Benyon and Robert Phillips of the petition of Mr. Knight for allowance [in his Wardrobe accounts] of 270*l.* for salary of himself and his brother, charges of privy seals etc. and 63*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.* for liveries to himself and his [late] father " in consideration of the great loss we sustained by the fire, preferring the saving all the King's accounts of the Wardrobe to our own goods " ; and 25*l.* 12*s.* 4*d.* for disbursements upon bills signed in the Great Wardrobe.	*Reference Book* III, p. 170.
Oct. 9.	Henry Guy to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue as follows out of moneys directed to be this week paid into the Exchequer, viz. :	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 85.
	l. *Out of the Excise.* to Mr. Packer for the new buildings at Whitehall .. .. 1,500 *Out of Hearthmoney.* to the Queen's Trustees .. .. 2,000 to Mr. Graham for the Privy Purse .. .. 1,200 *Out of the Letter Office money.* to Mr. Chiffinch 200 £4,900	
	(Same dated same to the Commissioners of Excise and Hearthmoney, enclosing the paper of the disposition of those revenues for the week ended the 6th inst. ; said paper including *for the Excise* the items of 7,000*l.*, 3,000*l.* and 2,000*l.* [*ut supra*, p. 354] the abovesaid item of 1,500*l.* [all payable out of the Exchequer] and 2,000*l.* for the Princess [Anne, payable out of the Excise Office on tallies]. Total disposition of the Excise 15,500*l.* : and *for the Hearthmoney :* the above two Hearthmoney	

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1685.	items [payable out of the Exchequer] and 2,000*l.* to Mr. Toll in repayment of loan [payable direct out of the Hearthmoney Office on tallies]. Total disposition of the Hearthmoney, 5,200*l.*)	
Oct. 9.	Henry Guy to the Customs Commissioners. In spite of my former letters you have stopped the goods of the Marquis de Valparaiso, Envoy from the King of Spain. They are to pass without further delay.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 155.
	Same to same. Treasurer Rochester learns by letter from Bristol that Col. Trelawney has secured a vessel that came from Rotterdam to Lyme four hours after the late Duke of Monmouth landed there and that the tidewaiter found therein 40 pair of pistols wrapped in hemp and consigned to two disaffected persons; and that the vessel is designed in a few days for another voyage to Holland. You are to report on the whole matter and meanwhile to stop the vessel.	*Ibid.*
	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to Auditor Aldworth of the account of interest due to Charles Toll to Oct. 1 inst. on several sums by him advanced for the late King's service.	*Reference Book* III, pp. 171–2.
	Prefixing: said account.	
		l. *s.* *d.*
	interest at 6 *per cent.* on 89,441*l.* principal from July 1 last to Oct. 1	1,352 12 1
	[interest] on 1,377*l.* 2*s.* 4*d.* of interest due at the foot of the last account from July 1 last to July 28, when it was paid at the Exchequer ..	6 2 1
		£1,358 14 2
	[Repayments of principal and] discount of interest thereon.	
	on 1,000*l.* repaid at the Excise Office July 11 last in part of a 9,000*l.* tally dated 1679, July 28	12 16 5
	on 1,000*l.* repaid July 29 in full of said tally	10 10 4
	on 1,000*l.* repaid Aug. 8 in part of a 5,000*l.* tally dated 1680–1, Jan. 4	8 17 6
	on 1,000*l.* repaid Aug. 18 in further part of said tally	7 4 7
	on 1,000*l.* repaid Aug. 22 as ditto ..	6 11 6
	on 1,000*l.* repaid Aug. 31 as ditto ..	5 1 11
	on 1,000*l.* repaid Sept. 7 in full of said tally	3 18 10
	on 2,000*l.* repaid Sept. 16 in part of a 6,441*l.* tally dated 1682, April 21	4 18 7
	on 1,000*l.* repaid Sept. 24 in further part of said tally	1 3 0
	on 1,000*l.* repaid at the Hearthmoney Office Aug. 8 last in part of a 5,000*l.* tally datod 1684, May 27, struck in the name of Edward Noell	8 17 6
	on 2,000*l.* repaid Aug. 18, in furthor part of said tally	14 9 3
	on 1,000*l.* repaid Aug. 22 as ditto	6 11 6
	on 1,000*l.* repaid Sept. 15 in full of said tally	2 12 7
	on 1,000*l.* repaid Sept. 22 in part of a 5,000*l.* tally dated 1684,	

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1685.		*l.*	*s.*	*d.*	
	May 27, in the name of Edwd. Noell	1	9	7	
	on 1,377*l.* 2*s.* 4*d.* repaid July 28 at the Exchequer, being said interest item *ut supra*	*nil.*			
		£95	3	1	
	Total repayments of principal being 17,377*l.* 2*s.* 4*d.* leaving a balance of principal remaining due on the foot of this present account of 73,441*l.* and a balance of interest similarly due of 1,263*l.* 11*s.* 1*d.*				
Oct. 9.	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to Auditor Aldworth of the account of interest due to Richard Kent and Charles Duncombe to Sept. 29 last on moneys by them lent for his Majesty's service.				*Reference Book* III pp. 173–4.
	Prefixing : said account.				
		l.	*s.*	*d.*	
	interest on 213,617*l.* 16*s.* 3*d.* remaining due on the foot of their last account made up to 1685, June 24, being 60,700*l.* on the Customs, 69,917*l.* 16*s.* 3*d.* on Hearthmoney and 83,000*l.* on Excise	3,406	2	4	
	one *per cent.* deducted on 50,000*l.* ..	132	17	6	
		£3,273	4	10	
	[*Repayments of principal and deductions of interest thereon.*]				
	on 2,000*l.* repaid July 14 last in part of 60,700*l.*	25	6	3	
	on 1,500*l.* repaid July 15 in part of 69,917*l.* 16*s.* 3*d.*	18	14	9	
	on 2,000*l.* repaid July 21 in part of 60,700*l.*	23	0	3	
	on 1,500*l.* repaid July 29 in part of 83,000*l.*	15	5	9	
	on 1,500*l.* repaid Aug. 8 in part of 83,000*l.*	12	16	4	
	on 4,000*l.* repaid Aug. 8 in part of 69,917*l.* 16*s.* 3*d.*	34	3	10	
	on 3,000*l.* repaid Aug. 18 in part of ditto	20	14	2	
	on 1,500*l.* repaid Aug. 18 in part of 83,000*l.*	10	7	1	
	on 1,500*l.* repaid Aug. 22 in part of ditto	9	7	4	
	on 3,000*l.* repaid Aug. 22 in part of 69,917*l.* 16*s.* 3*d.*	18	14	9	
	on 1,500*l.* repaid Aug. 31 in part of 83,000*l.*	7	3	0	
	on 1,500*l.* repaid Sept. 8 in part of ditto	5	3	6	
	on 2,000*l.* repaid Sept. 22 in part of 69,917*l.* 16*s.* 3*d.*	2	6	0	
	on 3,000*l.* repaid Sept. 28 in part of ditto	0	9	10	
	on 3,417*l.* 16*s.* 3*d.* repaid Sept. 29 in part of ditto	*nil.*			
		£203	12	10	
	Total repayments of principal, 32,917*l.* 16*s.* 3*d.* leaving a principal debt of 180,700*l.* still due on the foot of this present account : 56,700*l.* thereof on the Customs ; 50,000*l.* thereof on				

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1685.	the Hearthmoney and 74,000*l.* thereof on the Excise. Total interest remaining due, 3,069*l.* 12*s.* 0*d.* Full total of principal and interest remaining on the foot of this account, 183,769*l.* 12*s.* 0*d.*	
Oct. 10.	Henry Guy to the Receipt. The money now directed *supra*, p. 357, to be issued to the Queen's Trustees for her is to be paid to Col. Werden, one of the Trustees, by the Tellers. What authority shall be wanting from the other Trustees to vouch the payment shall be speedily sent you. This is to be forthwith despatched for the accommodation of the Queen's service.	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 86.
	Royal constitution and appointment of Sir Robert Wright, kt. (one of the Barons of the Exchequer) as one of the Justices of the King's Bench. The like of Sir Edward Nevill, kt. (a Serjeant at Law) as a Baron of the Coif of the Exchequer.	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 232.
	Henry Guy to the Customs Commissioners to deliver to Viset. Cornbury, on payment of Customs some hose and holster caps, one embroidered gold and silver upon blue velvet, another all gold embroidered on green, etc., and some pieces of French copper fringe.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 155.
	Same to same to pass, Customs free, the goods of the Marquis de Valparaisso, Envoy Extraordinary from Spain, in an English vessel, Capt. Douex. *Appending :* memorial concerning said goods (including old tapestry and a large portrait of the late Duke of Norfolk on horseback): part thereof being detained at Rochester, being ready to be transported to Spain.	*Ibid*, pp. 155–6.
	Same to Mr. Darcy *et al.* to forthwith provide the following. *Appending :* undated letter from the Earl of Ailesbury to Treasurer Rochester. The Queen has ordered six Dutch chairs and four Dutch screens of the same manner and pattern as will be shewed at the Queen's backstairs.	*Ibid*, p. 157.
	Same to the Attorney General to report on the enclosed case [missing] concerning the King's fines for alienations, commonly called the King's silver, in the King's dominions in America.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Customs Commissioners to send an officer to the Dutch Ambassadors' house in St. James's Square on Monday next to seal their goods which are going away.	*Ibid.*
Oct. 12.	Same to the Customs Cashier to pay 1,742*l.* 14*s.* 6*d.* of Customs money into the Exchequer to-morrow. (Same dated same to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue said sum to me [Guy] for secret service.)	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 86.
	Same to same to pay 4,000*l.* of Customs money into the Exchequer to-morrow. (Same dated same to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue said sum to the Treasurer of the Navy in further part of 29,745*l.* for the ordinary and extraordinary repairs of the Navy.) (Same dated same to the Customs Cashier apprising him hereof.)	*Ibid*, pp. 86, 87.

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1685. Oct. 12.	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Receipt for tallies of assignment on the First Fruits for 500*l.* to Aubery, Earl of Oxford, for last Sept. 29 quarter on his pension.	*Money Book* VI, p. 143.
	Reference by same to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of Tho. Nisbit, searcher at Hull; being grown old prays that Nicho. Booker may be admitted in his stead.	*Reference Book* III, p. 175.
	Same by same to same of the petition of Daniel Savary, shewing that being a Protestant he is come out of France for refuge and being arrived at Rye with a small barque (being a fisherman) and three or four families of his neighbours, the Customs officers there demand [the French duty or] tunnage duty for the barque and Customs on their household goods: pray to be liable for duty only on merchandises and if further numbers of them come hereafter, that they may have the same benefit.	*Ibid.*
	Warrant by same to Edward Liminton, at the Blue Boar in Holborn to deliver to Mr. Leveson the two stone horses (a black and a bay) in your custody belonging to Mr. Charlton and by him forfeited to the King.	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, p. 123.
	Same from same to the Customs Commissioners approving a proposal from Mr. Randolph of New England, that in regard of the many interlopers which from all parts yearly frequent that country and now more especially since the new impositions in England, there may be allowance made for a good boat and two watermen for boarding of waiters on ships coming to Boston to prevent their delivery of prohibited goods before they [said ships] come under command of the [guns of the] town. Said proposal being approved by the Customs Commissioners is hereby ordered: 20*l.* is to be allowed for said boat and 25*l. per an.* each for said two boatmen.	*Out Letters* (*Customs*) X, p. 55.
	Henry Guy to Mr. Thomas for a certificate of names of all the officers and gentlemen of the Band of Pensioners at the time of the late King's death and of the pay due to them up to Christmas last, what thereof on orders registered and what on orders not registered.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 157.
	Same to the Auditors of Imprests to prepare for declaration the account of the executors of Sir William Bucknall of the French tunnage duty in England and Ireland.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Sir Gilbert Talbott [Master of the Jewel House] to certify whether Mr. John Chase, apothecary to the late King, has delivered into your office the quantity of plate formerly deliverod to him.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Darcy *et al.* When I wrote you last month to provide presents to be sent by Sir William Soames (Ambassador to Constantinople) to the Governments of Algiers, Tripoly and Tunis, Treasurer Rochester thought that Mr. Lodington was gone to Tripoly with the present formerly provided but is now informed that he is not gone but is to go with Sir William Soames. You are	*Ibid*, p. 158.

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1685.	not to provide another present for Tripoly because Soames is to present that intended to have been sent by Lodington. (Same to said Loddington to deliver to said Soames the above said present delivered to you some time since for the Government of Tripoly.)	
Oct. 12.	Henry Guy to the Attorney General to report with all speed on the enclosed draft [missing] of a bill to be offered to Parliament for the better collection of the Customs: also on the enclosed presentment [missing] from the Customs Commissioners concerning the Aliens duty.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 158.
	Same to the Customs Commissioners to order that the officer be satisfied who seized the lace at Rochester belonging to the Marquis de Valparaissa before said lace is delivered.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Customs Cashier, enclosing a list of the Customs officers, London port, who are returned in super for [their contributions to] the last 1677 Poll money. You are to deduct the contributions from the salaries of such as are still alive, and to pay such moneys to Wendiver Lowndes, who is appointed by Treasurer Rochester to be collector of said Poll. *Appending:* said list (total contributions 644*l.*).	*Ibid*, p. 159.
	Appointment by Treasurer Rochester (in the form of a subscription by said Lord Treasurer to a deputation by William Blathwayte) of Edward Randolph as deputy in all his Majesty's territories of New England to the said Blathwayte in the office of surveyor and auditor of his Majesty's [Plantation] revenues.	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, p. 129.
Oct. 13.	Henry Guy to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue as follows out of the moneys directed to be this week paid into the Exchequer, viz.:	*Disposition Book* IV, pp. 87, 88.

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Out of the Customs.

to the Treasurer of the Navy for the Victuallers	1,200
to ditto for sea officers and bills in course	400
to ditto for Mr. Pearse for sick and wounded	500
to the Treasurer of the Ordnance	1,000
to Sir William Soames in full of his extraordinaries	649
to the Lord President of the Privy Council	375
to the Lord Privy Seal	388
	£4,512

Out of the Excise.

to Charles Fox, Paymaster of the Forces	6,000
to the Cofferer of the Household	2,000
to the Queen's Trustees	2,000
	£10,000

Out of the Hearthmoney.

to the Queen's Trustees	2,500
to me [Guy] for secret service	750
	£3,250

Date.	Nature and Substance of the Entry.	Reference.
1685.	*l.* *Out of the money of the Post Office now in the Exchequer.* to mo [Guy] for secret service .. .. .. 250 to [ditto] more by [way of] advance .. 500 £750 Full total of the above £18,512	
	(Same dated same to the Customs Cashier, enclosing the paper of the disposition of the Customs for the present week ; said paper including the above seven items and the 4,000*l.* *supra*, p. 361, for the Navy and the 1,742*l.* 14*s.* 6*d.* *supra*, p. 361, for Guy [all payable out of the Exchequer] together with the following items [payable direct out of the Customs Office on tallies] viz., 221*l.* to the Lord Privy Seal ; 1,000*l.* to Sir Hugh Cholmley in repayment of loan ; 1,000*l.* to Mr. Hewer in repayment of loan. Total disposition of the Customs, 12,473*l.* 14*s.* 6*d.*) (Same dated same to the Commissioners of Excise and Hearthmoney, enclosing the similar paper of disposition for those branches, said paper including *for the Excise* the abovesaid three items [payable out of the Exchequer] together with the following [payable direct out of the Excise Office on tallies] viz., 1,500*l.* to Mr. Kent and Mr. Duncombe in repayment of loan ; 500*l.* to Mr. Hornby for ditto ; and *for the Hearthmoney* the abovesaid item for the Queen and the 750*l.* (here stated to be for Sir Peter Apsley) [all payable out of the Exchequer] together with the following items [payable direct out of the Hearthmoney Office on tallies] viz., 1,000*l.* to Mr. Toll in repayment of loan ; 3,000*l.* to Mr. Nocll for ditto. Total disposition of the Excise and Hearthmoney, 19,250*l.*)	
Oct. 13.	Henry Guy to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue (out of the money of the Letter Office) 150*l.* to the Duke of Somerset for last June 24 quarter as a Gentleman of the Bedchamber.	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 87.
	Same to same to issue (out of same) 96*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.* to Timothy Whitfeild, Clerk of the [Foreign] Estreats.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Customs Cashier for an account what is due from the East India Company on the bonds which you usually mention in your [weekly] certificates.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 160.
	Same to Sir Thomas Sandys. Treasurer Rochester has ordered Alderman Duncombe to accept a bill from you for 500*l.*	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Blathwaito [Secretary to the Forces]. Is Gervase Scroope now an officer in the army or was he one of the disbanded ?	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Auditors of Imprests. How far have you and the accomptants before you complied with the late orders as to accompting ?	*Ibid.*
	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to the Commissioners of Excise and Hearthmoney of the petition of Charles Frith, late Commissary of the provisions stores at Tangier, praying a collectorship or General Receivership in the Excise or Hearthmoney.	*Reference Book* III, p. 175.

Date.	Nature and Substance of the Entry.	Reference.
1685. Oct. 13.	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to the Surveyor General of Crown Lands of the petition of James Fortrey and Thomas Dowcet for a lease of a small farm called Goleston's farm in the manor of Clewer, co. Berks, conccaled from tho Crown for several years.	*Reference Book* III, p. 177.
	Warrant by same to Sir Nicholas Crispe, collector Outwards, London port, to swear Thomas Chiffinch into office as deputy to the Earl of Clarendon, William Chiffinch and Martin Folks in the office of one of the two searchers at Gravesend.	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, p. 123.
	Report by same to the King on the petition of Peter Walley, engineer, *supra*, p. 227, the town of Richmond being in great want of water and very desirous to have it conveyed to them from the Thames by petitioner's engine. The Surveyor General of Crown Lands reports that petitioner's patent dated 1682–3, Mar. 23, was for the sole use for 14 years of a new engine or pump for raising water and that the supply of Richmond is a work of public good and that petitioner may be granted licence to lay pipes through the streets and wastes of the manor (on his compounding with the respective proprietors) and for erecting conduits or receptacles for water in any convenient places; he paying some small acknowledgment of 5*s. per an.* to the Crown.	*Ibid*, p. 124.
	Royal warrant to the Clerk of the Signet for a privy seal for an annuity or pension of 4,000*l.* to George, Lord Jefferys, Baron of Wem and High Chancellor of England.	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 197.
	Same to the Attorney or Solicitor General for a same for the issue to John Knight, gent., of sums not exceeding [in the whole] 20,000*l.* as imprest for goods, wares or provisions to be bought or provided by Marmaduke Darcy, George Benyon and Robert Philipps for the King's service [in the Great Wardrobe] and to pay salaries and for work done [for said Wardrobe]: all pursuant to directions from the Lord High Treasurer.	*Ibid*, pp. 197–9.
	Same to same for a great seal for a grant to Edward Randolph of the office of Surveyor of Woods in New England as follows. By the vacating of the charter of the Colony of Massachusetts Bay in New England the Province of Maine which was in that Corporation is now devolved to the King. To the intent therefore that all the King's woods, fir trees and other timber trees proper for the Navy and growing within 10 or 12 miles of any navigable river, bays, or harbours in any part of said Province may for the future be preserved from all manner of waste and spoil by any of the inhabitants or others, there is hereby granted to said Randolph the said office of Surveyor of said woods and timber upon any of the mainland, island or islands within 10 or 12 miles of any navigable river etc., within said province: with the fee or allowance of 50*l. per an.* payable half yearly by the Treasurer of the Navy as from Michaelmas last and to be for defraying the necessary charges and expenses arising upon viewing and surveying the said woods and timber: the said office to be exercised by him or deputy and during pleasure: which views and surveys he is hereby	*Ibid*, pp. 199–200.

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1685.	authorised to make at all convenient times in the year and to mark out all such trees as shall be fit for the use of the Navy and to make a register of the same and to transmit fair copies thereof to the Lord Treasurer [in England]: he to observe the directions of the Lord Treasurer or the Navy Commissioners from time to time. All Justices of the Peace, Constables and all other civil officers in New England to assist him herein.	
Oct. 13.	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Cashier to pay 600*l.* to the Mayor etc. of Berwick for six years to 1684, Lady day, on the annuity for keeping up the bridge there over the Tweed.	*Money Book* VI, p. 144.
	Money warrant for 1,220*l.* to Sir Edward Wood for a bill of extraordinaries as follows as Envoy Extraordinary to the King of Sweden after disallowance of 100*l.* and 110*l.* for items 16 and 17 therein. (Money order dated Oct. 15 hereon.) *Appending:* said bill being for several extraordinary expences in that employment which have not yet been allowed: said bill being sworn to 1678, June 8, by said Wood before Baron Crawley and allowed by Secretary Sir L. Jenkins, 1680, June 15 with the exception of items 15, 16 and 17 which are referred to the [then] Treasury Lords.	*Ibid*, pp. 144–5. *Order Book* I, p. 53.

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
for postage of letters, private correspondence by particular order, new equipage upon my going to the assembly at Lund, several expresses between that [place] and Malmö with several other extraordinary expences [all as follow]			
paid for postage of letters for a year and three months from all parts and for intelligence	135	10	0
paid and given to the writers and secretaries of the several colleges upon their returning answers to the frequent memorials I had occasion to give in about the concerns of the merchants, or giving any orders in favour of them according to custom	86	5	0
paid and given for new year's [gifts] to the King['s] and Queen's servants as likewise to those of the town	59	0	0
paid for several entertainments on the King's birthday and other solemn occasions	72	10	0
paid to a private correspondent according to order	125	0	0
for the expence of my journey to Schonen and stay there at the Assembly where all things were extra dear and being obliged to make new equipage	320	0	0
paid and given to a convoy of 50 horse to convey me to the King and the same number back	25	0	0
paid for bringing my servants and goods (having received his Majesty's orders of revocation) from Stockholm to Elsinore in order to my return for England	40	0	0

Date.	Nature and Substance of the Entry.				Reference.
1685.		*l.*	*s.*	*d.*	
	paid and given to the King's servants and conductor when I had my audience of leave	40	0	0	
	paid and given to the Master of the Ceremonies	100	0	0	
	paid and given to the master of the ship that transported me and my family to England	50	0	0	
	paid and given to the ship's company	13	15	0	
	paid and given at Hamburg, Elsinore and for taking care of my letters ..	15	0	0	
	paid and given to physicians, apothecaries etc. for my servants	44	0	0	
	paid fees for 2,408*l.* at the Treasury, Exchequer and the Chancellor's [of the Exchequer] and for passing my privy seal	69	0	0	
	paid for advancing 2,408*l.* charged on the Customs	100	0	0	
	paid for advancing 910*l.* charged on the Hearthmoney	110	0	0	
	paid and given to the town mayor, gunners, drummers, trumpets and to the Governor's servants of the garrison of Malines [*sic* ? for Malmö] at my landing and returning ..	11	0	0	
	paid for several expresses betwixt Malmö and Lund	14	0	0	
		£1,430	0	0	
Oct. 13.	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Auditors of Imprests to allow in account 100*l.* to Richard Kent, Customs Cashier, for the like sum paid by him to Sir Nicho. Butler July 8 last by Treasurer Rochester's direction.				*Money Book* VI, p. 146.
	Same by same to the Customs Commissioners to direct the payment of the last Sept. 29 quarter's salary bill of the outports (established salaries 4,537*l.* 10*s.* 8*d.*, additional salaries 579*l.* 5*s.* 0*d.*, total, 5,116*l.* 15*s.* 8*d.*).				*Ibid.*
Oct. 14.	Privy seal dormant for 10,000*l.* to be paid in such proportions, to such persons and for such uses as the King shall from time to time direct by his royal sign manual. (Royal warrant dated Oct. 4 for said privy seal.)				*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 197.
Oct. (altered from Sept.) 14.	Royal sign manual for 471*l.* 12*s.* 6*d.* to Joseph Roberts, esq., without account: in consideration of his good services in the prosecution of factious Dissenters in co. Kent: to be issued on the 10,000*l.* dormant privy seal of Oct. 14 inst. (altered from Aug. 25) and to be satisfied out of Recusants' money paid into the Exchequer by Archibald Clinkard, sheriff of Kent, for the year ended 1684, Sept. 29. (Money warrant dated Oct. 15, altered from Sept. 14 hereon. Money order dated Oct. 15 hereon.)				*Ibid*, p. 194. *Money Book* VI, p. 138. *Order Book* I, p. 53.
Oct. 14 (altered from Sept. 27).	Same for 260*l.* to Henry Guy, for secret service, without account: to be issued on the 10,000*l.* dormant privy seal of Oct. 14 inst. (altered from Aug. 25 last). (Money warrant dated Oct. 17 hereon. Money order dated Oct. 19 hereon.)				*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 196. *Money Book* VI, p. 149. *Order Book* I, p. 56.
Oct. 15.	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to Mr. Hewer of the petition of Jeromia Winstanley and William Hall,				*Reference Book* III, p. 178.

Date.	Nature and Substance of the Entry.	Reference.
1685.	two poor Tangier soldiers, aged and infirm, praying for their four years' arrears of pay and the money due to them from Capt Edw. Hasting.	
Oct. 15.	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to Mr. Hewer of the petition of James Reape, William Strowd and Henry Meadcalf, three poor Tangier soldiers, praying for their arrears of 28*l.* 4*s.* 10½*d.* to Strowd, 9*l.* 10*s.* 4*d.* to Medcalfe and "to Reap his whole arrear for 18 years," petitioners being poor, in debt and in a deplorable condition.	*Reference Book* III, p. 178.
	Henry Guy to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue to me, for secret service, the 200*l.* directed the 9th inst. *supra*, p. 358, to be issued to Mr. Chiffinch. The 750*l.* reserved in the Exchequer for Mr. Skelton is to be issued to him by [way of] advance and similarly the 1,500*l.* reserved for the Mint Commissioners is to be issued to them by [way of] advance. The regular orders for these sums shall be sent as soon as they can be passed.	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 88.
	Same to the Customs Commissioners. Treasurer Rochester has moved the King on your presentment of the 12th inst. in which you desire that two small ships may be sent to Barbados to prevent frauds in the Customs instead of a fourth rate frigate which has usually attended that island. This is not the time of the year for sending small vessels to the Plantations, but when the season serves your desire will be complied with.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 160.
	Same to the Board of Greencloth. The Lord Treasurer is informed by the King's Counsel that where any inhabitant has an estate certain (for life, years or by will) in any of his Majesty's houses [palaces] the Hearthmoney for same is to be paid by the inhabitant but where his possession is only and immediatcly for the King as housekeeper without any certainty of estate the said duty is not to be paid. Give my Lord an account of the persons that inhabit in his Majesty's houses and of their several estates therein.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Mayor and Aldermen of Axbridge, co. Somerset, to certify the Lord Treasurer by what title you receive a rent of 4*l. per an.* for a certain ochre pit in or near your town.	*Ibid*, p. 161.
	Same to the Customs Cashier to pay Sir Jno. Cope what was due to last Michaelmas on the ground rent of the Custom House ; and to pay same half yearly for the future as by the dormant warrant of May 7 last.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Customs Commissioners to permit the transport to Holland, Customs free, of tho goods of the Dutch Ambassadors, laden on the ship *Unity*, Henry Roelants [master], bound for Rotterdam (tho duty on which is estimated at 14*l.*) and in the King's yacht *Henrietta*.	*Ibid.*
	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to same. Before the late accommodation granted by me touching the paying or giving security for the now duty on tobacco and sugar divers persons made entry and gave bond according to law ; and many of them desire to take up those bonds and pay ready money on the 10 *per cent.* rebate or to give	*Out Letters* (*Customs*) X, p. 56.

Date.	Nature and Substance of the Entry.	Reference.
1685.	absolute bond payable at three six months from the time of entry. You think this would be a great ease and accommodation to trade. You are hereby to give them a month within which to so pay in cash or give such absolute bond.	
Oct. 15.	Two royal sign manuals for respectively 1,742*l.* 14*s.* 6*d.* and 500*l.* to Henry Guy, for secret service, without account: to be issued on the 10,000*l.* privy seal dormant of the 14th inst. (Two money warrants dated Oct. 15 hereon. Two money orders dated Oct. 17 hereon.)	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 201. *Money Book* VI, p. 146. *Order Book* I, p. 53.
	Money warrant for 508*l.* 12*s.* 10*d.* to Sir William Soames, bart., for a bill of extraordinaries as follows as the late King's Envoy Extraordinary to the Duke of Savoy, after disallowance of items three and four therein. (Money order dated Oct. 16 hereon.) *Appending:* said bill for 1677, Dec., to 1680, Nov., as allowed by Secretary Sunderland.	*Money Book* VI, pp. 146-7. *Order Book* I, p. 54.

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
for [Exchequer fees on my ordinary] in Dec., 1677	28	17	6
for fees of receiving money and discounting for tallies from July, 1677, to March, 1678	63	11	4
for fees and rebates for discounting of tallies from Nov., 1678, to Feb., 1679–80	75	5	0
for fees and rebates for tallies from July, 1679, to May, 1680	65	9	9
for fees Sept., 1680	16	4	0
paid in three years for intelligence and postage	150	0	0
for audience fees to the Court officers at my coming to Turin	80	0	0
for new year's gifts to officers according to the custom of all ministers 40*l.* *per an.* for three years	120	0	0
for a journey to Nice by order	50	0	0
	£649	7	7

	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Cashier to pay 163*l.* to Henry, Earl of Clarendon, for Easter day, April 19, last to Sept. 29 last on his fee of 20*s.* a day as Lord Privy Seal.	*Money Book* VI, p. 147.
	Money warrant for 388*l.* to same for last Sept. 29 quarter's allowance of 4*l.* a day in lieu of ancient diet as same. (Money order dated Oct. 17 hereon.)	*Ibid*, p. 147. *Order Book* I, p. 55.
	Money warrants for 300*l.* to Henry, Earl of Peterborough, for last Sept. 29 quarter as Groom of the Stole and in that respect first Gentleman of the Bedchamber: and for 150*l.* each to the following for same quarter as Gentlemen of the Bedchamber, viz.: Charles, Duke of Somerset (his privy seal dated June 23 last); Henry, Duke of Beaufort (his privy seal dated June 30 last); James, Earl of Ossory (his privy seal dated June 30 last); James, Earl of Arran (his privy seal dated July 23 last); John, Earl of Mulgrave (his privy seal dated Aug. 19 last); Henry Edward, Earl of Lichfield (his privy seal dated June 30 last); Lewis, Earl of Feversham (his	*Money Book* VI, p. 148. *Order Book* I, pp. 55, 56, 62, 65.

Date.	Nature and Substance of the Entry.	Reference.
1685.	privy seal dated July 31 last); John, Lord Churchill (his privy seal dated July 8 last). (Money orders dated Oct. 17, 17, 19, 21, 22, 26, 26, Nov. 3 and 16 hereon for respectively said Earl of Ossory, Earl of Peterborough, Earl of Lichfield, Duke of Somerset, Duke of Beaufort, Earl of Arran, Earl of Mulgrave, Lord Churchill, Earl of Feversham.)	
Oct. 15	Money warrants for 100*l.* each to Heneage Finch, Francis Russell, Richard Lcueson, Oliver Nicholas, Henry Slingsby, James Griffin, James Fortrey, David Lloyd for same quarter, as Grooms of the Bedchamber. (Moncy orders dated Oct. 17, 21, 22 and 24 hereon.)	*Money Book* VI, p. 148. *Order Book* I, pp. 54, 58.
	Same for 375*l.* to Gcorge, Marques of Halifax, Lord President of the Privy Council, for last Sept. 29 quartcr on his allowances of 1,000*l. per an.* in lieu of diet and of 500*l. per an.* as royal bounty. (Money order dated Oct. 21 hereon.)	*Money Book* VI, p. 149. *Order Book* I, p. 57.
Oct. 16.	Henry Guy to the Customs Commissioners. The officers of the Four and a Half *per cent.* duty in Barbados have not received any commissions from you since the present King's accession. Despatch them with all speed. If you want any warrant from the Lord Treasurer for so doing you shall have it.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 161.
	Same to same to report on two affidavits (dated the 12th inst. sworn before Abraham Saunders, Mayor of Bristol, by Benjamin Stone and William Stocker) concerning the 40 pair of pistols seized at Bristol.	*Ibid.*
	Rcferencc by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of Thomas Richardson for a tidesman's place, London port, being recommended by Sir Robt. Jeffreys, Sir Henry Tulse, Sir William Hooker *et al.*	*Reference Book* III, p. 175.
	Same by same to the Surveyor General of Crown Lands and to Bartholomew Fillingham, Deputy Clerk of the Pipe, of the letter dated Sept. 7 last from said Fillingham to Henry Guy on the particular etc. of a lease to be made to Mary Ross. The granting these several tenements in one lease (formerly passed in three leases) will be no prejudice to the Crown, but will abate and lessen the great officers of their ancient and just fees in which the Lord Treasurer, Chancellor of the Exchequer, Lord Chief Baron, Attorney General, Solicitor General and Clerk of the Pipe are concerned, for whose several uses a dividend fee on each lease is rceeived by thc Clerk of thc Pipe. Also the delay in passing leases so long after agreement made by the tenants may be dctrimental to the Crown by thc possiblc dcath of some of the lives whereby the King would losc his fine, thc grantcc being still at liberty to name others which thc Clerk of the Pipe cannot prevent "the warrants being not presently transmitted to him as in this particular case it has happened."	*Ibid*, p. 176.
	Same by same to William Hewer of Morrice Flyn's petition, *supra*, p. 23, and Col. P. Kirke's report dated Sept. 12 last thereon. *Prefixing:* said report. When I came to Tangier Major White was only town major; when he died I made Lieut. William Davis town major and dismissed him of being Lieutenant; I offered the Lieutenancy to Mr. Flyn, who said he could not	*Ibid*, p. 177.

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1685.	take the oaths of allegiance and supremacy, which I conceived made him uncapable of being either Aid Mayor or Lieut. Major. John Hope was town major afterwards and was Lieut. of the Guards, but the Company he was Lieutenant to was in England "so I think [he was] not of a double capacity at Tangier, the pay of town major being but 10*s.* a day." Both the Mayors behaved themselves extreme well and took great pains in regulating that garrison. Lord Dartmouth will certify what care the latter [of them] took at the demolishing the place.	
Oct. 16.	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to the Surveyor General of Crown Lands of the report dated Aug. 29 last from Tho. Agar on the petition *supra*, p. 172 of Henry Pound. *Prefixing:* said report. I have repaired to Beare Forest and viewed the lodges and rails of East Walk and Creech Walk, and find repairs (detailed) needed at the East Lodge, which is the chief lodge and has 20 acres enclosed for the relief of the deer. Creech lodge is so ruinous that it must be rebuilt. This can be done for 60*l.* as it is a small lodge merely for an underkeeper. There is only one other lodge in this forest, the West Lodge, which is the ancientest and largest of them with 60 acres enclosed. The keeper, Mr. Watts, has kept it up at his own expense. I cannot find that any money has been granted from the Crown to any uses of this forest since the Restoration. There is a coppice ground of the King's in this forest called Mislingford Coppice, containing 60 acres heretofore enclosed as a nursery, but cut down in the rebellion and left open. It is in the King's right to enclose it and this should be done "as hath been sundry times represented to the Treasury within some years past." The forest is very thin of trees (which appertain to the King) but in Creech Walk there are young and old trees of the King among which many are unfit for shipping. "Though the forest cannot decently allow of any trees to be felled for raising money, but only for the timber there necessary to be used in the above mentioned repairs, yet for the excellent breed of deer which it produces and its nearness both to Winchester and Portsmouth" it deserves your Lordship's favourable regard. The wages of the three keepers is at most but 3*l.* each *per an.* payable out of the quit rents of Porchester, "which being very uncertain they say they seldom receive above 50*s.* a year a piece."	*Reference Book* III, pp. 178–80.
	Same by same to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of Henry Million for a tidewaiter's place, London port, his family having suffered for their loyalty to Charles I.	*Ibid*, p. 187.
Oct. 17.	Same by same to same of the petition of Powel Williams for the place of Surveyor of Chester port, vacant by the late death of petitioner's next superior officer.	*Ibid*, p. 175.
	Same by same to Auditor Aldworth of the account of interest due to William Hewer, Treasurer for the affairs of Tangier, for moneys by him advanced on tallies struck on the Customs; viz. from April 1 last to Oct. 1 inst.	*Ibid*, pp. 181–2.

Date.	Nature and Substance of the Entry.				Reference.
1685.	*Prefixing :* said account.				
		l.	*s.*	*d.*	
	interest as above on 32,698*l.* 8*s.* 11*d.* being the balance due to him on the foot of his last account .. [*Repayments of principal and deductions of interest thereon.*]	983	12	7	
	on 1,030*l.* 10*s.* 1*d.* repaid him 1685, Aug. 25, being the interest due on his last account	6	1	10	
	on 1,500*l.* paid him (500*l.* May 13 and 1,000*l.* June 3) by John Knight, Treasurer for the affairs of the Wardrobe, being due to Hewer on a privy seal dated 1685, Mar. 31, for hangings delivered into the Wardrobe	31	1	3	
	on 1,000*l.* paid him May 13 last by the Customs Cashier on a tally dated 1682, June 2	23	0	3	
	on 1,000*l.* paid him May 20 [by ditto]	21	17	3	
	on 1,000*l.* paid him May 27 [by ditto]	20	14	2	
	on 1,000*l.* paid him Aug. 8 [by ditto]	8	14	2	
	on 1,000*l.* paid him Aug. 31 [by ditto]	4	18	7	
	on 1,000*l.* paid him Sept. 8 [by ditto]	3	12	3	
	on 1,000*l.* paid him Sept. 24 by ditto on a tally dated 1682, Oct. 31	0	19	8	
		£120	19	5	
	Total repayments of principal 9,530*l.* 10*s.* 1*d.*, leaving a principal debt of 23,167*l.* 18*s.* 10*d.* still due on the foot of this present account ; and a balance of interest of 862*l.* 13*s.* 2*d.* still due ; or in all 24,030*l.* 12*s.* 0*d.*				
Oct. 17.	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Cashier to pay 112*l.* 12*s.* 0*d.* to John Ady and John Cole, Deputy Chamberlains for joining tallies, for their fee of 2*s.* per 1,000*l.* for joining and entering the foils of tallies struck for 1,126,319*l.* 2*s.* 0*d.* (1,126,319*l.* 1*s.* 2½*d.*) of Customs money paid into the Exchequer for two years to 1684, Sept. 29.				*Money Book* VI, p. 149.
	Dormant warrant by same to same to pay James Waring his salary of 24*l.* *per an.* as Customer of Berwick port.				*Ibid*, p. 150.
	Money warrant for 100*l.* to Mris. Winifred Windham for half a year to June 24 last on her annuity or pension, as by her patent dated 1667, May 14.				*Ibid.*
	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to Marmaduke Darcy, George Benyon and Robt. Philips to order John Knight to pay 428*l.* 2*s.* 6*d.* as follows [for the Great Wardrobe Office account] viz. 132*l.* 10*s.* 2*d.* for the charge of passing three privy seals ; 120*l.* for one year's salary to said Knight to Sept. 29 last ; 50*l.* for same to William Knight ; 60*l.* for house rent and taxes to same time ; 40*l.* for incidents ; 25*l.* 12*s.* 4*d.* for several bills signed in the Great Wardrobe.				*Ibid.*

Date.	Nature and Substance of the Entry.	Reference.
1685. Oct. 17.	Money warrant for 4,000*l.* to Thomas Hall in repayment of so much by him lent into the Exchequer Oct. 16 inst. on the credit of the Hearthmoney due at Lady day next: with 6 *per cent.* interest payable [or to be made into principal] at the end of every six months. (Money order dated Oct. 23 hereon.)	*Money Book* VI, p. 153. *Order Book* I, p. 57.
	Royal warrant to the Clerk of the Signet for a privy seal for 1,500*l.* to Henry Savile, esq., without account: the late King having by a privy seal dated 1683, July 31, granted said sum to him upon his surrender of his 500*l.* *per an.* as a Groom of the Bedchamber, said 1,500*l.* being for the arrears thereon 1679, Christmas, to 1682, Christmas. As the said 1,500*l.* so granted remains wholly unsatisfied and the said privy seal has become void by the death of Charles II his present Majesty is hereby pleased to renew same.	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 201.
	Royal sign manual for 1,000*l.* to Henry Guy, for secret service, without account: to be issued on the 10,000*l.* privy seal dormant of Oct. 14 inst. (Money warrant dated Oct. 19 hereon. Money order dated Oct. 19 hereon.)	*Ibid*, p. 202. *Money Book* VI, p. 151. *Order Book* I, p. 56.
	Henry Guy to Mr. Hewer to pay 5*l.* to Job Atkins, late master gunner at Tangier, for last Sept. 29 quarter on his pension of 20*l.* *per an.*	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 89.
	Same to Mr. Porter and Mr. Prettyman. At a hearing before the Treasury Lords Dec. 15 last concerning Mr. Prettiman's debt you promised to bring in all your vouchers on Jan. 21 and to attend the Treasury Lords on Feb. 14. You are to bring in your vouchers and to attend Treasurer Rochester herein.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 162.
	Same to Capt. Forshaw. The officers who seized the Marquis de Valparaiso's lace are to be gratified for the seizure.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Customs Commissioners. The Attorney and Solicitor General have given the following opinion on your presentment to the Lord Treasurer desiring his directions concerning the Aliens' duty on commodities of the growth and manufacture of the nation. "We humbly conceive that by law the Aliens duty is payable, for the [Tonnage and Poundage] Act revives the Customs in the same plight they were first given to the late King." You are therefore to order the Customs officers to collect the said duty.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Graham and Mr. Burton to attend Treasurer Rochester next week (when he sits) with an account of the causes you have to try this term in the King's behalf.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Customs Commissioners to report on the enclosed petition [missing] of Christopher Hollister for the place of housekeeper of the Custom House, the person who has that place being troubled with a noisesome disease which is offensive to all that come near him.	*Ibid.*
[?]	Same to the Duke of Norfolk. It is the King's pleasure that the offices of purveyor and keeper of the timber yard at Windsor Castle (usually passed by warrant of the Constable of the Castle) be no more granted	*Ibid.*

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1685.	in regard they are offices of little use and are supplied by the Surveyor, Comptroller and Clerk of the Works there.	
Oct. 17.	Henry Guy to Mr. Fox [Paymaster of the Forces] to put a stop to the Earl of Dunbarton's pay till further order.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 163.
	Same to Sir Sam Moorland. You had a privy seal in 1682 granting [you] some arrears of Tenths in Gloucester diocese. As you have received 700*l.* out of the Exchequer in consideration thereof have you delivered up the said privy seal ?	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Surveyor General of Crown Lands to report on (*a*) *infra :* also whether it will be for the King's service that the increased rents of the Duchy of Cornwall which were set in Treasurer Southampton's time be bought off by the tenants. *Appending :* (*a*) proposals for passing leases of [lands of] the said Duchy. "The way of passing leases for the Duchy of Cornwall (as began and practised since the late King's restoration) is scandalously damageable to the revenue and grievous to the tenants." The ordinary fees in the many offices amount to at least 17*l.* or 18*l.*, and usually to 25*l.* besides expedition money, attendance and solicitation of at least three months, sometimes 12 months, whereby small tenements lie ruined and untenanted and improvements in wastes by building of stamping mills and making new erections and enclosures are wholly lost and the tenant disabled and discouraged to renew their estates, the fees often exceeding the fines. It is therefore proposed for a remedy that the Treasury have always before them an exact survey of every manor and of the yearly value of every tenement and how estated and that transcripts of them being sent to the respective stewards they may have power, under limited rules, to make contracts with the tenants in the country, subject to the control of the Lord Treasurer and that upon return and approbation of such contracts a warrant for the lease may be passed without other ceremony or delays "as hath been the ancient practice": [further] that the leases be in English whereby the tenants may understand what they are obliged to do by their covenants for planting and preserving trees and other improvements which are now neglected and excused by pretence of ignorance.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Hall to demand no fees for taking Mr. Lilly's security as Receiver of the revenue of the Post Office.	*Ibid*, p. 165.
	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to William Aldworth, "auditor of his Majesty's private revenue before his Highness's access to the Crown" to deliver to William Harbord, Surveyor General of Crown Lands, all surveys, rentals and other papers now in your custody touching any of the manors, lands, tenements or hereditaments belonging to his Majesty in England before his access to his Crown "to enable to put that revenue in charge as the rest of the Crown lands are and have heretofore from time to time been."	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, p. 124.
	Entry of the signature by the Lord Treasurer and Chancellor of the Exchequer of the docquet of a	*Ibid.*

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1685.	lease to Sir John Williams (at the nomination of Thomas Williams his father) of lands within the scite of the late monastery of Dover commonly called Maison dieu ("Masendew"), co. Lanc. (*sic* for Kent) for 23 years from 1692, Nov. 18, at 18*l.* 0*s.* 6*d. per an.* rent and fine of 400*l.* paid into the Exchequer July 28 last.	
Oct. 17.	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the King's Remembrancer to take the security of Stephen Lilly, gent., as Receiver General to the King's use of the revenue and profits arising in the General Letter Office or Post Office: said securities being said Lilly himself, Richard Nicholson, Richd. Swift and Lancellot Burton: total bond, 5,000*l.*: with condition that Lilly do once every week on Tuesdays pay into the Exchequer all his preceding week's receipt except what he pays for salaries or otherwise by virtue of sufficient warrant: and that he account yearly within three months after the end of each year: and in all other things to observe the directions of the Treasury.	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, p. 125.
	Constitution and appointment by same of said Lilly as Receiver General as above: with the salary of 150*l. per an.*	*Ibid*, p. 126.
	Warrant by same to the Customs Commissioners to employ Lawrence Culliford (riding surveyor between Bridgwater and Minehead) as collector at Bridgwater *loco* William Massey, who has deserted same: at 50*l. per an.* salary: Culliford's salary of 50*l. per an.* as riding surveyor is to be sunk. William Browne of Orford, as waiter and searcher at Aldeburgh in Ipswich port *loco* Francis Harvey, lately dismissed: 10*l. per an.* to be added to the present salary to make it 20*l. per an.* that he may take charge of the boat at Orford at the mouth of Aldeburgh river for the better guarding that place and preventing of frauds. John Withers as tidesman, Exetor port *loco* Roger Colcot, lately deceased. Edward Noy as waiter and searcher at Gunnell in Padstow port *loco* Thomas Kertle, who has declined same. John Cooke as waiter and searcher at Bude in Padstow part *loco* John Bayly, lately dismissed. Jonathan Upcott as waiter and searcher at Loswithiel ("Lestythyell") in Fowey port *loco* William Bastard, who has relinquished same. Richd. Reynolds as boatman at Llanstephan in Milford port *loco* John Dunnell, lately dismissed.	*Out Letters (Customs)* X, pp. 56, 57, 58.
Oct. 19.	Reference by same to the Commissioners of Excise and Hearthmoney of the petition of Hinton Rogers and Rob. Hewitt for some employment in the Hearthmoney Office, having been employed by Auditor Aldworth in examining the accounts of the late Managers of that duty during the five years of their farm; which service is now despatched.	*Reference Book* III, p. 176.
	Same by same to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of Matt. Miller, Comptroller of Carlisle port, for augmentation of salary, he having but 10*l. per an.* salary as Comptroller there, and he officiates himself at Whitehaven a member of said port and	*Ibid*, p. 178.

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1685.	keeps a deputy at Carlisle to whom he is to give 20*l.* a year or the whole profits of the place.	
Oct. 19.	Henry Guy to the Customs Cashier to forthwith pay a warrant for 600*l.* that will be brought to you, for the repair of Berwick bridge.	*Disposition Book* IV, p 89.
	Same to the Auditor of the Receipt. Your weekly certificate for last week was not sent to the Treasury till late on Saturday afternoon. Take care they be sent every Saturday morning early.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 164.
Oct. 9 [*sic* for 19].	Same to the Commissioners of Excise and Hearth-money for a certificate what sums have been levied of the arrears of Hearthmoney due at Lady day, 1684.	*Ibid.*
Oct. 19.	Same to Mr. Darcy and partners for a certificate whether since the regulation of the Wardrobe the 10 Children of the Chapel have two liveries allowed them in one year.	*Ibid.*
	Same to same to forthwith provide as follows. *Appending:* letter dated Oct. 15 from the Earl of Ailesbury, Lord Chamberlain, to the Lord Treasurer. Six close stool pans are wanting for the King's service. Have them delivered to Bridgett Hoames for half a year ending at Michaelmas last and six yards of serge to carry the stool pans in as formerly.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Customs Commissioners. Mr. Carter has informed Treasurer Rochester that Capt. Knight, commander of one of the sloops which is ordered to prevent the exportation of wool, has seized a French shallop, but found much difficulty in doing it by reason his sloop is undermanned by four men, "but that you told him you could not add more it being only the number to attend the Downs." If you think the said sloop wants men you are to present to the Lord Treasurer such as are necessary for that service. You are also to present a land-waiter, London port, in the place of Gervis Scroope, a settled Lieutenant in the Earl of Scarsdale's Regiment of Horse.	*Ibid*, p. 168.
Oct. 20.	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Commissioners of Excise and Hearthmoney to allow Peter Reneu, of London, merchant, 27*l.* 16*s.* 0*d.* out of the moneys deposited by him in the hands of the collector for imported liquors, London port, for the full duty of a parcel of brandy laden by him in the *Guift* of London, Benjamin Masters commander, at Bordeaux, whereof 15 butts are above proof which he ordered to be re-landed [at Bordeaux] "yet it was not done," on which he therefore prays the like allowance as made to others in the like case [for over proof state]; which 15 butts do hold full three-fifths over proof, the full duty of which as double brandy petitioner has deposited as above; the above allowance being the proportion which said brandy bears to single brandy.	*Money Book* VI, p. 151.
	Money warrant for 85*l.* 17*s.* 0*d.* to William Harbord, Surveyor General of Crown Lands, without account, for making a new head to Slade Pond in New Park, co. Surrey, and repairing the island in said pond, which has been done by the King's direction. (Money order dated Oct. 21 hereon.)	*Ibid*, p. 151. *Order Book* I, p. 57.

Date.	Nature and Substance of the Entry.	Reference.
1685. Oct. 20.	Money warrant for 7,760*l.* to Christopher Rosse, his Majesty's Jeweller, for jewels as follows, viz. 1,100*l.* for a jewel of diamonds with the King's picture given to the Marshal d'Humières, Envoy Extraordinary from the French King; 400*l.* for a jewel of diamonds given to Count de Tonneur, Envoy Extraordinary from the Duke of Orleans; 1,000*l.* for a ditto with the King's picture given to Count Thun, Envoy Extraordinary from the Emperor; 450*l.* for a ditto given to Don Joseph de Fario, Envoy Extraordinary from the King of Portugal; 1,000*l.* for a ditto given to the Marquis de Valparaiso, Envoy Extraordinary from the King of Spain; all as certified Sept. 13 last by Henry Savile, Vice-Chamberlain of the Household: 1,000*l.* for a jewel of diamonds given to Count Castle Melior: 300*l.* for a ditto given to the Envoy Extraordinary from Collen [Cologne]; 2,400*l.* for three jewels of diamonds each of 800*l.* value given to the three Ambassadors from the States General of the United Netherlands; 110*l.* for a diamond ring given to the Secretary to the said [last named] Ambassadors; as certified the 12th inst. by the Earl of Ailesbury, Lord Chamberlain of the Household. *Appending:* said letters of the Vice-Chamberlain and Lord Chamberlain. (Money order dated Oct. 24 hereon.)	*Money Book* VI, pp. 153-4. *Order Book* I, p. 59.
	Henry Guy to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue as follows out of such moneys of the Customs, Excise and Hearthmoney as are directed to be this week paid into the Exchequer, viz.:	*Disposition Book* IV, pp. 89–90.

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Out of the Customs.			
to the Treasurer of the Navy for the Victuallers	1,200	0	0
to ditto for sea officers and bills in course	400	0	0
to ditto for refitting the *Mary* yacht	144	0	0
to ditto for gratuities to the commanders and others employed in destroying the ships belonging to the pirates of Sallee	1,217	10	0
to ditto for building a new house at Woolwich for the tarring of yarn	198	0	0
to ditto for refitting the *Katharine* yacht	62	0	0
to ditto for the carpenters and labourers for the repairs of the single dock at Woolwich	260	0	0
to ditto for the masters of vessels for transporting the English and Scotch Regiments into Holland	250	0	0
to ditto for Mr. Gore for hemp	1,073	11	0
to ditto for Mr. Randolph to buy New England masts	500	0	0
to the Treasurer of the Ordnance	1,000	0	0
to the Earl of Middleton for secret service	1,000	0	0
to ditto for one year on his [patent] fee [as Secretary of State]	100	0	0
to Sir William Villiers for the Stables by [way of] advance till a privy seal passes	1,000	0	0
Out of the Excise.			
to the Paymaster of the Forces	6,000	0	0
Out of the Hearthmoney.			
to Sir Rob. Vyner	1,000	0	0

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1685.	*l.* *s.* *d.* *Out of loans on the duty on French linen etc.* to Charles Fox, Paymaster of the Forces .. .. 12,000 0 0 £27,505 1 0 (Same dated same to the Customs Cashier, enclosing the paper of the disposition of the Customs cash for this week, said paper including the above 14 Customs items [payable out of the Exchequer] together with the following item [payable direct out of the Customs Office on tallies] viz. 1,000*l.* to Sir Hugh Cholmley in repayment of loan. Total disposition of the Customs, 9,405*l.* 1*s.* 0*d.*) (Same dated same to the Commissioners of Exciso and Hearthmoney, enclosing the like paper of the disposition of the cash of those revenues; said paper including *for the Excise* the above single Excise item [payable out of the Exchequer] together with the following item [payable direct out of the Excise Office on tallies] viz. 3,000*l.* for the Prince of Denmark; total disposition of the Excise 9,000*l.*: and *for the Hearthmoney* the above single Hearthmoney item [payable out of the Exchequer] together with the following [payable direct out of the Hearthmoney Office on tallies] viz. 2,000*l.* to Mr. Stephens in repayment of loan; 2,000*l.* to Mr. Toll for the like. Total disposition of the Hearthmoney, 5,000*l.*)	
Oct. 20.	Henry Guy to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue as follows out of the money of the Letter Office now remaining in the Exchequer, viz.: *l.* to the Earl of Peterborough, Groom of the Stole .. .. 300 to the eight Gentlemen of the Bedchamber, 150*l.* each .. .. 1,200 to the eight Grooms of the Bedchamber 100*l.* each 800 £2,300	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 89.
	Same to Mr. Harcourt. Send a list of the names that are to be annexed to the writ of inquiry which is to go down into the West of England about the discovery of traitors' estates.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 164.
	Same to Sir Richard Dutton, Governor in Chief of Barbados, to forthwith deliver to Mr. Blathwayt, as auditor of the revenue of Barbados, an account upon oath of all public moneys received by you since the date of your last account and of such other sums received before that time as were not then accounted for by you.	*Ibid*, p. 164. *Out Letters* (*Plantations Auditor*) I, p. 169.
	Same to Sir William Stapleton, Governor in Chief of the Leeward Caribbee Islands, to similarly send an account of all public moneys received by you since your being Governor of those islands.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 164. *Out Letters* (*Plantations Auditor*) I, p. 170.
	Same to Mr. Griffin [Treasurer of the Chamber], enclosing a list of the [King's] servants who have patents for salaries at the Exchequer for life and are now transferred to the establishment of the Chamber to be paid by you. It is absolutely necessary, to prevent double payment, that all sums	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 165.

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1685.

due at the Exchequer from the [late] King's death or to grow due hereafter upon said patents be released and surrendered [to the King]. You are to make no payments to them until such releases be duly made and enrolled and until you have a certificate thereof from me as I am to have a care of this business. If there be any other servants in your establishment who have like patents payable at the Exchequer and who are omitted in the following list you are to proceed in the same method.

Appending: list of said servants of the late King continued in the service of the present King and whose payment is changed as above.

	Sums payable by patent at the Exchequer for life.			Sums payable by the Treasurer of the Chamber upon the new Establishment.		
	l.	*s.*	*d.*	*l.*	*s.*	*d.*
Thomas Farmer, musician.	110	0	0	40	0	0
Edmund Flower, musician.	40	0	0	40	0	0
Joseph Fashion, musician.	46	10	0	40	0	0
William Clayton, musician.	66	2	6	40	0	0
Theophilus Fitz, musician.	46	10	10	40	0	0
Thomas Heywood, musician.	46	10	10	40	0	0
Charles Coleman, musician.	100	0	0	40	0	0
Ditto Ditto	40	0	0	40	0	0
Ditto Ditto	20	0	0	—		
Sir Thomas Witherley, physician	100	0	0	300	0	0
Charles Frazier, physician.	100	0	0	250	0	0
Edmond Dickenson, physician.	50	0	0	200	0	0
Sir Gilbert Talbott, Master of the Jewel House.	50	0	0	50	0	0
Walter P. Brydall, Clerk in the Jewel House.	13	6	8	13	6	8
Thomas Duffeild, falconer.	44	0	0	44	0	0
William Sakins, pensionary falconer.	50	3	9½	20	0	0
Thomas Dechamp, ditto.	44	0	0	20	0	0
Arthur Witchells, ditto.	50	3	9½	20	0	0
Silvanus Rowley, ditto.	50	3	9½	20	0	0
William Poulton, ditto.	50	0	0	20	0	0
John Preston, ditto.	50	0	0	20	0	0
Richard Eades, ditto.	44	0	0	20	0	0
Andrew Holmes, ditto.	50	3	9½	20	0	0
Thomas Neale, Groom Porter.	600	0	0	550	0	0

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1685. Oct. 20.	Henry Guy to Mr. Frowde to report on the enclosed two papers [missing] in French about the Count de la Tour.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 166.
	Same to the late Managers [Farmers] of the Hearthmoney. Most of the officers of the Hearthmoney keep in their hands the money they have received upon account of Hearthmoney arrears due at Lady day, 1684, and do refuse to pay same in until the bonds they gave to you be delivered up to them. You are to deliver up said bonds and to even accounts with said officers or else give Treasurer Rochester your reasons why not.	*Ibid.*
	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners to employ Edward Done (riding surveyor on the coast of Sussex) as surveyor in Chester port *loco* John Done, deceased: the said office of riding surveyor and its salary of 50*l. per an.* to be sunk. John Jennings (who has served for 2½ years as deputy to one of the patent waiters, London port) as a landwaiter *ibid*, *loco* Jervas Scroope who is settled in the Earl of Scarsdale's Regiment of Horse.	*Out Letters* (*Customs*) X, pp. 57, 59.
	Reference by same to same of the petition of Isaac Sampson for a tidesman's place, having been bred a merchant and always loyal.	*Reference Book* III, p. 188.
	Sir William Stapleton, Governor of the Leeward Islands, to Henry Guy, dated London, in reply to the demand for an accompt of all public money received by him as such Governor. Whatever I have received I am ready to take oath of it, but the public accompts of those islands have been kept by a Receiver in each island, which are delivered in and sworn to by them respectively before the deputy Governor of each island. I can no more swear to any public accompts than he that was never there. I am accomptable for any seizure I ordered the Marshal or any one else to receive. Indeed were the Leeward Islands entire as Barbados or Jamaica it might be as easy for me to give an accompt upon oath as not but being remoter and more separate by sea than England, Scotland and Ireland I am as ignorant of the receipts and disbursements in the respective islands as any man. I will wait upon the Lord Treasurer and I know him so well that I believe he will impose no impossibility upon me to affirm anything upon that I am neither conscious of or ever meddled with.	*Out Letters* (*Plantations Auditor*) I, p. 173.
Oct. 21.	Henry Guy to the Customs Cashier to forthwith pay 132*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.* to Sir Nicholas Butler.	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 90.
	Privy seal for the payment of all arrears on the salary of 300*l. per an.* to Thomas Baker as Agent and Consul General at Tripoly as by the privy seal of 1676, June 27 (which became void by the late King's death wherefore no payment of said arrears can be made thereon): and likewise of all such sums thereon as shall be due to him during his being employed in said service.	*King's Warrant Book* X, pp. 203–4.
	Same for 500*l.* as equipage and 5*l.* a day as ordinary to Charles Scarborough, esq., as Envoy Extraordinary to the King of Portugal: his said ordinary to be payable quarterly, the first quarter	*Ibid*, p. 208.

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1685.	thereof in advance: together with the usual clause for the allowance of his extraordinaries for intelligence, expresses etc.	
Oct. 22.	Henry Guy to the Customs Commissioners to deliver to Visct. Cornbury's servant the hose and holster caps *supra*, p. 361.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 166.
	Same to the Attorney General to report on the enclosed clause [missing] proposed by the Customs Commissioners to be added to the bill for the better collection of the Customs.	*Ibid.*
	Same to same to report on (*a*) *infra*. *Appending:* (*a*) a paper of queries on the following case, viz. a merchant ships out of England a parcel of tobacco for Holland and draws back by dobenture the whole duties paid or secured inwards, except a halfpenny per lb. The same tobacco being stript in Holland, the leaf from the stalk, a merchant returns the stalks back to England. *Note.* Tobacco of the English Plantations cannot be imported from Holland. *First query:* Whether the continuance of returning tobacco stalks from Holland be not a direct importation and whether the same so imported by way of return be not forfeited, or what proof or law shall hinder its forfeiture; for by the Act of Frauds no tobacco, brandy or other goods therein enumerated can be imported from the Netherlands or Germany upon any pretence whatsoever. *Second query:* What course is fit for the [Customs] Commissioners to take; whether to receive the duty as for tobacco at first importation, in which case tobacco stalks must be allowed for tobacco and then the merchants will have the same pretence to ship out tobacco stalks from England and draw back as aforesaid for tobacco (which had been disallowed by the Commissioners as a very pernicious practice) or whether to receive the duty of the said tobacco stalks *ad valorem* or how else?	*Ibid*, pp. 166–7.
	Same to the Customs Commissioners. Send an officer to the Duke of Hamilton's lodgings near St. James's to visit his goods that are going to Scotland.	*Ibid*, p. 167.
	Same to Mr. Fox to adjust the accounts of what is due to that part of Col. Hamilton's Regiment of Dragoons which is going to Ireland and forthwith to pay them up to Nov. 1 next.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Blathwayte, enclosing a letter [missing, see *supra*, p. 380] dated Oct. 20 inst. from Sir William Stapleton concerning his [revenue] accounts as Governor of the Leeward Islands.	*Ibid.*
	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to Sir Robt. Sawyer, Attorney General, of the petition of Sir Hugh Middleton, praying to be recommended to the Lord Mayor of London for the place of one of the coal meters of London, his grandfather having performed eminent service for the said city by bringing in the New River water, almost to the ruin of his family and never had any acknowledgment from the city: the late King in the mayoralty of Sir Jno. Robinson having recommended Sir Richard [*sic*] and Sir Richard Browne to be coal meters, which office being of late much enlarged requires greater attendance.	*Reference Book* III, p. 180.

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1685. Oct. 22.	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to the Surveyor General of Crown Lands and to Auditor Sir William Godolphin of the petition of Lieut. Francis Hoblyn, owner and lord of the manor and lordship of Ruthin and Dyffryn Clwyd, co. Denbigh (as by a reference dated Whitehall, Aug. 24 last, from the King); shewing that same was purchased from Charles I by petitioner's aneestor, Sir Francis Crane, for 10,000*l.* and 243*l.* *per an.* as a fee farm rent for default of [payment of] whieh [said fee farm rent] (and whilst petitioner was in Virginia as eldest Lieutenant of the Royal Regiment) said manor, ete., was sequestered into the late King's hands and remains still under extent: therefore prays leave to go into the country to eall the eollectors to aeeount in order to a disehargc of said extent "and if your Majesty shall think fit to repurehase the said lordship and manors consisting of 17 parishes and near 2,000 tenants, your petitioner will most readily submit himself."	*Reference Book* III, p. 183.
	Henry Guy to the Auditor of the Reeeipt to issue (out of the money now in the Exehequer reserved for the Queen) 667*l.* 16*s.* 7¼*d.* to me [Guy] for seeret serviee by way of advanee. The warrants for the regular issue hereof shall be sent as soon as passed.	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 91.
	Same to Col. Werden. The [above] 667*l.* 16*s.* 7¼*d.* for one quarter for the Queen is included in tho money now reserved in the Exehequer for her Majesty and is to be paid by me to you and by you to be repaid to me out of her Majesty's rents when reeeived.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Customs Cashier to pay 122*l.* 12*s.* 0*d.* to John Ady and John Cole.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Fox to adjust the accounts of what is due up to Nov. 1 next to that part of Col. Hamilton's Regiment of Dragoons whieh is going over to Ireland: and forthwith to pay them.	*Ibid.*
	Warrant by Treasurer Roehester to the Commissioners of Exeise and Hearthmoney to employ Proger Fant as master of the boat at Deal, Dover and Sandwich at 40*l.* *per an.* salary and Nieholas Beaeh, Stephen Colt, Thomas Iffe and Symon Pratt as boatmen in said boat at 25*l.* *per an.* salary eaeh; the said salaries to be paid "as the rest of the officers of the Excise in thc country are paid."	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, p. 126.
Oet. 23.	Royal eonstitution and appointment of Sir Edward Herbert as Chief Justice of the King's Bench: during pleasure.	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 237.
	Henry Guy to the Surveyor General of Crown Lands to report on the enelosed artieles [missing] between the King and Sir Eliab Harvey for letting the paddoeks [in New Park] therein mentioned.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 167.
Oct. 24.	Reference by Treasurer Roehester to Riehard Graham of the petition of Mr. Croueh for the payment out of the estate of Mr. Cornish, eonvieted of high treason, of the 1,040*l.* owing to petitioner by said Cornish for Spanish wool; petitioner doubting not	*Reference Book* III, p. 184.

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1685.	to be able to make considerable discoveries of said Cornish's estate.	
Oct. 24.	Henry Guy to Mr. Graham. The abovesaid Crouch will aid you in the discovery of Cornish's estate.	*Reference Book* III, p. 185.
	Same to the Customs Commissioners to report on (*a*) *infra*, and also on another paper [missing] concerning frauds [in the Customs]. *Appending :* (*a*) an account of what wrought silks have been entered at Dover since the additional duty was laid, viz. in July, 1685, four cases ; in Aug. 3 cases, in Sept. 35 cases ; total, 42 cases. In July, 1684 [before the new duty], 49 cases ; in Aug. 24 cases ; in Sept. 109 cases ; total, 182 cases : being 142 cases less this year than last year. The King's loss in the Customs of the said 140 cases is 6,300*l.* [for three months] which means an annual loss in Dover port alone of 25,200*l.* The Customs of the said port for wrought silks doth not amount to one half of what it did in former years, notwithstanding the duty is five-fourths more than ever.	*Ibid*, p. 184.
	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to Auditor Done of the account of three bills of Mr. Graham and Mr. Burton of Crown law charges. *Prefixing :* said account. *l.* *s.* *d.* total of said three bills .. .. .. 4,817 18 8 remain upon our last account to 1684, Dec. 3 .. .. 3,878 5 3 £8,696 3 11 received in part by warrant of the late Treasury Lords .. .. .. 1,100 0 0 550 0 0 £1,650 0 0 leaving a balance of 7,046*l.* 3*s.* 11*d.* due to accomptants.	*Ibid*, p. 185.
	Warrant by same for payment of the 100*l.* remaining unsatisfied on a money order of 1682, Sept. 6, for 150*l.* to Thomas Baker for half a year's salary to 1680, Nov. 2, as Consul General at Tripoli. *Prefixing :* copy of said order and of the recordatur of the payment 1682, Oct. 19, of 50*l.* thereon by Teller Sir Tho. Vernon.	*Order Book* I, p. 58.
	Royal warrant to Sir John Dutton, Governor in Chief of Barbados, to make and despatch an account of all public moneys accruing to the King or raised within that island by Act of Assembly or otherwise for the uses of the Government or for any other occasion whatsoever and of all escheated lands or other forfeitures since your first arrival as Governor : and how same have been disposed of for his Majesty's service. Same is to be transmitted with all speed to the Lord Treasurer "that our pleasure may be known therein." (Royal letter dated same to Mr. Stede to the like effect.)	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 208. *Out Letters* (*Plantations Auditor*) I, pp. 169–70.
	Money warrant for 82*l.* 19*s.* 0*d.* to Anthony Segar ; being 72*l.* 19*s.* 0*d.* for last Sept. 29 quarter for disbursements for the Treasury Office and 10*l.* for salary for said quarter's attendance at said Office. (Money order dated Oct. 26 hereon.)	*Money Book* VI, p. 154. *Order Book* I, p. 58.

Date.	Nature and Substance of the Entry.	Reference.
1685. Oct. 24.	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners to pay 15*l.* to Sir Henry Brabant, one of the Customers of Newcastle port, for a view of said port and along the coast as far as Berwick made by him in 1684 to give orders to all officers to be very watchful that no arms should be landed in any of those places but to seize same, it being of great consequence to his Majesty's service.	*Money Book* VI, pp. 154-5.
	Allowance by same of the Excise Office salary bill for last Sept. 29 quarter (total, 4,759*l.* : the details *ut supra*, pp. 131–2). The like of the Hearthmoney Office salary bill for said quarter (total, 542*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.* : the details *ut supra*, p. 131, with a few changes).	*Ibid*, p. 155.
	Warrant by same to William Hewer, Treasurer for Tangier, to pay 118*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.* to John Dennis for pay 1683, April 1, to 1684, May 1, as Quartermaster to Capt. Alexander Mackenny's Troop of Horse ; first deducting what has been advanced him and what is due from him to the late inhabitants of Tangier. *Appending :* said Dennis's undated receipt for 118*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.* in discharge hereof.	*Ibid*, p. 164.
	Henry Guy to the Auditor of the Receipt to advance (out of the loans on the duty on French linens etc.) 369*l.* 7*s.* 6*d.* to Visct. Falkland, Treasurer of the Navy, to be by him paid to such person as Treasurer Rochester shall direct for his Majesty's immediate service. (Same to Visct. Falkland to pay same to Capt. Mathew Aylmer as royal bounty.)	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 91.
	Same to same to advance to me [Guy] for secret service, 1,102*l.* 14*s.* 6*d.* out of the following funds, viz. 398*l.* 15*s.* 8*d.* out of Customs, 651*l.* 3*s.* 8*d.* out of the money of the Letter Office, 52*l.* 15*s.* 2*d.* out of the Alienation [Office] money. The regular warrants for the issue hereof shall be sent as soon as they can be passed.	*Ibid*, p. 92.
	Same to Admiral Herbert. Treasurer Rochester has commanded me to pay you 1,072*l.* 3*s.* 0*d.* which you may receive presently. You are to pay it to Joseph Tomlinson to be by him paid to several tradesmen for bills for things furnished to his Majesty's Robes when Duke of York, viz. for the year ending 1684, Dec. 25.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Customs Commissioners. Hasten your report on the petition of John Rous referred to you Aug. 3 last.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 168.
	Same to Visct. Falkland to pay to Edward Randolph the 500*l.* which is directed to be issued to you for him for buying masts. (Same to the Navy Commissioners to make forth a bill of imprest for said sum.)	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Customs Commissioners to report on the two enclosed bills [missing] relating to the Customs after hearing Mr. Peirce about them.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Pepys to attend Treasurer Rochester next Tuesday about settling the business of the repair of the Victualling Office with the late Victuallers. (The like notice to the Navy Commissioners.	*Ibid*, p. 169.

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1685.	Also bring with you a particular account of what bills of exchange are now due.)	
Oct. 24.	Henry Guy to Mr. Fox [Paymaster of the Forces] for a certificate from what time the Royal Regiment of Foot under the Earl of Dunbarton came on the establishment, England. You are to stop the pay of Major Douglas and Capt. Munroe till further order.	*Out Letters (Gencral)* IX, p. 169.
	Same to Mr. Thompson. Treasurer Rochester is willing you stay one month more in town, but at the end of it you are to go forthwith for Ireland.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Sir William Stapleton. The account Treasurer Rochester expects of you is of all such moneys as you yourself have received.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Attorney General to report on the enclosed petition [missing] of Capt. Tho. Paulden for the office of a coal metre, London port, and on Sir Hugh Middleton's petition for the like place referred to you the 22nd inst.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Dering. The Lord Treasurer agrees to the establishment of two additional clerks to your office of Comptroller [of Hearthmoney] and recommends Hinton Rogers for one of them.	*Ibid.*
[?]	Same to the Attorney and Solicitor General to report on the enclosed draft [missing] of a clause which the Customs Commissioners desire to be inserted in the bill for the better collecting the Customs which now lies before you.	*Ibid.*
Oct. 24.	Same to Mr. Hewer, enclosing the resolutions as follow of Treasurer Rochester on the [petitions of the] persons as follow relating to the affairs of Tangier. Mary Cooper, mo[ther] to Jos. Cooper, deceased. *Her son's arrears of 5l. 11s. 6d. to be paid to her.* Mary Hawtin, relict of Fra. Hawtin, chir[urgeon's] mate to Col. Trelawney; Tho. Herriot; John Clifton and 10 soldiers more; John Reape and William Stroud; Jer. Winstanley and William Hall; Serj. Dennis, Bryan Carney, drummer; Antho, Francis and Andrew Gormon; Tho. Powell; William Doggett; Jon. Mould; Jon. Beckham; Rob. Cotton; Geo. Pevan; Jam. Scot, late arm[oure]r for himself and two servants: *upon their producing their respective Captains' discharges and certificate of what is due to them and verification thereof from the muster roll they are to be paid six months of their arrears for their service in Tangier garrison; but where they are indebted a proportion is to be stopped towards satisfying their creditors.* William Smith, late Mayor of Tangier. *As this petitioner both as to his pretensions to the Hospital and houses has fared better than any of the inhabitants anything further is deferred until the money now ordered to be issued be paid away to the inhabitants, officers and soldiers.* Lieut. Francis Gorman. *Upon the Captain's certificate he is to be paid the 6l. 3s. 3d. arrear due to Edmd. Heather, a deceased soldier: he is to give the widow 1l. 13s. 0d. out of it.* Ed. Roth, Jam. Gorman and Phi. Stafford. *It is not reasonable to stop the money due to Sarah*	*Ibid*, pp. 170–1.

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1685.	*Halsall for paying her husband's debts, since she renounced and several of the creditors administered to his estate.* James Gorman. *The money due to Edw. Roth for debts from the military officers is to be stopped till further order.* Mr. Senhouse. *In case there be a remain of money after the inhabitants, officers and soldiers are paid this petitioner will be considered.* Mr. Hughes, late min[iste]r of Tangier. *When the money due to the Church shall be stopped from the officers who owe it (which is recommended to your care to see done) direction for relief of the persons concerned therein shall be given.* Laur. Ross and Jam. Harwood. *Upon their making oath that the papers making out their debts were lost as they affirm and [provided] that the officers from whom the said debts were due. have no reason to except against the same you are to take care that they receive their proportions of debt in the same manner with the rest of the inhabitants.* Ed. Cheston. *Respited till the money ordered to be issued out to the officers, soldiers and inhabitants be paid.* Mr. Horsdernell. *It is not reasonable to order any part of the debt he pretends to from Lieut. Dunn until he makes out his pretensions to the widow's satisfaction.* Ed. Tessin. *It is not reasonable to make any other allowance for proprieties in houses than what was mentioned in the report given in to Lord Dartmouth.* Ruth Swansbury. *His Lordship does not think fit to order the remainder of her debt. She shall receive what is due when the rest of the inhabitants of Tangier receive the latter moiety of debts due to them.* Isabel Ramsey. *5l. is to be paid her as royal bounty in full of all her pretensions.*	
Oct. 24.	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Commissioners of Excise and Hearthmoney to employ two clerks more for the assistance of the Comptroller of the Hearthmoney revenue; the late Treasury Lords having sanctioned an Accountant General of Hearthmoney at 100*l. per an.* (as had been used by the late [Hearthmoney Farmers or] Managers) but the Commissioners having since put that duty upon the Comptroller whereby the Accountant became useless and has been omitted from the last two salary bills of the Hoarthmoney, but it is now found that the office of Comptroller requires that he take an account of all charges and discharges arising from the particular [Receivers'] books, thereby to comptroll the whole of that revenue so that said two clerks will be needed. The said 100*l. per an.* saved as above is to be appointed for their salaries.	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, p. 127.
	Fiat by same for royal letters patent to constitute Nicholas Booker searcher of Kingston on Hull *loco* Tho. Nisbett and Philip Nisbett (sons of Thomas Nisbett of York city) thereto appointed by patent dated 1678, May 11, in reversion of George Moore (who died 1682, Aug. 22, as appears by the oath of Ralph Porter) but who have forfeited their interest therein by non-appearance.	*Ibid*, p. 128.

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1685. Oct. 26.	Warrant from Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Cashier to receive from William Hewer, Treasurer for Tangier, so many unsatisfied tallies in his hands stricken on the Customs as amount to 10,000*l.* and in lieu thereof to deliver him the like value in East India bonds (except such thereof as are for the new impositions, which are appropriated by Parliament) to the end he may receive the money thereupon. *Appending :* list of 12 of such bonds for a total of 15,088*l.* 6*s.* 9*d.* and due on different dates from 1685, Oct. 15, to 1686, June 24.	*Money Book* VI, p. 159.
	Same by same to the Receipt to issue to Philip Packer on the order of April 4 last in his name as Paymaster of the Works, 500*l.* for one year to April 1 last for the repair of Audley End ; and 400*l.* for one year for his Majesty's paving in extraordinary.	*Ibid*, p. 166.
	Henry Guy to Mr. Harbord to attend the Lord Treasurer immediately on receipt hereof.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 171.
[?]	Same to the Commissioners of Excise and Hearth-money to report on the enclosed proposal [missing] for the advance of the revenue of Excise upon spirits. You are to hear Mr. Tho. Hutchins thereon.	*Ibid.*
Oct. 26.	Same to the Wine Licence Commissioners to report on the enclosed petition [missing] of Mr. Hammond and several other vintners, whether it will not be prejudicial to the King that the petitioners be translated to the Vintners' Company as they desire.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Auditor of the Receipt for a certificate what money has been issued at the Exchequer to Sir Samuel Morland for the engine which he erected at Windsor in 1682 for conveying water up to the Castle there. (The like letter, struck through, to Mr. Roberts, [Receiver of the Honor of Windsor].)	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Customs Commissioners to send an officer to the Count de Grammont's lodgings over against the George Tavern in the Pall Mall to visit his goods in order to their transportation to France, whither said Count is going.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Attorney and Solicitor General. Hasten your opinion on the bill for the better collection of the Customs and the additional clauses to the same which I lately sent you.	*Ibid*, p. 172.
	Same to the Attorney General to report on the enclosed paper [missing, see *infra*, pp. 395–6] of variations from the Acts of Tunnage and Poundage and Book of Rates.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Hewer, enclosing the petition [missing] of Mr. James Brady. If true, you are to pay him 33*l.* 17*s.* 6*d.* in addition to the 10*l.* 14*s.* 6*d.* he has already received. You are to take care to deduct said 33*l.* 17*s.* 6*d.* out of his pay when it comes in course to be paid.	*Ibid*, p. 173.
	Fiat by Treasurer Rochester for letters patent to appoint Hugh Bantock as one of the King's waiters, London port, to wit, the office he held at the death of Charles II.	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, p. 129.

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1685. Oct. 26.	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to Mr. Graham and Mr. Burton of the petition of William Haveland (as by a reference from the King dated Windsor, Sept. 5 last), petitioner shewing that the late King by order in Council directed a method for merchants, sailors and factors to proceed by so that no complaint might be afterwards made concerning persons sent to the Plantations: that he has acted in accordance therewith yet hath been lately convicted and fined 500 marks which he is unable to pay: prays a discharge thereof.	*Reference Book* III, p. 185.
	Same by same to William Hewer of the petition of Widow Henderson for repayment of a proportion of some bills that were lost coming from Tangier.	*Ibid*, p. 186.
	Same by same to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of Sam. Heyne (as by a reference from the King dated Aug. 9 last): petitioner praying for the office of Comptroller General of the alien duty or petty Customs and navigation duty with a retrospection [thereof] for three years past. *Appending:* note of the papers annexed thereto: viz. Mr. Courtney's opinion concerning the Alien duty; an account entered in the Customs House concerning the same; a certificate from Col. Strangwaies.	*Ibid.*
	Same by same to Auditor Aldworth of the statement of account of interest due to Lord Churchill. *Prefixing:* said account. *l. s. d.* for 6 *per cent.* interest to Sept. 29 last on 2,000*l.* lent to the King Jan. 3 last .. .. 88 8 9 " and also upon an order in the name of Mr. Herne for 3,000*l.* upon the reward of 2 *per cent. per an.* from the 26th of May, 1683, to the 29th of Sept., 1684 .. .. 80 14 $2\frac{3}{4}$ £169 2 $11\frac{3}{4}$	*Ibid.*
	Same by same to the Commissioners of Excise and Hearthmoney of the petition of Adam Bellamy and Tho. Woodward for an allowance on the additional duty on a tun of overproof brandy ordered before the sitting of the last Parliament, but which by contrary winds was kept six weeks beyond seas and only arrived in July last.	*Ibid*, p. 187.
	Same by same to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of John Miller for the weigher's place in Plymouth port *loco* Edward Seymour, deceased; petitioner having been bred a merchant.	*Ibid.*
	Same by same to William Blathwaite of the petition of Okeover and Lovett shewing that being credibly informed of several silver mines and one gold mine in Virginia they petitioned for same offering the King a [royalty of a] third of the profits: that on Blathwaite's report thereon a warrant was ordered but said report is mislaid: therefore praying that a warrant may be made upon authentic copies of said report with the additional particulars as follow, viz.: the lease to be for 51 years; no persons to have liberty to work in any mines unless employed	*Ibid*, pp. 187–8.

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1685.	by petitioners; petitioners to have liberty to carry over 100 grovers or labourers; the Governor [of Virginia] to be ordered at all times to protect petitioners and their labourers in case of molestation either by the Indians or other persons; petitioners to be allowed to carry over 100 musqueteirs or fusees.	
Oct. 26.	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to William Hewer of the petition of Edw. Chapman, late a captive in Barbary: shewing that he served as a Trooper in Tangier till he was taken by the Moors and after seven years' slavery paid his ransom with his own money; being no longer able to subsist prays 10*l.* without which he must certainly perish.	*Reference Book* III, p. 188.
	Same by same to Mr. Graham and Mr. Burton of the petition of Capt. Morris, shewing that the King granted him the fine of 400 marks set upon William Leake, an attorney for high misdemeanour; that said Leake designing not to pay has dealt with the gaoler of Shrewsbury for the liberty of the town; that petitioner is advised by the Deputy Lieutenants of the county to get Leake made a close prisoner if he hopes to have the said fine: therefore prays an order for Leake to be kept in close custody.	*Ibid.*
	Same by same to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of Thom. Bridgeman, customer of Ipswich port, for his patent fee of 55*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.* for a year past and for a dormant warrant for same for the future as it falls due or for a concurrent patent for his salary if necessary.	*Ibid*, p. 189.
	Same by same to William Blathwayte of the petition of Robt. Smith, Major General of Virginia, reciting a petition to the late King for pay of his arrears, on which the late Treasury Lords reported advising that his good services be requited out of the quit rents of Virginia when it appeared what the yearly value of them would be: therefore prays a pension for life or a term of years out of said quit rents.	*Ibid.*
	Same by same to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of William Baines (a deputy King's waiter, London port) praying for a landwaiter's place, London port *loco* Mr. Sparks, who is expected to remove.	*Ibid*, p. 190.
	Same by same to same of the petition of Michael Cornish for a tidesman's place, London port.	*Ibid*, p. 195.
	Royal warrant to the Clerk of the Signet for a privy seal for an annuity or yearly sum of 10,000*l.* to Maria, Queen Consort of England: to be payable quarterly out of any unappropriated money in the Exchequer as from Sept. 29 last: the King being pleased that same be paid to her over and above her jointure. Further 5,000*l.* is hereby to be paid her, being for the half year to Sept. 29 after the rate of 10,000*l.* *per an.* To be without accompt.	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 204.
	Same to the Attorney or Solicitor General for a great seal for a grant or confirmation to Joane Ellesdon, Antho. Ellesden, Cha. Ellesden, Ann Ellesden and Mary Ellesden of their pensions *ut supra*, pp. 283–4, and for payment of the arrears thereon from 1683,	*Ibid*, pp. 204–5.

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1685.	Christmas, out of the Customs of Lyme port except such duties as are appropriated by Act of Parliament: their father, William Ellesdon, being lately deceased.	
Oct. 26.	Five royal sign manuals for respectively 1,102*l.* 14*s.* 6*d.* 400*l.*, 500*l.*, 500*l.* and 667*l.* 16*s.* 7¼*d.* to Henry Guy, for secret service, without accompt: to be issued on the 10,000*l.* privy seal dormant of Oct. 14 inst. (Five money warrants dated Oct. 26 hereon. Four money orders dated Oct. 29 hereon. The omission of the fifth order for 667*l.* 16*s.* 7¼*d.* is probably a clerical slip.)	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 205. *Money Book* VI, p. 155. *Order Book* I, p. 60.
	Royal warrant dormant to Charles Fox, Paymaster of the Forces, to pay, out of the establishment of the Forces, to Sir Christopher Musgrave his fee or allowance of 10*s.* a day quarterly as from Michaelmas last as Commander and Governor of the town and castle of Carlisle, which office was granted him by patent dated Mar. 28 last with said fee as from 1684, Christmas: the said fee having been by deed dated Sept. 21 last surrendered to the King by said Musgrave to the intent tho like fee for the said government might be paid to him by the Paymaster of the Forces and for that purpose might be inserted in the establishment of the Forces: and likewise to pay him forthwith what is due on said fee from 1684, Christmas, to 1685, Michaelmas.	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 206.
Oct. 27.	Money warrant for 50*l.* to John Pottinger, Comptroller of the Pipe, for half a year to Sept. 29 last for the services of himself and clerks in issuing process against Popish Recusants etc. (Money order dated Oct. 29 hereon.)	*Money Book* VI, p. 156. *Order Book* I, p. 60.
	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Excise Commissioners to allow 160*l.* to the owners, adventurers and fishermen of Great Yarmouth for one year to Sept. 29 last on the allowance to them for the Excise of beer for their North Sea and herring fishery.	*Money Book* VI, p. 156.
	Money warrant for 10,000*l.* to Edward Griffin, Treasurer of the Chamber, as imprest for the service of the Chamber. (Money order dated Oct. 31 hereon.)	*Ibid*, p. 156. *Order Book* I, p. 61.
	Same for 25*l.* to John Rogers and Anne his wife for last Sept. 29 quarter on their annuity or pension.	*Money Book* VI, p. 156.
	Same for 15*l.* to Ursula Elliot, widow, for same quarter on her annuity.	*Ibid*, p. 157.
	Same for 18*l.* 5*s.* 0*d.* to Robt. Ford for half a year to June 24 last on his fees or allowances of 12*d.* a day as keeper of his Majesty's house at Newmarket and the stables and outhouses there and of 12*d.* a day for keeping his Majesty's gardens there.	*Ibid.*
	Same for 250*l.* to Sir William Killegrew for half a year to Sept. 29 last on his annuity or pension.	*Ibid.*
	Same for 200*l.* to Francis Mansell for one year to 1684, Christmas, on his same.	*Ibid.*
	Same for 37*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.* to Nicholas Estoll for three quarters to Sept. 29 last on his same. (Money order dated Oct. 31 hereon.)	*Ibid*, pp. 157–8. *Order Book* I, p. 61.

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1685. Oct. 27.	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Cashier to pay 96*l.* 12*s.* 0*d.* to Thomas Robson, clerk or paymaster of the bills of impost, being for a [wine] impost bill due to Sir James Smith, present Lord Mayor, and the sheriffs and others of London: to be as in part of 3,675*l.* for impost bills for the year commencing Christmas last.	*Money Book* VI, p. 158.
	Same by same to Hugh Mason, of Kingston upon Hull (appointed by a Treasury instrument dated 1684, Aug. 19, to execute the office of Comptroller of Hull on the death of Thomas Thornton) to keep in his hands so much of the sum of 121*l.* 11*s.* 11*d.* (the profits of said office from 1684, July 21, the day of said Thornton's death) as will pay your own service after the rate of the allowance usually made to the Deputy Comptroller of said port and out of the residue to pay 26*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.* to Frances, widow of Capt. William Thornton, and to (*pay the residue to Thomas Mytton, esq., the present Comptroller there*, struck through) keep the residue till further order from Treasurer Rochester: the said Mason having given bond with Gustavus Young and Robt. Mason, junr., both of said port to so account for said profits.	*Ibid*, p. 152.
	Same by same to same to pay to Thomas Mytton, present Comptroller of Hull port, the remainder of the abovesaid 121*l.* 11*s.* 11*d.*	*Ibid*, p. 158.
	Henry Guy to the Customs Commissioners to deliver Visct. Cornbury's horses and other things, on his satisfying the officers.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 172.
	Same to the Lord Chancellor to pass the Commissions for finding the London and Middlesex estate of Cornish, the traitor.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Graham, by desire of the Customs Commissioners, to move the King's Bench to set the fine for the misdemeanour committed by Julius Deeds in falsifying an inquisition of murder against the [Customs] officers of Dover.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Gibson and Mr. Cooper to adjust the accounts of the several agents or deputies for sick and wounded in the last [Dutch] war and to certify what each of them is indebted to the King thereon. Certify the names of those who neglect to make up their accounts by the time appointed by you.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Griffin [Treasurer of the Chamber]. Send Treasurer Rochester your answer on the enclosed petition [missing] of Mary Doule, herb-woman to their Majesties.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Col. Kirke to similarly send answer to the enclosed petition [missing] of John Haveman.	*Ibid*, p. 173.
	Same to the Auditor of the Receipt to report on the enclosed letter [missing] sent by Mr. Trinder (Tinder) to me [Guy] about Wendover Lownds and Mr. Weckett; and on said Trinder's petition already referred to you.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Hewer, enclosing Ensign Bernard Tessin's petition and Col. Kirke's report thereon [both missing]. If petitioner's demands be comprehended within the six months now intended to be paid, you	*Ibid.*

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1685.	are to pay him his proportion. What warrants are necessary to authorise this payment you are to prepare for Treasurer Rochester to sign.	
Oct. 27.	Henry Guy to the Customs Cashier to pay Mr. James Waring, Customer of Berwick, his salary of 24*l.* *per an.* as by the dormant warrant of the 17th inst.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 173.
	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners to establish four men more for the sloop lately in the service of the Customs under the command of Capt. Knight and now under the direction of Mr. Carter to prevent the transportation of wool; her crew of six men being sufficient for Customs work but not for the service of looking out for the shallops that transport wool which are usually well manned and armed: so that Capt. Knight when he stood out towards the coast of France to look after such shallops did at his own charge bear four men more than the established number.	*Out Letters* (*Customs*) X, p. 58.
	Same by same to same to establish and pay the salary of 80*l.* *per an.* for Gyles Dowle from Lady day last for his employment in destroying and suppressing the growth of tobacco in the counties of Gloucester, Worcester, Hereford and Warwick in which work he was employed by order in Council upon the motion of the late Treasury Lords.	*Ibid.*
Oct. 28.	Reference by same to Richard Graham and Philip Burton of the petition of Katherine Williams for pardon of the fine of 100*l.* set on her at Croydon sessions for a misdemeanour, for which fine she has lain in the Marshalsea since March last; this being her first offence.	*Reference Book* III, p. 189.
	Same by same to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of William Crowe for a tidewaiter's place, London port.	*Ibid.*
	Same by same to same of the petition of Mris. Larkham, relict of Tho. Larkham, who was surety in 1,000*l.* for Thomas Miller, collector of Weymouth port, who died in prison indebted to the King, whereupon petitioner's husband was arrested and soon after also died and petitioner's goods seized for the debt: prays stay of proceedings till some essays be made for regaining Miller's plantations in Carolina seized by the rebels.	*Ibid*, p. 190.
	Royal warrant to the Clerk of the Signet for a privy seal for the pay of Sir William Stapleton's salary as Governor of the Leeward Islands and for the pay of the two Foot Companies there as follows. The Governor in Chief of the Leeward Isles was by Charles II allowed 700*l.* *per an.* for his pay or entertainment which [sum] he was to receive out of the Exchequer in England until such time as the island of St. Christopher should be in a condition to pay him the like yearly sum and so proportionally for any part of said sum as it should grow payable out of said island. It appears by certificate of the Auditor of the Receipt that said yearly sum has been paid [out of the English Exchequer] to Sir William Stapleton as Governor in Chief of the said Island[s] until 1681, June 24.	*King's Warrant Book* X, pp. 202–3.

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1685.	By an establishment dated 1670–1, Mar. 8, the pay and entertainment of two Foot Companies, of 80 soldiers each besides officers, in said Islands was settled at 2,778*l.* 10*s.* 8*d. per an.* and said establishment and the contingents thereof has been paid at the Exchequer or otherwise up to 1681, July 7. The privy seals by which the pay of said Governor and said Companies was issued at the [English] Exchequer are become void by the death of Charles II. [In renewal thereof] it is hereby ordered that the arrears of said 700*l. per an.* (which for four yoars from 1681, Jan. 24, amount to 2,800*l.*) bo paid and also the quarterly payments on said yearly sum in future during pleasure or till such time as the said island of St. Christopher shall be in a condition to pay the said yearly sum or proportionably thereof: to be received by him without account. Further the arrears of pay due to said two Companies not exceeding 2,778*l.* 10*s.* 8*d. per an.* for four years from 1681, July 7, are hereby to be paid to said Stapleton as imprest: and payments on the said establishment from 1685, July 7, are hereby to be made to him from time to time by such proportions and in such manner as the Lord Treasurer shall find necessary. (Royal warrant dated Oct. 17 for said privy seal.)	
Oct. 28.	Henry Guy to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue as follows out of such moneys of the Customs, Excise and Hearthmoney as are directed to be this week paid into the Exchequer with the 1,600*l.* of Excise money now remaining there, viz.:	*Disposition Book* IV, pp. 92, 93.

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Out of the Customs.			
to the Treasurer of the Navy for the Victuallers	1,200	0	0
to ditto for sea officers and bills in course	400	0	0
to the Treasurer of the Ordnance	1,000	0	0
to the Earl of Kinnoul by [way of] advance	500	0	0
to Phillip Packer, Paymaster of the Works, on the ordinary of the Works	1,000	0	0
to ditto for the vault for the late King	68	10	0
to ditto for repairing the Duke of Grafton's lodgings	156	0	0
to Mr. Graham for the Privy Purso	1,000	0	0
to Mr. Roberts for Windsor Works	500	0	0
	£5,824	10	0
Out of the Excise.			
to the Paymaster of the Forces	5,000	0	0
to the Duke of Northumberland	1,500	0	0
to the Duke of Southampton	375	0	0
to Mr. Gwynn, half a year of his pension	750	0	0
Out of Hearthmoney.			
to the Treasurer of the Chamber as in part of one quarter for his Office	3,000	0	0
Out of the money of the Letter Office.			
to Mr. Burton for carrying on Crown law suits	500	0	0

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1685.	*l.* *s.* *d.* to me [Guy] for secret service by [way of] advance .. .. .. 200 0 0 to [ditto] more by [way of] advance 500 0 0 *Out of loans on the duties on French linens etc.* to the Paymaster of the Forces .. 7,000 0 0 £24,649 10 0	
	(Same dated Oct. 27 to the Customs Cashier, enclosing the paper of the disposition of the Customs cash for this week, said paper including the above nine Customs items [payable out of the Exchequer] together with the following item [payable direct out of the Customs Office on tallies] viz. 1,000*l.* to Sir Hugh Cholmley in repayment of loan. Total disposition of the Customs, 6,824*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.*) (Same dated Oct. 27 to the Commissioners of Excise and Hearthmoney, enclosing the like paper of disposition of the cash of those revenues ; said paper including *for the Excise* the above four Excise items [payable out of the Exchequer] together with the following items [payable direct out of the Excise Office on tallies] viz. 2,000*l.* to Prince George of Denmark ; 1,500*l.* to Mr. Kent and Mr. Duncombe in repayment of loan ; 1,604*l.* for the salaries of the inferior officers of the Excise for last Sept. 29 quarter. Total disposition of the Excise, 12,729*l.* : and *for the Hearthmoney* the abovesaid Hearthmoney item [payable out of the Exchequer] together with the following items [payable direct out of the Hearthmoney Office on tallies] viz. 2,000*l.* to Mr. Toll in repayment of loan ; 542*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.* for last Sept. 29 quarter's salary bill of the Hearthmoney. Total disposition of the Hearthmoney, 5,542*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.*)	
Oct. 28.	Henry Guy to Sir Christopher Wrenn. It is the King's pleasure that you be concerned in the business that Sir Sam Morland is about relating to the mill at Windsor. Money shall be presently furnished for doing all the particulars in your report of the 10th inst. except the last about securing the pipe which will come to 150*l.*, which his Majesty will not have done yet, but it is to be done before he goes to Windsor in the spring.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 173.
	Same to Mr. Burton to pay Edward Sing (Syng) 39*l.* 16*s.* 6*d.* for his charges in pursuing and taking Dangerfeild Mar. 20 [last] and for Mr. Marke Hamilton's charges for attendance in town to give evidence against him and for Tho. Beake's charges. *Appending :* bill of said charges as certified by Richard Graham and P. Burton Aug. 7 last.	*Ibid*, pp. 176–7.
Oct. 29.	Same to the Navy Commissioners. As Mr. Pepys has gone to Sheerness with Lord Dartmouth, Treasurer Rochester has put off the matter of the repairs of the Victualling Office. (The like notice to Major Brett and partners, late Victuallers of the Navy.)	*Ibid*, p 174.
	Same to Rupert Brown. The hearing by the Lord Treasurer of the business between you and Col. Vernon is put off as Serj. Birch cannot attend in a morning this term time.	*Ibid.*

Date.	Nature and Substance of the Entry.	Reference.
1685. Oct. 30.	Money warrant for 500*l.* to Philip Burton, upon account: for Crown Law charges. (Money order dated Oct. 31 hereon.)	*Money Book* VI, p. 159. *Order Book* I, p. 61.
	Same for 750*l.* to Francis Gwynn for half a year to June 24 last on his annuity or pension. (Money order dated Oct. 31 hereon.)	*Money Book* VI, p. 160. *Order Book* I, p. 61.
	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Auditor and the Receiver General of the Duchy of Cornwall to allow and pay 200*l.* to William Harbord for one year to Sept. 29 last on his annuity as Surveyor General of Crown Lands: with dormant clause for payment of said annuity half yearly out of the revenue of said Duchy.	*Money Book* VI, p. 160.
	Money warrant for 30,688*l.* 6*s.* 9*d.* to Anthony Sturt for the surplus of his Tangier victualling account to the 26th inst. *ut supra*, p. 318. (Money order dated Oct. 31 hereon.)	*Ibid*, p. 161. *Order Book* I, p. 64.
	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Receipt for tallies on the Tenths of the dioceses concerned for 106*l.* 5*s.* 0*d.* to Elizabeth Hamilton for last Sept. 29 quarter on the unassigned moiety of the annuity of 850*l.* for her children; and for 125*l.* for same quarter on the annuity of 500*l.* for herself. for 106*l.* 5*s.* 0*d.* to James Hamilton for same quarter on his assigned portion of said 850*l. per an.*	*Money Book* VI, pp. 161–3.
	Money warrant for 34*l.* 15*s.* 0*d.* each to Benjamin Coling and Nathaniell Cox for three quarters to Sept. 29 last as keepers of the Council Chamber.	*Ibid*, p. 163.
	Same for 125*l.* to Ann Atwood, one of the daughters of Sir John Lawson, for half a year to June 24 last on her annuity or pension.	*Ibid*, p. 165.
	Henry Guy to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue (out of the money of the Alienation Office) 100*l.* to me [Guy] for secret service on a money order of July 31 last; and 15*l.* to Mris. Ursula Elliott.	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 93.
	Same to Mr. Hewer to report on the enclosed petition [missing].	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 173.
	Same to Sir Nicholas Butler, enclosing the opinion of Sir R. Sawyer, Attorney General, on the case concerning the duty on tobacco stalks *supra*, p. 381. "I am of opinion that tobacco stalks, being part of tobacco, imported from Holland, whether the tobacco were exported from hence thither or no, will be forfeited: and I conceive it advisable to proceed against it as such and not to receive any Customs for it least greater inconveniences than do now appear may arise to his Majesty's Customs thereby."	*Ibid*, p. 174.
	Same to the Customs Commissioners, enclosing the Attorney General's opinion on the following paper. You are to hasten your report on the two bills which Mr. Peirce brought you. *Appending:* (*a*) said paper. By the late Act of Parliament the subsidies of Tunnage and Poundage are made payable to the present King from Feb. 6 last for life in the same manner as granted by the Act of Tunnage and Poundage to the late King, without taking notice of or confirming some other Acts of Parliament which had repealed or altered	*Ibid*, p. 175.

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1685.	some of the duties imposed by the said Act. The differences are as follow. By the Act of 25 Car. II, c. 6, for taking off aliens' duties upon native commodities those goods upon exportation are to be free. By the Act of Customs they were to pay a quarter part more than natives. By the Act of 15 Car. II, c. 7, for encouragement of Trade, coals to the Plantations are to pay 1*s.* per chalder ; by the Act of Customs they were to pay 5*s.* By the same Act bullion exported is to be free. By the Act of Customs its export was prohibited except by the King's warrant. By the Act for the Improvement of Tillage 22 Car. II, c. 13, all persons may transport the following commodities though they exceed the price mentioned in the Act for Tunnage and Poundage on payment of 1*s.* for every barrel of butter (3*s.* under the Act of Customs) ; 4*d.* for every hundred [weight] of cheese (1*s.* under the Act of Customs) ; 1*s.* for every cow or heifer, ox or steer (*ad valorem* under the Act of Customs) ; 5*s.* for every horse (3*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.* under the Act of Customs) ; 5*s.* for every mare (6*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.* under the Act of Customs) ; 5*s.* for every gelding (10*s.* under the Act of Customs). By the Act of 22 and 23 Car. II, c. 13, for exporting beer, ale and mum, beer exported in English ships pays one and in strangers' ships one [shilling per tunn] (respectively 2*s.* and 6*s.* under the Act of Customs) but upon the latter Act all the Excise is repaid. The opinion of Counsel upon the above Act of 25 Car. II, c. 6, is that it is not in force against the present Act of Tunnage and Poundage, but that the aliens' duty ought to be levied as before the making of that Act. And it is supposed that the other three forementioned Acts stand upon the same ground and reason, but the opinion of Counsel has not been taken therein. And a further question will arise upon all of them which is that since there is no repealing clause or words in the present Act of Tunnage and Poundage as to any part of them, but a new duty granted, whether the duties imposed thereby [by the above several Acts] be not payable also over and above the present grant of the Customs. And another question will arise particularly upon the Act of 25 Car. II concerning the exportation of bullion whether that Act be not in force against the old Acts of 9 Edw. III, 5 Ric. III, 7 Ric. III, 2 Hy. VI, and 19 Hy. VII, and if so whether it be not chargeable by the present Act of Parliament for poundage at 12*d.* per £ value as all unrated goods are. (*b*) Undated statement of opinion by Sir R. Sawyer, Attorney General, hereon. " I have considered of this paper and of the Acts therein mentioned and do conceive that those Acts as to the lessening of the duties from what were imposed by the Act for the Subsidy of Tunnage and Poundage are repealed and the duties must be paid according to the Act revived, but not both duties ; for though there are no express words of repeal yet by restoring the former Act those Acts which operated in diminution of that Act are repealed. As to the liberty of exporting bullion the Act for exporting of bullion of 15 Car. II is of force against the ancient prohibiting laws, but it must pay the duty *ad valorem* by the revived Act for the Customs."	

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1685. Oct. 31.	Money warrant for 4,000*l.* to the Earl of Rochester for half a year to June 24 last on his allowance as Lord Treasurer. (Money order dated Oct. 31 hereon.)	*Money Book* VI, p. 161. *Order Book* I, p. 60.
	Dormant warrant from Treasurer Rochester to Sir William Waller, Farmer of the Prizage and Butlerage, to pay the rent of 500*l.* *per an.* (and all arrears thereon) to Visct. Grandison and Sir Edward Villiers as in trust for George Fitz Roy, Duke of Northumberland, as by the patent of 25 Car. II, being the rent of said Prizage and Butlerage of Wines as granted by James I to Sir Thomas Waller for a term of years still in being.	*Money Book* VI, p. 164.
	Henry Guy to Mr. Darcy *et al.* for a certificate when the Children of the Chapel [Royal] had their last liveries.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 177.
	Same to Mr. Trant and Mr. Bridges. In answer to yours of the 27th, Auditor Aldworth thinks he ought not to part with the [Hearthmoney] audits and abstracts (to the truth whereof your auditors have sworn) as they are the principal vouchers of his report. He will deliver you copies on your paying the transcriber.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Duchess of Cleveland. Let Treasurer Rochester know if you have any objections to the enclosed petition [missing] of the Earl of Berkeley.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Customs Commissioners. Mr. Cowley, the undersearcher, is willing to surrender his patent with a view to a new grant thereof to him and Anthony Meeke.	*Ibid.*
	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to the Surveyor General of Crown Lands of the case of the Forest of A. *Prefixing :* note of said case signed J. Taylor, April 11 last. "The case of the Forest of A stated; the several queries and objections answered; the King's power and prerogative in disposing the same according to his royal will and pleasure, to improve by fencing, tillage and manuring the same for a public good notwithstanding the dissenting of any inhabitants by reason of their prescribing to have common in the said forest that is not in the Regard of the forest."	*Reference Book* III, p. 188.
	Henry Guy to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue 500*l.* to me [Guy] for secret service: out of the loans on the duty on linens, etc.	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 94.
Nov. 2.	Same to the Solicitor General. Hasten your opinion on the bill concerning the Customs and the additional clauses thereto.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 177.
	Same to the Customs Commissioners to report on the enclosed papers [missing] viz. a proposal of Thomas Forth; a memorial of the late Farmers of the 4*s.* per chalder on sea coals; and a third paper concerning the duties on tobacco.	*Ibid*, p. 178.
	Same to Mr. Peirse, enclosing the Customs Commissioners' presentment [missing] concerning their draft of the two bills. You are to attend Treasurer Rochester next Thursday [hereon].	*Ibid.*
	Direction by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners to observe an order of the King in	*Out Letters* (*Customs*) X, p. 59.

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1685.	Council dated Windsor Castle, Sept. 27, for a general licence to be granted for the importation of gum Seneca for six months to commence one month's time after date of this order: all upon reading the Customs Commissioners' report on the petition of Joseph Thompson of London, merchant, praying for licence for importation of gum Seneca.	
Nov. 2.	*Fiat* by Treasurer Rochester for letters patent to constitute Anthony Meeke and Robert Cowley one of the five undersearchers in London port *loco* said Robert Cowley.	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, p. 130.
	Report by same to the King on the petition of James Sartre, French minister, petitioner having set forth that he has in his hands an order of the late King for 15,000 French livres lent by his family and a bond of 7,000 livres furnished by the same family for the necessaries of five men of war belonging to the late King that were at Toulon under the command of Prince Rupert: said petition being referred by the King to Treasurer Rochester Sept. 21 last. Petitioner has produced to me said warrant dated Paris, 1654, June 2, directed to Sir Richard Forster for payment of 14,980 livres Tournois to Monsieur Hessing out of the arrears due to his said Majesty for the year 1652 upon the 600 pistoles per month assigned to his said Majesty by the French King, which warrant is signed Charles R. and I believe it to be his said Majesty's handwriting, but it is not countersigned by any person. I have likewise seen a testimonial under the hand of Prince Rupert dated Toulon, 1651, May 13, and attested by two public notaries which imports that John Burgues of Toulon, esq., did lend to said Prince 6,986 French livres for the victualling of five of said King's ships of war.	*Ibid.*
	Two royal sign manuals for respectively 750*l.* and 500*l.* to Henry Guy, for secret service, without account: to be issued on the 10,000*l.* dormant privy seal of Oct. 14 last. (Two money warrants dated Nov. 2 hereon. Two money orders dated Nov. 4 hereon.)	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 207. *Money Book* VI, p. 167. *Order Book* I, p. 62.
	Royal warrant to the Clerk of the Signet for a privy seal for the payment to William Roberts, Receiver of the revenues of the Honor of Windsor, of such sums as the King shall from time to time direct by royal sign manual as imprest for the building and rebuilding or repairing of the King's houses or buildings within Windsor Castle or for the service of the avenue near the same.	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 207.
	Royal sign manual for 75*l.* 4*s.* 9*d.* to John Warner, master of the barges to the Queen, as interest for one year to Sept. 29 last on 1,254*l.* due to him on an order No. 81 registered on the Hearthmoney for two houses [purchased of him at Greenwich]. (Money warrant dated Nov. 2 hereon. Money order dated Nov. 7 hereon.)	*Ibid*, p. 207. *Money Book* VI, p. 169. *Order Book* I, p. 63.
	Money warrant for 50*l.* to the executors of William Goldesborough, gent., late under-clerk of the Parliament, for five years to 1683, June 24, on the annuity of 10*l.* 128*l.* 12*s.* 0*d.* to same for his labour in making copies of several bills delivered in the Parliament	*Money Book* VI, p. 165. *Order Book* I, p. 62.

Date.	Nature and Substance of the Entry.	Reference.
1685.	begun 1678–9, Mar. 6, and for engrossing several public bills begun in that Parliament. (Money order dated Nov. 4 hereon for 128*l.* 12*s.* 0*d.*)	
Nov. 2.	Money warrant for 37*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.* to Dr. William Sherlock, Professor in Divinity and Master and Keeper of the house and church in the New Temple, London, for one year to Sept. 29 last on his annuity.	*Money Book* VI, p. 166.
	Same for 6,957*l.* 1*s.* 4*d.* to Sir William Stapleton, Governor in Chief of the Leeward Islands; 1,400*l.* thereof without account as for his own salary for two years to 1683, July 7, on 700*l. per an.* as Governor; and 5,557*l.* 1*s.* 4*d.* thereof as imprest for the pay of the two Foot Companies on said island for the said two years. (Money order dated Nov. 7 hereon.)	*Ibid*, p. 167. *Order Book* I, p. 63.
	Same for 375*l.* to Charles, Duke of Southampton, as in part of 1683, June 24 quarter, on his pension of 3,000*l. per an.* out of the Excise.	*Money Book* VI, p. 168.
	Same for 1,500*l.* to George, Duke of Northumberland, for half a year to Lady day last on the like pension.	*Ibid.*
	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Auditors of Imprests to allow the following items in John Knight's [Great Wardrobe] account to Michaelmas last. *Prefixing:* Knight's statement of certain items for which the Lord Treasurer's warrant will be necessary to authorise payment, viz.:	*Ibid*, p. 169.

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
to five arras men for half a year's wages to 1682, Christmas, paid under Treasury letter 1684–5, Jan. 28	78	5	0
to Jno. Parez, another arras man for same to 1683, June 24, paid *ut supra*	15	13	0
for nine tailors, for half a year's wages to 1682, Christmas, paid *ut supra* ..	93	12	0
to Mris. Bococke in part of her husband's arrear paid *ut supra*	20	0	0
to Widow Vanbare, an arrasman's widow, paid *ut supra*	15	0	0
to Mr. Darcy, Mr. Benyon and Col. Phelipps for half a year's wages to June 24 last at 300*l. per an.* each paid under Treasury letter of Sept. 7 last	450	0	0
	£672	10	0

Report to same by William Blathwayt on the petition of Bartholomew Price, administrator to Col. Herbert Jeffryes, late Governor of Virginia, praying for arrears of salary amounting to 900*l.*; the said petition having been referred to Blathwayt Jan. 17 last. Hereon Blathwayt reports that said 900*l.* salary for the last three quarters of said Col. Jeffries' government there, does not appear to have been paid him "which by his late Majesty's letter [missing] hereto annexed was to be paid out of the Exchequer in England: and I do well know that he was at great expence in the discharge of the Government without any other salary or perquisites in Virginia for that time, the same being otherwise disposed of by particular order from his Majesty."	*Out Letters* (*Plantations Auditor*) I, pp. 170–1.

Date.	Nature and Substance of the Entry.	Reference.
1685. Nov. 2.	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Cashier to pay 16*l.* 3*s.* 4*d.* to John Langwith, gent., for last Sept. 29 quarter as messenger attending the affairs of the Customs. Allowance by same of said Langwith's bill of 16*l.* 3*s.* 4*d.* for said quarter as messenger attending the Lord Treasurer.	*Money Book* VI, p. 171.
Nov. 3.	Reference by same to the Auditors of Imprests of the petition of Sir Denny Ashburnham and partners, showing that process of *distringas ad computandum* has gone forth against them, although their accounts are already declared but not passed through the office because their interest account is not yet finished: therefore praying stay of said process.	*Reference Book* III, p. 190.
	Henry Guy to the Navy Commissioners. You are to enquire what timber suitable for the present or future works of the Navy is to be found in any of the King's forests, in order to the Lord Treasurer's orders for felling same. You are also to proceed, with what despatch the King's other works and the season of the year will admit, to erect the two storehouses, one at Chatham, the other at Portsmouth, proposed by you to the King in your two last estimates, you first presenting to the Lord Treasurer your opinion as to the most advantageous method of performing same, viz. whether by contract or upon account. The Lord Treasurer is ready to make good the payments proposed for it in your said estimates. You are to timely contract for such quantities of large English timber and plank (besides what the present market yields) as will be required for the repairs of the fleet next year. This will have to be felled and converted within the next season. You are to contract for same upon credit of the moneys given by the late Act of Parliament for repair of the Navy, but with the condition that the prices do not exceed those of the present market. You are also to seasonably secure competent supplies of such foreign [timber] as shall be necessary for the fitting forth of the King's ships to sea and for a magazine thereof to remain in store.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 178.
	Same to the Customs Commissioners, enclosing a list [missing] of the Customs officers who hold their places during pleasure and have not renewed their patents since the late King's death.	*Ibid*, p. 179.
	Same to the Excise Commissioners to report on the enclosed proposal [missing] for raising 200,000*l. per an.* by way of Excise.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the present Commissioners of Hearthmoney with Auditor Aldworth to report on the enclosed paper [missing] relating to the produce of the Hearthmoney in several counties during the late [farmor] management. *In the margin:* note by Henry Guy, dated Nov. 7, that the report is to be made jointly by said Commissioners and said Aldworth.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Fisher. There is timber cutting down in King's Grove and Queen's Grove near Wanstead in Waltham Forest. Send thither for a speedy account thereof.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Attorney General to report on the enclosed copies of the contract [missing] between the late	*Ibid.*

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1685.	King and the Corporation of Pinmakers and of the petition of Lord Churchill and of the petition of divers pinmakers.	
Nov. 3.	Henry Guy to Mr. Darcy *et al.* to despatch Lord Montagu's Wardrobo accounts *ut supra*, p. 50. Also to observe the late instructions sent you about June last.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 179.
	Same to Sir Peter Apsley for a certificate what allowance Mr. Kinersley has had *per an.* as Wardrobe Keeper at St. James's before the accession of his present Majesty.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Darcy *et al.* to forthwith provide as follows if not already supplied. *Appending :* letter undated from the Earl of Mulgrave, Lord Chamberlain, to Treasurer Rochester desiring the provision (in accordance with the King's pleasure) of one large Bible, one large Common Prayer Book and six lesser ditto for Lord Howard of Effingham, who is going Governor of Virgina.	*Ibid*, p. 180.
	Money warrant for 3,065*l.* 4*s.* 4*d.* to Richard Kent and Charles Duncombe for interest to Sept. 29 last at the rates of 5 *per cent.* and 6 *per cent.* on several sums of money by them lent for the late and present King's service ; as by an account thereof stated by Auditor Aldworth and allowed the 3rd inst. by Treasurer Rochester. (Money order dated Nov. 4 hereon.)	*Money Book* VI, p. 168. *Order Book* I, p. 62.
	Henry Guy to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue as follows out of the branches of the revenue directed to be this week paid into the Exchequer, viz. :	*Disposition Book* IV, pp. 94, 95.

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Out of the Customs.			
to the Treasurer of the Navy for the Victuallers	800	0	0
to ditto for sea officers and bills in course	400	0	0
to ditto for the charge of transporting four Troops of Col. Hamilton's Regiment for Ireland	146	0	0
to the Treasurer of the Ordnance ..	1,000	0	0
to [Mr. Kent and] Mr. Duncombe for interest for 1685, Michaelmas quarter	3,065	4	4
	£5,411	9	10
Out of the Excise.			
to the Paymaster of the Forces ..	5,000	0	0
to the Earl of Peterborough on his pension on the Tangier establishment	500	0	0
	£5,500	0	0
Out of the loans on the linen duty.			
to the Paymaster of the Forces ..	6,000	0	0
Out of Hearthmoney.			
to the Treasurer of the Chamber in full for 1685, Michaelmas quarter's salary [bill]	3,070	0	0
Out of the Letter Office money.			
to me [Guy] for secret service ..	280	0	0
to ditto more [for same]	250	0	0
to ditto more [for same]	140	0	0
to ditto more [for same]	70	0	0
to Mr. Seagar	82	19	0

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1685.		
	to tho Master of the Temple .. .. 37 6 8 for the water at Windsor 112 10 0 £972 15 8	
	(Same dated same to the Customs Cashier, enclosing the paper of the disposition of the Customs cash for the present week ; said paper including the above five Customs items [payable out of the Exchequer] together with the following item [payable direct out of the Customs Office on tallies] viz. 2,000*l.* to Sir Hugh Cholmley in repayment of loan. Total disposition of the Customs, 7,411*l.* 9*s.* 10*d.*) (Same dated same to the Commissioners of Excise and Hearthmoney, enclosing the like paper of the disposition of the cash of those revenues ; said paper including *for the Excise* the abovesaid two Excise items [payable out of the Exchequer] together with the following items [payable direct out of the Excise Office on tallies] viz. 3,155*l.* for the remainder of last June 24 quarter's salary bill of the Excise ; 1,500*l.* to Mr. Kent and Mr. Duncombe in repayment of loan : total disposition of the Excise, 11,155*l.* : and *for the Hearthmoney* the abovesaid Hearthmoney item [payable out of the Exchequer] together with the following item [payable direct out of the Hearthmoney Office on tallies] viz. 2,000*l.* to Mr. Toll in repayment of loan. Total disposition of the Hearthmoney, 5,070*l.*)	
Nov. 4.	Report from William Blathwayt to Treasurer Rochester on the petition of Robert Smith, praying payment of his arrears as Major General of Virginia and a pension : said petition having been referred Oct. 15 last by the King to Treasurer Rochester and Oct. 26 last by Treasurer Rochester to said Blathwayt. Hereon said Blathwayt offers a copy of his former report of 1684, Nov. 22, and of the Treasury Lords' report to the King (*Calendar of Treasury Books*, Vol. VII, p. 1492). Since that time Lord Howard of Effingham, Governor of Virginia, has by letter signified to your Lordship that because of the late season when the King's orders touching the quit rents of Virginia arrived he could not settle the collection of them in so good a method as he intended nor certify the true yearly value of them, but that he had nevertheless caused 531*l.* 15*s.* 7*d.* to be collected for his Majesty and to remain undisposed of till the King's further orders.	*Out Letters* (*Plantations Auditor*) I, pp. 171–2.
Nov. 5.	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Receipt to take in and vacate the tally for 20,000*l.* struck 1684, Dec. 3, on the Excise, which tally is now in the hands of Charles Duncombe and in lieu thereof to strike tallies for 15,000*l.* and 5,000*l.* of the same date upon the same fund : all at said Duncombe's desire.	*Money Book* VI, p. 170.
	Money warrant for 955*l.* to Charles Scarborough as Envoy Extraordinary to the King of Portugal ; 500*l.* thereof as equipage and 455*l.* thereof for three months on his ordinary of 5*l.* a day in advance. (Money order dated Nov. 11 hereon.)	*Ibid*, p. 170. *Order Book* I, p. 64.
	Henry Guy to the Auditor of the Receipt to advance to me [Guy] the 280*l.*, 250*l.*, 140*l.* and 70*l.* *ut supra*,	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 95.

Date.	Nature and Substance of the Entry.	Reference.
1685.	p. 401, for secret service. The regular warrant for same shall be sent as soon as passed. The 112*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.* *supra*, p. 402, for the water at Windsor is to be issued to Mr. Roberts to be employed about the pipes for conveying the water to the Castle at Windsor.	
Nov. 5.	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners to continuo till further order the [additional] allowance of 6*d.* a day to each of the watchmen in London port during the four winter months from Nov. 1 to Mar. 1 in regard of the coldness of the nights and hardship of the duty: as allowed by the late Treasury Lords' order of 1683, Nov. 26.	*Out Letters* (*Customs*) X, p. 60.
	Report to the King from Treasurer Rochester on the petition of John Rix, *supra*, p. 246, as by the reference of June 4 last from the King. The Attorney General certifies me that the personal estate may be granted to petitioner, but the copyhold estate will go to the Lord of the Manor and the freehold estate will escheat to the immediate lord of whom same is held. The grant may be made to Sir John Holland in trust for petitioner.	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, p. 131.
	Henry Guy to the Customs Commissioners to open in the presence of Lady Tyrconnell's servants such of the goods which came in the *Charlotte* yacht as are for the Queen or Lady Tyrconnell, including a small parcel of wool.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 180.
	Same to the Wine Licence Commissioners. Send Treasurer Rochester notice what sum you think fit to demand yearly of Thomas Hammond, Robert Brocke, Robert Davy, Matthew Simpson, Robert Smyth, William Wiley, John Johnson, Edward Taylor, Benjamin Parrott, and Benjamin Couley for selling wine.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Stephens [Cashier to the Navy Treasurer] for an estimate what the pay of the *Diamond* will come to.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Fox [Paymaster of the Forces] enclosing the petition of Sir Charles Murray and the officers of the five Companies of the Earl of Dumbarton's Regiment that were under his command in Ireland. You are to pay the money prayed for. *Appending:* (*a*) said petition shewing that 36 days' pay are due to them for March and April, 1684, being 643*l.* 4*s.* 0*d.* but a stop is put thereto for a debt due to Lord Dartmouth from the 16 Companies of said Regiment that were at Tangier. (*b*) Certificate by said Lord Dartmouth that there is nothing due to him from said five Companies "but the money that is to be stopped is for the 16 Companies that were at Tangier."	*Ibid*, p. 181.
	Same to the Mint Commissioners to forthwith provide 1,000 medals for the King's use in Healing and to deliver them to the Privy Purse.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Auditor of the Receipt for an account of all [money] warrants and orders lying before you unsatisfied and for which money is not provided.	*Ibid.*

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1685. Nov. 5.	Henry Guy to the Navy Commissioners for an account what bills of exchange drawn upon you are now due.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 181.
	Same to the Solicitor General. Hasten your opinion on the bill for the better collection of the Customs and the clauses to be added thereto.	*Ibid.*
	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to the Auditor of the Receipt of the petition of tho Clerks of the Council *et al.* attending the Committee for Trade and Foreign Plantations concerning the arrear of 2,374*l.* 13*s.* 5*d.* of [due to] the Plantation Office and praying to be paid in course in the Exchequer on the Act of Parliament (1 James II, c. 4) for the debts due to the late King's servants.	*Reference Book* III, p. 191.
	Same by same to the Lord Warden of New Forest *et al.* of the petition of Henry Slingsby for leave to make 150,000 bricks in said forest for repair of Boldroad Lodge in Fratham forest which is in his custody: with a grant of so many fuses as will be necessary to burn said bricks.	*Ibid.*
	Same by same to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of Benjamin Gauden, son of Sir Dennis Gauden: shewing that he was partner with his father *et al.* in the Victualling of the Navy and did in 1677 by command of Charles II go to Tangier for the settlement of the garrison and Navy there, but in his passage there was taken by five Algerines and kept in slavery by them near a year, notwithstanding the King's directions to the Admiral then in the Straits for his speedy redemption and exchange: that he parted with a considerable sum for his liberty and on his return to England found a change in the Victualling [contract] whereby he became and remains bereft of employment: therefore prays a landsurveyor's place, London port.	*Ibid*, pp. 191-2.
	Same by same to same of the petition of John Gallays, shewing that being fled from the persecution abroad with his wife and eight children he has nothing left him but four tons of vinegar which he brought over and which has been seized: prays for remission of the duty thereon as the value of the vinegar is less than the Customs.	*Ibid*, p. 195.
	Same by same to the Board of Greencloth of the petition of Sir Nicho. Slanning and Henry Guy, cupbearers; George Sayer and Thomas Agar, carvers; Sir Cha. Windham and Bryan Janson, sewers; Jno. Cary and Adolphus Sayers, pages of honour; Jno. Evary, Antho. Vane, Jno. Walthew, William Shaw, James Windebank and . . . Bourgevis, Grooms of the Privy Chamber to the Queen Dowager, to be allowed a proportionable allowance for their right to a constant diet for themselves and servants at the Queen's waiters' table; they having had no allowance of board wages during the last six years' retrenchment as the Gentlemen Ushers and others her servants have had and still have for such right to the said table.	*Ibid*, p. 196.
	Same by same to Richard Graham of the petition of Daniell Moody, shewing that his sister, Eliz. Moody, married John Hicks, a Nonconformist preacher, who together by sinister and clandestine artifices did so far prevail upon the weaknesses of petitioner's father as to make a will	*Ibid*, pp. 196–7.

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1685.	unfavourable to petitioner his only son, and thereby got the estate being 100*l.* *per an.* and 2,000*l.* in goods, although petitioner never displeased his father but often opposed Hicks's fanatical principles. Petitioner has been a gunner in Portsmouth garrison 20 years, and since as master gunner in the train of artillery in the late expedition against the rebels: whereas said Hicks has continued to be a very pernicious person to the government and was lately executed for treason at Glastonbury, whereby his estate is forfeit. Therefore prays a grant of said estate.	
Nov. 5.	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to the Navy Commissioners of the petition of John Taylor, shewing that in the method proposed by him he supplied the Navy last year with considerable quantities of hemp, pitch and tar at very much cheaper rates than such goods were formerly provided: therefore prays some reward.	*Reference Book* III, p. 198.
	Same by same to the Surveyor General of Crown Lands of the petition of Sir Robert Clayton for extension of lease of a parcel of the demesnes of the manor of Kennington in Lambeth parish, parcel of the Duchy of Cornwall.	*Ibid*, p. 207.
Nov. 6.	Henry Guy to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue to Treasurer Rochester the 1,500*l.* which is paid into the Exchequer by Mr. Graham *et al.* out of the profits of the late Lord Grey's estate: as in part of 16,000*l.* granted to Treasurer Rochester thereout.	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 95.
	Same to the Customs Commissioners. There are three Spaniards come from Jerusalem in an English ship from Scanderoon for Cadiz, but prevented landing at Cadiz by contrary winds and so brought on to England. They desire that their baggage may be transhipped for Cadiz except such parts as they intend to present to the Spanish ambassador. You are to open the latter and to permit the remainder to be transhipped as desired.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 182.
	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to William Hewer of the petition of Paul Harris for 200*l.* due to him for wine and necessaries supplied for maintenance of the workmen employed on the mole and fortifications at Tangier: or for so much thereof as may fit him for his voyage to Gibraltar and so save a whole family from starving.	*Reference Book* III, p. 192.
Nov. 7.	Henry Guy to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue to me [Guy] for secret service the 500*l.* directed Sept. 27 last, *supra*, p. 350, to be issued to the Earl of Nottingham out of the Letter Office money.	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 96.
	Direction by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners to observe an order of the King in Council dated Whitehall, Oct. 30 last. *Prefixing:* said order for revoking the freedom granted 1684, Oct. 24, to Samuel Walton, purveyor of fresh fish for the late King, for the two vessels or well boats called the *Hope* and *Adam and Eve*, built by said Walton in Holland for importing fresh cod, quick eels, lobsters and fresh river fish exclusive of all other merchandise and fresh fish whatsoever; complaint having been made to the Privy Council by Sam Heron, Peter Martell and William Miles of	*Out Letters* (*Customs*) X, p. 60.

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1685.	London, merchants, that by means of the said freedom the end of their undertaking for bringing over Dutchmen to set up and teach his Majesty's subjects the art of catching and curing cod is subverted and destroyed; which complaint was appointed to be heard Oct. 21, but neither side appeared: but the King considers said freedom is contrary to the intents of the Acts for Trade and Navigation "which he is resolved shall be inviolably kept."	
Nov. 7.	Henry Guy to Rupert Browne. Col. Vernon has promised the Lord Treasurer to pay the 3,300*l.* due to you within six months from Nov. 1 inst. provided you pay the 900*l.*	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 182.
	Same to the Lord Chamberlain. Mr. Phil. Ryley's patent as serjeant at arms to attend the Lord Treasurer became void by the late King's death. It is the King's pleasure that he be continued. You are to swear him in.	*Ibid.*
Nov. 9.	Money order for 1,542*l.* 11*s.* 7½*d.* to Richard Beavoir as assignee of Nicholas Charlton *et al.* for clothing by them furnished to the additional Company and recruits of the late Regiment of Foot, then Duke of York's, [of the late New Raised Forces]; as by a certificate dated 1679, May 31, from two of the Commissioners for Disbanding said Forces: to be paid out of the remains of the last Six Months' Assessment for the said Disbanding.	*Order Book* I, p. 63.
	Same for 1,672*l.* 0*s.* 3*d.* to Robert Penney, salesman, for clothing similarly furnished by him to Sir Lionell Walden's Regiment of Foot, the Earl of Roscommon's Troop of Horse and Lord Frescheville's Independent Company of Foot [part of said late New Raised Forces] as by a like certificate dated 1679, May 31.	*Ibid.*
	Same for 471*l.* 14*s.* 3*d.* to Tho. Humphryes, ironmonger, as assignee of Tho. Davics, linen draper, for shirts furnished by said Davies to the late Duke of Monmouth's late Regiment of Horse and Foot [part of said late New Raised Forces] as by a like certificate.	*Ibid*, p. 64.
	Same for 1,556*l.* 12*s.* 9½*d.* to Thomas Humphryes, ironmonger, for swords, belts etc. by him furnished to the late Duke of Monmouth's abovesaid Regiment: as by a like certificate.	*Ibid.*
	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to Sir Peter Killegrew, Receiver General of the Duchy of Cornwall, revoking the dormant warrant of Oct. 30 last for 200*l.* *per an.* to William Harbord out of said revenue.	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, p. 132. *Money Book* VI, p. 171.
	Money warrant for 30*l.* to the Vicars of the Cathedral church of Lichfield for two years to June 24 last on their perpetuity.	*Money Book* VI, p. 171.
	Same for 20*l.* to Robert Bertie for half a year to Sept. 29 last on the annuity or pension to him for the life of Mris. Mary Cock.	*Ibid.*
	Henry Guy to the Customs Commissioners, enclosing the draft bill for an additional Act of Frauds with	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 182.

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1685.	the two fresh clauses as approved by the Attorney and Solicitor General.	
Nov. 9.	Henry Guy to Mr. Darcy *et al.* to certify whether the following particulars are as last and usually provided. *Appending:* letter dated Oct. 15 last from the Earl of Ailesbury, Lord Chamberlain, to the Lord Treasurer. It is the King's pleasure that ten children of the Chapel have the winter liveries they used to have, viz. for each, one coat and breeches of scarlet cloth, the coat to be lined with sky coloured shaloone; a vest of scarlet cloth made up and trimmed with silk lace as formerly; three whole shirts; three half shirts; six plain bands and cuffs; three pocket handkerchiefs; three pairs of gloves; 2½ pieces of ribbon to trim each of their liveries and to make garters and shoe strings; two pair of worsted stockings; six pair of shoes; two hats and hat bands; a coat of ordinary red cloth lined with sky coloured shaloon to cover over their clothes in case it should rain.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 183.
	Same to Major Duglas. Send your answer to the enclosed petition [missing] of Eliz. Cane, widow of Thomas Cane, deceased, with Mr. Hewer's report thereon.	*Ibid*, p. 184.
	Same to the Customs Commissioners to send to my [Guy's] house in King Street a parcel of fruit trees which arrived in the yacht which came in last night directed to Henry Savile, esq., vice-chamberlain to the King.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue to Treasurer Rochester for last June 24 half year's salary, 4,000*l.* out of Wine Licence money.	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 96.
	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to Henry Ayloffe, the King's Remembrancer, to supersede process *ad computandum*, against Sir Denny Ashburnham and his partners as late contractors for victualling the Navy, they having passed their accounts for the whole time of their contract and being 8,775*l.* 12*s.* 11½*d.* in surplus on their first account ended 1674, Dec. 31, which surplus was not carried over to the succeeding account for that Mr. Sturt, who was concerned therein, did then resign to Jonathan Gauden and a new contract was then granted; but on their last account ended 1677, Dec. 31, they are in arrear 1,026*l.* 12*s.* 4½*d.* which leaves their surplusage 7,749*l.* 0*s.* 7*d.* which has been made good to them by the late King: all as appears by certificate of the Auditors of Imprests.	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, p. 132.
[?]	Entry of [Treasurer Rochester's signature of] the docquet of a demise to Andrew Lawrence of a house in St. Martins in the Fields near the King's way leading from Westminster to Knightsbridge *ut supra*, p. 356.	*Ibid*, p. 133.
Nov. 9.	Report to the King by Treasurer Rochester on the petition presented to the late King by Capt. Alexander Makenny and the rest of the officers of the Troop of Horse late under him in Tangier *ut supra*, *Calendar of Treasury Books*, Vol. VII, pp. 1191–2. I find that the late Treasury Lords referred same 1684, July 1, to William Hewer, who reported Aug. 6 following that the 30 horse formerly borne on the establishment of Tangier with one officer only	*Ibid*, pp. 134–5.

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1685.	at Lieutenant's pay were about April, 1682, formed into a Troop under their then Commander, Capt. Makenny and Francis Delarne was appointed Lieut. by commission dated 1682, April 25, John Chappell as Cornet by commission dated April 26, and John Dennix as Quarter-Master by commission dated April 27 : that from the muster rolls it appears they were mustered only from 1683, April 1, the time of their appearance at Tangier, but that it appeared from certificates of the Earl of Inchiquin, Col. Sackvile and Col. Kirke, late Governors of Tangier, that the custom and practice of that garrison has always been to pay officers from the dates of their Commissions. Their pay from the dates of their commission to 1683, April 1, if allowed will be 136*l.* to Mackenny at 8*s.* a day to make up his 6*s.* on the establishment into 14*s.* a day ; 170*l.* to Delarne on 10*s.* a day ; 152*l.* 11*s.* 0*d.* to Chappell on 9*s.* a day ; 101*l.* 8*s.* 0*d.* to Dennis on 6*s.* a day. Total, 559*l.* 19*s.* 0*d.*	
Nov. 9.	Reference by Treasurer Rochoster to William Hewer of the petition of Mary Davenport, shewing that she provided for four discharged Tangier soldiers for five months, took care of them in their sickness and when they died buried them at her own charge, which cost her 8*l.* 2*s.* 6*d.* : prays payment thereof.	*Reference Book* III, p. 192.
	Same by same to same of the petitions of Job Atkins for his arrears as a gunner at Tangier, where he was born : he being in great want thereof to put himself apprentice. Of William Wood for his arrears as "assistant to the said master gunner," of which he did the duty and received the pay, the said Atkins being a child : therefore prays that the arrears may be paid to himself and the provisions only to the said Atkins. Of Jane Emerson, a poor widow of Tangier, praying for a small pension among the widows.	*Ibid.*
	Same by same to the Customs Commissioners of the letter of Capt. Bickerstaff, recommending Christopher Frankling ("steward of my colliery and salt pans" at Berwick, who was "my servant that waited on me many years and was in several engagements at sea with me, lives at Berwick and hath a pretty estate of his own") for the place of Comptroller of Customs, Berwick port *loco* Mr. Shepheard, deceased.	*Ibid*, p. 193.
	Same by same to Sir Christopher Wren, Surveyor General of Works, of the petition of Patrick Lambe for lease of a piece of ground adjoining the lodgings belonging to the Office of the Pastry in Whitehall, on which plot he has built a house relying on the late King's promise of a lease.	*Ibid.*
	Same by same to William Hewer of the petition of Jno. Abrooke, gunsmith and armourer at Tangier, praying some maintenance, having been emloyed against the rebels in the West and grown old and much decayed.	*Ibid*, p. 194.
	Same by same to same of the petition of James Ripp, William Hall and Cha. Tisdall for 25 months' arrears : they having returned from Tangier and were discharged at Plymouth, [where] Ripp and Hall received only six months' pay, "which was paid to their	*Ibid.*

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1685.	Captain, being due to him" [from them]; petitioners are perishing for want of relief.	
Nov. 9.	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to William Hewer of the petition of James Gibbs for his arrears of 11*l.* 8*s.* 3*d.* to carry him to Scotland, his native country: he having served the late King at home and abroad ever since the Restoration and being now sick and lame.	*Reference Book* III, p. 194.
	Same by same to same of the petition of Prudence Haynes, widow of Tho. Haynes, drumbeater in Capt. Skelton's Company; for a poor widow's bounty, being left a widow with a child.	*Ibid.*
	Same by same to same of the petition of Manns Scurlock, James Armstrong, Tho. Watson, Robert Harris and Jno. Filkins, five of the Tangier soldiers left alive of the 10 who were discharged at Dublin, 1684, Nov. 10: praying for their respective arrears of 7*l.*, 3*l.* 10*s.* 6*d.*, 3*l.* 10*s.* 6*d.*, 3*l.* 10*s.* 6*d.* and 3*l.* 10*s.* 6*d.*	*Ibid.*
	Same by same to same of the petition of Benj. Ash of Tangier for 243*l.* 19*s.* 5*d.* due to him still from the late officers of Tangier: petitioner is suddenly to go for Gibraltar in his Majesty's service and will be arrested for debt unless he discharge same with this money.	*Ibid*, p. 196.
Nov. 10.	Warrant by same to the Excise Commissioners to repay to Adam Bellamy and Thomas Woodward of London, merchants, the 52*l.* 19*s.* 8*d.* deposited by them for the duty on 11 tun of overproof brandy which was laden for them beyond seas before the higher duty was laid thereon by the late Act, but which by contrary winds did not arrive till July last: the said allowance being, as in the case of Mr. Beake, in the proportion said brandy bears to single brandy.	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, p. 133.
	Henry Guy to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue as follows out of the branches of the revenue directed to be this week paid into the Exchequer, viz:	*Disposition Book* IV, pp. 96, 97.

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Out of the Customs.			
to the Treasurer of the Navy for the Victuallers	2,000	0	0
to ditto for sea officers and bills in course	400	0	0
to ditto for wages due to the *Monmouth* yacht and to the reduced men of the *Mermaid*, *King's Fisher* and *Bristoll*	1,933	0	0
to ditto for repairing his Majesty's storehouse at Plymouth	179	13	11
to ditto for fitting to sea the *Happy Return* and *King's Fisher*	334	0	0
to the Treasurer of the Ordnance	1,000	0	0
Out of the Excise.			
to Charles Fox, Paymaster of the Forces	5,000	0	0
Out of the Hearthmoney.			
to the Master of the Robes to pay tradesmen's bills in the Office of Robes	1,041	19	0
Out of the Post Office money.			
to the Master of the Robes	738	5	3

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1685.	*l.* *s.* *d.* *Out of the loans on the linen duty.* to the Paymaster of the Forces .. 6,000 0 0 *Out of the East India Company's present.* to the Treasurer of the Navy to pay off the *Diamond* .. .. 9,500 0 0 £28,026 18 2 (Same dated same to the Customs Cashier, enclosing the paper of the disposition of the Customs cash for the present week; said paper including the above six Customs items [payable out of the Exchequer] together with the following item [payable direct out of the Customs Office on tallies] viz. 1,000*l.* to Sir Hugh Cholmely in repayment of loan. Total disposition of the Customs 6,846*l.* 13*s.* 11*d.*) (Same dated same to the Commissioners of Exciso and Hearthmoney enclosing the similar paper of disposition of the cash of those branches of the revenue; said paper including *for the Excise* the above Excise item [payable out of the Exchequer] together with the following [payable direct out of the Excise Office on tallies] viz. 525*l.* 15*s.* 7½*d.* to Col. Frend *et al.* for interest to June 15 last; 1,500*l.* to Mr. Kent and Mr. Duncombe in repayment of loan: and *for the Hearthmoney* the abovesaid Hearthmoney item [payable out of the Exchequer] together with the following [payable direct out of the Hearthmoney Office on tallies] viz. 2,000*l.* to Mr. Toll in repayment of loan. Total disposition of the Excise and Hearthmoney, 10,067*l.* 14*s.* 7½*d.*)	
Nov. 10.	Royal sign manual for 1,000*l.* to Henry Guy, for secret service, without account: to be issued on the 10,000*l.* privy seal dormant of Oct. 14 last. (Money warrant dated Nov. 12 hereon. Money order dated Nov. 12 hereon.)	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 208. *Money Book* VI, p. 173. *Order Book* I, p. 65.
	Royal warrant to the Clerk of the Signet for a privy seal for an annuity or pension of 600*l.* yearly to Thomas, Earl of Ailesbury, appointed a Gentleman of the Bedchamber in place of John, Earl of Mulgrave, Chamberlain of the Household: said annuity to commence from Michaelmas last.	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 209.
	Money warrant for 5,000*l.* to the Queen or her Treasurer or Receiver for the half year to Sept. 29 last after the rate of 10,000*l.* *per an.* over and above her jointure as by the privy seal of Oct. 31 last. (Money order dated Nov. 12 hereon.)	*Money Book* VI, p. 172. *Order Book* I, p. 64.
	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Cashier to pay 22*l.* 8*s.* 0*d.* to the four ushers of the Exchequer Court for four years to 1685, Lady day, on their 5*l.* 12*s.* 0*d.* *per an.* for their fees and rewards payable to them at Easter by the Customers of the several ports of England and Wales and which has been usually allowed in the accounts of the Customs Farmers or Commissioners.	*Money Book* VI, p. 172.
	Money warrant for 100*l.* to Mris. Isabella Boynton for the half year since the King's accession on her annuity or pension.	*Ibid.*
	Warrant dormant by Treasurer Rochester to Thomas Whitley, Receiver General of Crown Revenues,	*Ibid*, p. 173.

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1685.	North Wales, to pay Sir Edward Lutwich, Chief Justice of Chester, his ancient fee or allowance of 100*l. per an.*; by reason the same can no longer be paid out of the Crown revenues of co. Chester in consequence of the sale of fee farms in said county.	
Nov. 10.	Francis Gwynn [for Henry Guy] to the Customs Commissioners to report on (*a*) *infra*. *Appending :* (*a*) note of a method proposed to Treasurer Rochester by the Revenue Commissioners, Ireland, for exporting European goods from Ireland to the Plantations in case of the merchants of Ireland trading thither : which [method] they [said Commissioners] conceive is very practicable and can be in no wise prejudicial to the Customs or trade of England or in breach of the Plantation laws.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 183.
	Henry Guy to same to visit the Earl of Clarendon's goods at his lodgings in the Cockpit prior to their going for Ireland.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Auditor of the Receipt. Send to-day without fail the account of warrants and orders signed by the Lord Treasurer and remaining [unpaid or] unsatisfied.	*Ibid*, p. 184.
	Same to Auditor Aldworth to deliver to the Hearth-money Commissioners the tot books, abstracts and other computations relating to your account of that revenue for the five years ended 1684, Lady day.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Fox [Paymaster of the Forces]. Treasurer Rochester has revoked the stop put upon the Earl of Dunbarton's pay. You are to pay same.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Auditor of the Recoipt and Clerk of the Pells. Sir Polycarpus Wharton, heir and executor of Sir George Wharton, late Treasurer of the Ordnance, has represented that his said father in his lifetime delivered to the Auditors of Imprests his accounts and that since that time the Auditor of the Receipt has charged him with 10,000*l.* more than was contained in the former imprest certificates. You are to examine and adjust said imprest certificates so that said accounts may bo declared.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Sir Edw. Sutton to bring to Treasurer Rochester [the paper of] Jno. Vanderkers and Francis Comin touching their petition lately presented to the King.	*Ibid*, p. 185.
	Report to the King by Treasurer Rochester on the petition of Sir Samuel Morland. I find that, by direction of the late King, Morland did in 1681 undertake to make an engine to convey water from the Thames to the Castle of Windsor which was at first estimated at 800*l.* but afterwards, by alterations therein, the charge amounted to 2,990*l.* 4*s.* 5¼*d.* whereof he has received 1,550*l.* from Mr. Roberts, Receiver of the Honor of Windsor. Likewise on his several pensions amounting to 800*l. per an.* for life there is 2,800*l.* due plus another 200*l.* on same for last Sept. 29 quarter. But at several times there has been paid to him for the late King's secret service, 200*l.* (1681, Dec. 24) and 200*l.* (1684, Aug. 9) and by the privy seal of 1682, June 30, he was granted 664*l.* 4*s.* 5*d.* of the Tenths of the diocese of	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, pp. 135–9.

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1685.	Gloucester due from the executors of Dr. Nicholson, late Bishop of Gloucester, and William Warner, his subcollector; whereof Morland has received a decree for 371*l.* 3*s.* 6*d.* and is in suit for the rest, but he swears that his expenses therein come to 303*l.* 15*s.* 0*d.* so that this grant of Tenths can only yield him 360*l.* 9*s.* 5*d.* By the great seal of 1682, Sept. 12, Charles II granted him 700*l.* at the Exchequer which was paid 1682, Oct. 14. These sums of 200*l.*, 200*l.*, 360*l.* 9*s.* 5*d.* and 700*l.* reduce his claim of 3,000*l.* to 1,539*l.* 10*s.* 7*d.* or his total claim, including the said engine account, to 2,979*l.* 15*s.* 0¼*d.* *Appending:* (*a*) said Morland's petition shewing that he has been lately dismissed by Monsr. de Louvoy with the real loss of above 1,400*l.* and yet hopes he has done nothing during his abode in France to lessen the reputation of an Englishman: that on his return home he finds a stop put to all his pensions on which arrears as above are due, petitioner not having a shilling of any other revenue in the world to subsist upon. Before his going over [to France] petitioner toiled for above a year at Windsor to please his late Majesty, where it was proposed at first only to raise the water out of the mill river, but the King finding tanners' skins and other nastiness in that river petitioner was forced to make a water house and a new engine and be at many unforseen expenses about sinking the river, the mill, well etc. and being in a hurry and for want of ready money [had] to make bad bargains all which trebled the first estimate, although nothing was done without his Majesty's privity and approbation: but the Treasury Lords being displeased referred it to petitioner's enemies and upon their report left an arrear of 1,464*l.* [unpaid on said account] to the undoing of many poor families. Before the Restoration petitioner had 1,500*l.* a year and afterwards had promises of great preferments and was commanded ever since to rely upon the King's word for a real and suitable fortune, but now in his old age petitioner is left in a position worse than that of a beggar in the street, and hardly dares to return to London for fear of arrest, his house and goods having been long since sold "to whom they were mortgaged for money to finish the ongine": desires only to pay his debts and see his son, who is now of age, provided for. (*b*) An account of the charge of the mill, engine, waterhouse, pipes etc. at Windsor (including Mr. White, the Castle plumber; Mr. Hawks, the millwright; George Pyle, the Castle bricklayer; "the model I made for preventing firo in the Castle by his late Majesty's command"). (*c*) A note of tho payments to Morland by Mr. Roberts *ut supra.* (*d*) An account of the privy seal of 1682, June 30, which granted the abovesaid arrears of Gloucester Tenths. Being near my journey into France and being indebted to Mr. Fowl, goldsmith, I put the privy seal into his hands in trust to sue for me. He has been ever since in suit with Dr. Nicholson; and now with one Brigstock and Mansell. As to the charges Mr. Bretland, the counsel, must be paid. As to the 700*l.* granted at my going over I look upon it as a free gift in order to my journey into France. (*e*) Certificate by William Roberts of his payment of 1,550*l.* *ut supra.* (*f*) Ditto by the Auditor of the Receipt of the arrears due on petitioner's pensions.	

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1685. Nov. 10, 12, 14.	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners of the several petitions of Thomas Raymund, Saml. Phillips, Christopher Sheen, and Joseph Jordan, King's waiters, London port: for renewal of their patents of office, void by the late King's death.	*Reference Book* III, pp. 195, 197.
Nov. 12.	Money warrant for 1,263*l.* 8*s.* 5*d.* to Charles Toll for 6 *per cent.* interest to Oct. 1 last on several sums by him advanced for the service of the late King: as by an account thereof made up by Auditor Aldworth and allowed by the Lord Treasurer the 4th inst. (Money order dated Nov. 13 hereon.)	*Money Book* VI, p. 173. *Order Book* I, p. 65.
	Warrant dormant by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Cashier to pay the salary of 100*l. per an.* to Edward Randolph as collector, surveyor and searcher of his Majesty's customs in the several colonies of New England.	*Money Book* VI, p. 173.
	Same by same to same to pay the salary of 1,000*l. per an.* to Gyles Lyteott as Comptroller of the accounts of the Customs.	*Ibid*, p. 174.
	Same by same to same to pay the salary of 52*l. per an.* to Benj. Skinner as one of the patent waiters [King's waiters], London port.	*Ibid.*
	Same by same to same to pay the salary of 1,000*l. per an.* to Richard Kent as Receiver General and Cashier of the Customs.	*Ibid.*
	Same by same to same to pay the salary of 666*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.* to Charles Osborne as Surveyor General of the Customs.	*Ibid.*
	Same by same to same to pay the salary of 200*l. per an.* to Jno. Earle, gent., as Register of the seizures.	*Ibid.*
	Allowance by same of the 1685, Sept. 29 quarter's salary bill of the Customs, London port (being 5,279*l.* 19*s.* 2½*d.* for established salaries and 299*l.* 15*s.* 4½*d* for additional salaries after deducting the items of 166*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.* for Charles Osborne, 125*l.* for George Nicholas, 250*l.* for Richard Kent, 250*l.* for Gyles Lytcott, 50*l.* for William Culliford, 13*l.* for Benj. Skinner and 25*l.* for Edward Randolph [each for said quarter]).	*Ibid*, p. 175.
	Henry Guy to the Auditor of the Receipt to advance 200*l.* to me [Guy] for secret service; out of the fines of leases now in the Exchequer. The regular warrants for issue hereof shall be sent as soon as passed.	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 97.
	Same to same to issue out of Recusants' money in the Exchequer 750*l.* to me [Guy] for secret service and 500*l.* to Mr. Burton.	*Ibid.*
	Treasurer Rochester to Mr. White. I have agreed with Sir Eliab Harvey and Mr. William Harvey about ploughing the paddocks [in the New Park, Richmond]. They are to have the paddocks to their own use and the sole management thereof.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 185.
	Henry Guy to the Customs Commissioners to report on (*a*) *infra.* *Appending:* (*a*) a paper of Mr. John Hyde's concerning French, German and Scotch linens etc.	*Ibid.*

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1685. Nov. 12.	Henry Guy to the Customs Cashier to pay what is now due or hereafter shall grow due quarterly on the salaries, *supra* p. 413, of Charles Osborne, Surveyor General of Customs; Richard Kent as Customs Cashier; Gyles Lytcott as Comptroller of the accounts of the Customs; John Earle as Register of Seizures; Benjamin Skinner as a patent waiter; Edward Randolph as collector etc. in New England.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, pp. 185, 197.
	Same to Richd. Cooling to certify whether the 1,000 ounces of plate ordered to be delivered to the Lord Chamberlain are intended for his table "or upon what other pretension they are to be received."	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Customs Commissioners to visit Sir William Soames's baggage at his house in Bury Street in order to their transportation to Constantinople whither he is going ambassador.	*Ibid*, p. 186.
	Same to the Attorney General to forthwith draw the conveyance of the Duchess of Cleveland's annuity out of the Post Office as the King has directed, viz. that after her death half thereof may go to the Duke of Grafton and his heirs male with remainder to the other and his heirs male and if both die without heirs male then to return to the Crown.	*Ibid.*
	Same to same to forthwith give warrant for commissions under the great seal to the following for finding out and seizing the forfeited lands, goods etc. of the several persons named in the book herewith sent who have been attainted of high treason at the respective times of their said treasons or at any time since: to be returnable by the last day of Trinity term next: said Commissioners being for co. Southampton, Lawrence Swanton and seven others named; for co. Wilts, said Swanton and nine others named; for co. Dorset, Hugh Hodges and eight others named; for co. Somerset, Hugh Hodges and 13 others named; for co. Devon said Swanton and 10 others named.	*Ibid*, pp. 186–197.
	Appending: [the abovesaid book containing] an account of the proceedings against the rebels and other prisoners in the several counties of Southampton, Wilts, Dorset, Devon and Somerset by virtue of the special commission of Oyer and Terminer and General Gaol Delivery directed to George, Lord Jeffryes, Lord Chief Justice of England, William Montagu, Lord Chief Baron of the Exchequer, Sir Creswell Levinz, a Justice of Common Pleas, Sir Francis Withens, a Justice of the King's Bench, and Sir Robert Wright, a Baron of the Exchequer, dated 1685, July 8.	
	co. Southampton. Alice Lisle, widow, of Ellingham, indicted for harbouring John Hicks, a rebel, and tried found guilty and executed.	
	co. Wilts. for high treason: none indicted. Convicted for speaking seditious words, severally fined and whipped: Richard White, William Ingram, Ste. Moore, John Palmer, Morice Morgan, Benja. Buckler.	
	co. Dorset. Prisoners executed for high treason: Samuel Hilliard, Nath. Bragg, Ben. Gray, Tho. Smith,	

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1685.	Hen. Ford, John Game, Joseph Speed, Geo. Seaward, John Foane *alias* Fawne, Phi. Levermore, Robt. Pinney, John Wills, Tho. Welch, Abra. Holmes, Josi Ascue, Will. Howling, Leo Jackson, John Hayes, John Kidd, John Marders, Samp. Lark, Chris. Battescombe, Sam. Glisson, Hen. Watts, Robt. Bull, John Bull, Ben. Sandford, John Lee, Will. Quintin, Tho. Clap, Tho. Cook, Geo. Collier, John Beaumount, senr., Thom. Fort, John Bevis, Tristram Elliot, Robt. Slade, Will. Laneaster, John Burridge, John Hartley, George Smith, George Willmott, John Robbins, Edward Leggatt, Roger Satehell, William Hart, John Leggatt, Fra. Skinner, Will. Alston, Geo. Puekeridge, Ben. Temple, Tho. Tyler, Robt. Machell, Hen. Roe, John Lawrence, Mich. Abbott, Rich. Hall, John Savage, Robt. Whorwood, Will. Dilling, Andr. Tozer, Will. Hardiman, Tho. Jenkins, Rob. Salter, Sam. Waldron, John Pulling, Andr. Ellis *alias* Cossens, Josi Restorick, Will. Martin, Nicho. Hoare, Sam. Robbins, Will. Cox, senr., John Holloway, Adam Hawley.	
	co. Dorset. Prisoners convieted at Dorchester for high treason to be delivered to Sir William Booth to be transported: Edw. Luther, Robt. Lumbard, John Spearing, John White, John Budle, Eman Collins, James Salter, John Pryor, John Browne, Will. Williams, Rich. Allens, Jas. Diamond, John Marks, John Pinney, Edw. Adams, Jam. Fowler, John Downe, Will. Wadford, Math. Porter, Jam. Pomeroy, Tho. Parsons, Roger Hobbs, Will. Loveridg, Will. Tucker, Robt. Burridge, Tho. Marshall, John Pitts, Tho. Gregory, John Mitchell, Char. Strong, John Adams, John White, Ben. Crow, Rich. Keech, Robt. Spurway, Robt. Shale, Nicho. Palmer, John Gay, Ambr. Ashford, Will. Browne, John Allambridge, Rich. Paul, Step. Gamage, John Allen, John Madders, Will. Fead, Arthur Lush, Fran. Langbridge, Tho. Bennett, Geo. Plumley, John Edwards, Tho. Hore, Tho. Williams, Joseph Hallet, Roger French, Sam. Laurence, Tho. Cornelius, Jo. Paul (Payl), Andr. Rapson, Robt. Hellyer, Tho. Hallett, Will. Saunders, John Hutchins, John Fisher, Tho. Allen, John Hardiman, Peter Row, Math. Hutchins, Nath. Webber, Nicho. Warren, John Hutehins, Hum. Melton, Hugh Willmott, Will. Cossens, John Long, John Alston, Jam. Spenee, Tho. Bovett, John Manning, John Reason, Bernard Bryant, John Minifie, repr[ieve]d, John Loveridge, Eli. Stephens, Nicho. Smith, Edw. Morton, Will. Wills, Will. Clark, Edw. Wilmott, John Johnson, Tho. Townsend, Will. Bennet, repr[ieve]d, George Maey [? Maey], John Wilson, John Truren.	
	co Dorset. Prisoners to be transported: to be delivered to Jerome Nipho: John Modgridge, Will. Marthers, Chri. Jewell, Geo. Ebdon, Tho. Forcey, Ch. Broughton, John Heathfeild, Hen. Symes, Azariah Pinney, John Eastment, Oliver Hobbs, Rich. Hoare, Thomas Quick, John Facy, Abra. Thomas, Sam. Dolbeare, Will. Giles,	

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1685.	Rich. Parker, Edw. Venn, Will. Deane, John Bovett, John Vincent, Phil. Cox, Robt. Fawne, Nicho. Salter, Will. Greenoway, John Baker, Ben. Whicket, Jos. Gage, John Heyne, Rich. Pyne, Will. Heynes, Rob. Sandy, Allen England, Peter Ticken, Dan. Parker, Frances Smith, Rich. Daniell, Sam. Pinson, John Whicker, Robt. Mullens, John Connett, Tho. Pester, Tho. Francklyn, Tho. Dolling, Rob. Vater, Will. Clarke, Peter Bagwell, Richard Greene, Peter Kent, Robert Clark, John Hitchcock, Roger Briant *alias* Hooper, Bernar Lowman, John Sam, Will. Gappy [Guppy], Edw. March, John Prew, Wal. Osborne, repr[ieve]d, Bar. Barge.	
	co. Dorset. Prisoners to be delivered to Sir Chr. Musgrave for transportation: Tho. England, Will. Lush, Will. Selwood, John Bagwell, Fran. Puckett, John Sturrick, Thom. Shinler, rep[rieve]d, Will. Cambden, Sam Paul, Math. Elliot, John Lock, Robt. White, John James *alias* Jeanes, John Gardner, John Woodward, John Sprake.	
	co. Dorset. Prisoners who had certificates allowed pursuant to his Majesty's gracious proclamation: Rich. Dammer, John Burridg, Rich. Burrage, Will. White, John Butcher, junr., Will. Knight, Jam Pitts, Sam Cossens, Seth. Gough, Ja. Baker, Nicho. Hellyer, Nicho. Bartlett, Phi. Andrews, Sam Stoodley, Will. Hardy, John Butcher, senr., John Bowditch, Geo. Rickman, Tho. Calway, Dan Butter, John Perkins, Will. Rooper, Adam Clark, John Rooper, Robt. Halston, Rich. Stone, David Gardiner.	
	co. Dorset. Prisoners humbly proposed for his Majesty's gracious pardon: Tho. Gammidge, John Beaumount, junr., Amos Lacy, Hen. Beasly, John Winifie, Step. Cooke, John Glover, Robt. Dale, Tho. Moore, Will. Grove, Nath. Swasfeild, John Trottell, Edw. Towells, Tho. Greeneway, junr., Jos. Bowditch, Reginald Clottworthy, Jose Phelps, Edw. Lane, John Hippesly, John Wellman, Abell Pinnell, Zacha Drower, Andr. Billing, Hum Phelps, Geo. Stuckey, Tho. Coakney, Tho. Berry.	
	co. Dorset. Prisoners remaining in custody: Edw. Wale, Bartho. Barge, Tho. Lawrence, Will. Cox, junr., Rich. Cox, Will. Hawkins. Prisoners convicted for speaking scandalous words and for other misdemeanours fined and had corporal punishment: Richard Holleday for conducting Lord Grey from Gillingham to Ringwood after the fight at Weston: to be whipped twice, fined a mark and to find sureties for his good behaviour for a year. Hugh Greene for publishing Monmouth's declaration, fined 1,000*l.* and committed till paid and to find sureties for good behaviour during life. Will. Wiseman for publishing a seditious libel: to be whipped at Dorchester and every market town in the county. John Jervis, Will. Holman,	

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1685.	Hen. Allen, Tho. Pitts, John Dober, Rich. Moores, for speaking seditious words severally fined and whipped. *co. Dorset.* Prisoners discharged for want of evidence: Gabr. Wise, Geo. Turner, Will. Bennett, Robt. Boulstone, Tho. Loveridge, Nicho. Clottworthy, Rich. Strong, Edw. Staple, John Mitchell, Fran. Grenefeild, John Mitchell, Hugh Critchell, James Carter, Will. Burt. *co. Dorset.* Prisoners continued in gaol not indicted: Will. Jenkins, Leonell Whifen, Rich. Platt, John Davy, Will. Plat, John Hart, Robt. Orchard, Will. Davys, Tho. Parbery. *co. Devon.* Prisoners executed at Exeter for high treason: John Foweracres, John Knowles, John Sprake, Tho. Hobbs, Will. Parsons, Will. Clegg, John Oliver, Thomas Quintin, John Ross, Hen. Knight, Tho. Broughton, Finis Dunkin, repr[ieve]d, Sam. Potts, John Goslin reprieved. *co. Devon.* Prisoners to be transported for high treason for whom a warrant is delivered to Jerome Nipho. Abr. Hunt, John Kemplin, Chris. Cooper, Walter Teape, repr[ieve]d, Edw. Bovett, John Follett, Peter Bird. Edw. Merrick in Wells gaol to be transported in the place of Walter Teape. *co. Devon.* Prisoners convicted remaining in custody: Robt. Drower, Will. Siller, junr., Elias Holman, Tho. Connett, reprieved. Humbly proposed for his Majesty's gracious pardon: James Cox. *co. Devon.* Prisoners fined at Exeter for speaking seditious words: Lewis James, Will. Andridg, Sam Staple, Will. Fisher, Will. Hadder, Steph. Burrough, Will. Curtis, Hen. Abbott, John Holmes, Hum. Bidgood, reprieved. Robt. Crane, Giles Gardiner, John Smalbridge. *co. Somerset.* Prisoners to be executed for high treason who were convicted at Taunton: Sim. Hamlyn, Hugh Ashley, Pearce Morren, Rich. Bovett, John Bushell, David Langwell, John Stephens, Nicho. Collins, senr., Barnab Divericks, Tho. Hurford, Jona England, John Pattrum, Jos. Kellaway, Andr. Rownsell, Robt. Fawne, Jam. Whetham, Will. Satchell, John Jeanes, George Gillard, Franc. Bartlett, James Maxwell, Isaiah Davis, Sam Garnish, repr[ieve]d, Nicho. Stodgell, Will. Davy, Sim. Cross, Will. Wellen, Edw. Halswell, Will. Cooper, John Herring, Chris. Stephens, John Hucher, Tho. Blackmore, Osmond Barrett, Rich. Culverwell, John Fort, Fran. Preist, John Savage, Oliv. Powell, Will. Watkins, Ben. Hewling, John Phildrey, Weston Hillary, Will. Ruscombe, Hum. Peirce,	

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1685.	Will. Sully, John Lockston, John Treckey, Rich. Ingram, Will. Williams, Will. Mogridge, Hen. Luckwell, Hen. Eastbrook, Steph. Newman, John Parsons, John Evans, Will. Gatchill, Will. Gillett, Geo. Condick, Nicho. Adams, Will. Lashley, Math. Cross, Rob. Townsend, Joseph Bellamy, reprieved, Barnard Thatcher, Will. Davison, Char. Chappell, John Spore, Will. Jenkins, Robt. Perrat, John Burgen, Cornel Harford, Robt. Read, John Basely, Arth. Williams, Sim. Hawkins, John Trott, John Jervis, John Hurman, Hum. Hitchcock, James Every, Robt. Luckis, John Glover *alias* Tucker, Howell Thomas, John Dryer, Thom. Lissant, Robt. Allen, Rich. Stephens, John Walrond, Edmd. Burford, Hum. Mitchell, Fran. Foxwell, Will. Johnson, John Williams, Rich. Bowdon, Roger Burnell, Hen. Lyle, Abra. Annesly, Phi. Bovett, John Parsons, John Sellwood, John Lloyd, Robt. Jones *alias* Evans, Robt. Hyne, Rog. Guppy, Rich. Sweet, Hugh Rooper, reprieved, Will. Godfrey, James Dumett, Will. Rock, Tho. Trock, Geo. Badd, James Gale, John Sharp, John Fricker, Robert Halfewell, John Masters, John Mortimore, Merrick Thomas, Geo. Pitcher, Tho. England, Edmd. Gillard, Rog. Prance, Will. Pether, John Winter, Arth. Mathews, Peter Warren, Tho. Davys, Robt. Combe, Hen. Thompson, Hugh Stark, Archibald Johnson, John Knight, Rich. Ash, Rich. Harris, Abra. Pill, Edw. Warren, Tho. Bernard, Lewis Harris, Hen. Lawrence, reprieved, Hen. Edney, Will. Pocock, Robt. Hill.	
	co. Somerset.	
	Prisoners to be delivered to Sir Christo. Musgrave for transportation: Will. Edwards, Robt. S. Hocsmith, Will. Hayes, Edw. Lugg, Hen. Hooper, Will. Goodland, Hugh Gill, Will. Bayly, Robt. Bradbeard, Sam. Saxbec, Will. Tapscott, John Grace, John Buttfeild, Wal. Philips, Jam. Gallop, James Combs, John Kinimore, Josi Hart, John Furber, Elisha Davyes, Alex. Townesend, James Glanvill, Rich. Masters, Joseph Lacey, John Fowler, senr., Ben. Spark, James Soper, Sam. Tottle, Rich. Drake, Will Bull, John Hooper, Jacob King, Wal. Blew, John Lyde, Rich. Lang, John Hensley, Hen. Wentmore, John Gibbs, Nath. Musgrave, John Fowler, junr., Bartho. Davy, Tho. Howell, Edw. Eves, Math. Pottle, Andr. Nabrick, John Smith, John Pope, John Gardner, Tho. Cutler, Tho. Bray, Sam. Hensley, Tho. Cross, Will. Spreat, Tho. Curtis, Rich. Perkins, Robt. Brookes, Peter Shorland, Tho. Debnam, Geo. Robertson, Geo. Smith, Bernard Periam, Thomas Whittye, Robert Barge, Will. Hooper, Tho. Adams, Isaac Kingston, John Hoare, Will. Craft, Will. Page, Hum. Slade, Will. Norman, Geo. Lee, Tho. Hendy, Job. Metyard, Tho. Markes, Will. Row, Tobi Drier, John Hacker, junr., Robt. Mead, Will Venting, Andr. Boyte, Hum. Saunders, Giles Crane, Hen. Hamett.	
	Prisoners to be delivered to the Queen's order for transportation: Dan. Rutter, Edw. Kent, Tho. Gould, Rich. King, John Rogers, Hen. Chambers, John Robins, Rob. Earle,	

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1685.	Geo. Trubbs, Sil. Poole, Enoch Gould, John Morse, John Andrews, Jonas Browne, Tho. Pitt, John Miller, John Marwood, Randall Babington, Tho. Pomfrett, Hum. Justin, Jeremi Poole, Char. Bennett, John Harley, Eman. Marchant, Ber. Loveridge, Tho. Rowsewell, Luke Porter, John Mogridg, Silves. Lyde, Tho. Moore, John Bennett, Will. Scurrier, Sam. Sweeting, John Cross, Robt. Richards, Geo. Snow, John Timothy, John Knight, James Patten, Isaac Dyer, John Baker, John Parsons, Will. Pits, Will. Merchant, Percivall Nowis, John Crane, Tho. Preist, Hen. Randall, Math. Cooke, Lau. Preist, John Baker, John England, Geo. Rowsall, Christ. Knight, Chris. Rowe, Sam. Collins, Thom. Austin, Job. Hunt, Tho. Bambury, Rich. Symons, Robt. Pearce, John Gibbs, James Webb, John Slade, Will. Saunders, Char. Burridge, Corne Radford, James Maynard, Will. Phelps, Will. Gould, Sam. Mountstephen, Jacob Powell, Ed. Bellamy, Tho. Mead, Math. Craft, junr., John Cockram, Moses Osborn, Will. Woodcock, James Clift, Leonard Staple, John Bryer, Nicho. Collins, junr., Sam. Bond, Will. Veriyard, Will. Leigh, Phill. Cheeke, John Culverwell, Elias Lockbeare, Hen. Preist, Step. Jeoffryes, John Godsall, Will. Cross, John Neads, Rich. Peircy, Chris. Hoblyn, Walter Hacker, John Adams, John Chamberlyn.	
	co. Somerset. Prisoners at Taunton convicted of high treason, to be transported by Sir Will. Booth. : Rich. Stephens, Robt. Paul, Will. Barnard, John Barges, Morris Furse *alias* Voss, Hen. Quant, James Holman, John Chappell, Jeremi Atkins, Rich. Edgar, Rob. Mitchell, Tho. Matthews, John Farmer, Hum. Trump, Will. Burroughs, John Bray, Robt. Easton, Sam. Boone, Cha. Lucas, John Gale, Hen. Meyor, Rich. Bickham, John Warren, Will. Daw, Ambr. Winter, John Walter, John Edwards, Geo. Gray, Barth. Randall, John Brissett, Hen. Gibbons, Geo. Warren, Will. Parker, Lau. Hussey, Tho. Brock, Geo. Mihill, John Bartlett, John Roger, Rich. Allen, John Busson, Hum. Pope, Rob. Lease, Rob. Seaman, Geo. Mullens, Will. Drew, John Stoodley, Will. Heyn, John Poole, Geo. Nowell, Osmd. Read, Tho. Middleton, Edw. Lyde, Dan Pomeroy, Tho. Dennis, John Avoako, Sim. Poole, Mich. Powell, John Budge, Robt. Coward, Will. Mead, Justinian Guppy, Robt. Teape, John Cloade, Edw. Vildey, Will. Tiverton, John Wall, John Kirle, Will. Harvey, John Cautlebury, Geo. Keell, Will. Combe, Timo. Hawker, Jonas Cross, Joseph Vinicott, Rich. Wadham, Tho. Gulhampton, Will. Hale, Will. Woolridge, Edw. Counsell, James Baker, Will. Smith, John Bragg, John Seamore, Steph. Rodway, Geo. Carrow, Will. Phippen, Will. Smith, Jos. Wickham, Tho. Gammidge, Jos. Newberry, reprieved, Will. Hutchins, John Leaker, Fran. Cane, Abr. Pollard, John Chilcott, John Smith, John Harris, Will. Walker, John Smith, John Mitchell.	
	co. Somerset : Taunton. Prisoners who had certificates pursuant to his Majesty's proclamation which were allowed	

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1685.	to be pardoned : Raymond Quire, John Browne, Tho. Sminey, John Hagley, Joseph Quire, John Irish, Jose Irish, Osmd. Burbidg, Rieh. Irish, junr., Robt. Dunn, Fran. Deane, Rieh. Cornelius, Joseph Sminney, Geo. Lumbard, Sam. Newberry, John Sminney, junr., Rieh. Gill, Tho. Lumbard, James Norman, John Priekman.	
	co. Somerset : Taunton. Prisoners humbly proposed to his Majesty for his graeious pardon : Robt. Fullford, Ben. Nott, Will. Saunders, Will. Moggeridge, Tho. Bartlett, Will. Farmer, Hen. Reeves, Hen. Hodges, John Duteh, John Gray, Will. Colebarn, Tho. Worrall, Fra. Jervis, John Keele, Will. Reeves, Dan. Noreortt, Will. Court, Tho. Crew, Robt. Dyer, Tho. Reeves, Abra. Hull, Tho. Gooding, Rieh. Reynolds.	
	co. Somerset : Taunton. Prisoners in gaol omitted in the warrant for exeeution, although designed to be exeeuted : Jose Cooper, Edw. Way, John Paeey, John Bates, John Chappell, Will. Sherborne, Sam Dare, John Rossiter, Hen. Webb, Geo. Miller, Gideon Dare, Tho. Redwood, James Smith, John Satehell, Alegen Leversedge.	
	co. Somerset : Taunton. Prisoners remaining in gaol till further order : Geo. Wells, Sam Adams, Step. Hollman, Rieh. Edghill, Dan Hallett, Will. Searle, Tho. Cornish, Sam Harvey, John Turle, James Herring, Fran. Gardner, Tho. Parsons, John Bisse, Will. Reeves, Rob. Clarke, James Turle, John Gilling, Robt. Jenkins, Lavis Hagley, Roger Casswell, John Meade, John Ham, John Northam, Moses Wagstaff, Tobi Haeker, Will. Martin, Will. Baker, James Indoe, Tho. Bayley, Robt. Hampton, Tho. Clark, James Edmonds, Hum. Gillard. Prisoners bailed at Taunton : Rieh. Tirrell, Will. Whaites.	
	co. Somerset : Wells. Prisoners to be exeeuted for high treason : Walter Baker, John Carter, John Hellyer, John Riehards, Tho. Warr, Hugh Goodenough, Tho. Paul, Hen. Bedy, Robt. Cook, Edw. Keare, John Staple, Phi. Usher, John Humphryes, John Searr, Jerrard Bryant, Edw. Cruse, Hen. Partridge, John Smith, Rieh. Evans, Geo. Hussey, Lau. Lott, Tho. Collins, John Caswell, Geo. Petter, Fran. Smith, John Tineknell, Robt. Man, Tho. Lott, Tho. Clotworthy, Tho. Heyward, Tho. Peirse, Sam. Oil *alias* Vile, Robt. Beaumont, Will. Mangell, James Feild, senr., Hum. Peadon, Will. Holland, John Holdsworth, Arthur Sallaway, Preston Bevis, John Gilham, junr., Sam Cox, John Broome, reprieved, Tho. Burrell, Rieh. Peiree, Trustram Clarke, Rieh. Bole, Hugh Holland, John Ashwood, reprieved, Geo. Adams, Rieh. Finnier, Giles Bramble, Char. Speake, Will. Somerton, Tho. Hillary, Israel Bryant, Tho. Coade, Robt. Franeis, Tho. Bowden, Tho. Smith, Hen. Russell, Roger Cornelius, Alex. Key, Will. Plumley, reprieved, Tho. Duston, John Gill,	

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1685.	Roger Hoare, reprieved, Robt. Doleman, John Howell, Rich. Chinn, John Dorchester, reprieved, Geo. Knight, Hum. Edmonds, Will. Mead Glover [? glover], Jacob Trip, John Sheppard, John Hicks, Phil. Cambridg, Robt. Thatcher, Rich. Harvey, Will. Cruise, John Combo, Robt. Wine, Rich. Peirce, David Boyce, James Pye, Abra. Bond, Tho. Munday, Will. Duston, John Tucker, Geo. Pavier, John Greaves, Will. Cheeke *alias* Chick, Jose Smith, Josuah French, Will Mead, Edw. Tippett, John Butcher, Will. Clement.	
	co. Somerset : Wells. Prisoners to be transported and delivered to Sir William Stapleton : Richard Allwood, Char. Baker, Fran. Bagwell, John Classey, John Collins, Robt. Clark, Will. Coles, Simon Dyer, John Denning, James Elford, Sam. Farmer, John Fowler, Tho. Gamlin, John Holmes, Hum. Hodg, John Hull, Geo. Halfeyard, Jose Jermin, Sam Knight, John Lock, Hen. Quick, Jacob Adams, Tho. Brigwood, John Browne, John Classey, John Colesman, Ben Cable, Tho. Churchhouse, Tho. Daniell, Phi. England, Cornel Elliott, Arthur Ford, Will. Fearc, Nehemi Gosse, John Henson, Robt. Hannam, Moses Higwell, Josias Howard, John Jones, Phi. Keeping, John Laurence, Sam Farmer, Sam Blackmore, John Bright, John Bartlett, John Combe, Hen. Collins, Rich. Chaplyn, Peter Drayton, Rich. Denham, Will. England, John Ervin, Walter Freston, Fran. Gamling, Will. Guppy, Tho. Hooper, Rich. Howells, Tho. Humphryes, James Harman, Rich. Jacob, Will. Key, Will. Lock, Arthur Ford, John Browne, Will. Bush, James Bickley, Sam. Clark, John Cox, Jose Cowes, James Dew, Rich. Dyer, Rich. Easton, Tho. Ferris, Rich. Foweracres, Jose Gale, Edw. Goodman, Tho. Herring, Edw. Harris, Fra. Hales, Tho. Hill, Charles Jones, John Lewis, John Langford, James Broughton, Tho. Browne, Robt. Court, John Clark, Nicho. Comings, John Coleburne, Will. Dew, Fran. Dunning, Rich. Edghill, Edw. Ford, John Fowler, James Jerman, Peter Goodgroom, Tho. Hutchins, Andr. Howard, Will. Higdon, Will. Jackson, Will. Johnson, John Larkham, Paul Morse.	
	co. Somerset : Wells. Prisoners delivered to Sir Will. Howard for transportation : Gabriel Smart, Nicho. Kelford, Nath. Dennick, Robt. Millard, John Hussey, Robt. Norton, Giles Whittle, John Holloway, Tho. Salsbury, Hen. Cooke, John Butcher, Hum. Davyes, Rob. Stuckey, Andr. Staley, Edmd. Hurd, John Hart, James Hurd, Isaas Pryor, Chris. Candy, Hen. Symms, Pasche Stuckey, John Reynolds, Tho. Hurd, John Laurence, John Feild, Will. Eyres, John Bennett, Jona Drew, James Feild, junr., Arth. Everard, Tho. Laurence, James Aymes, John Weech, James Payne, Tho. Orchard, John Jones, Israel Balstor, Robt. Reeves, Geo. Hallett, Sam Elworthy, Will. Staunton, Thomas Andersey, reprieved, and Rich. Hoare, reprieved. (Instead of the said Andersey and Hoare	

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1685.	Sir William Howard is to have out of Exotor gaol Robt. Drower or Drowen and Elias Halman or Hollman.) James Healo, Josuah Sulley, Hen. Snooke, James Moore, Adam Smith, Roger Cole, Will. Prowso, James Best, Edw. Vagg, James Sheppard, James Baker, reprieved, James Smith, reprieved (in place of said Baker and Smith, Sir Will. Howard is to have out of Taunton gaol John Rossiter and Allegen or Allegin Leversedge), Robt. Beaton, Ambr. Vineing, Geo. Harding, Hen. Mills, Robt. Beale, Edw. Vile, Chris. Masters, Robt. Best, Robt. Clarke, James Ellford, Sim. Chinn, John Portmell, Peter Durden, Will. Chynn, James Wake, Chris. Gray, Phi. Lacey, Will. Lane, John Stower, Jose Robins, John Harwood, James Bullman, Jose Hawker, Nicho. Davidge, John Atwood, John Woodrow, Will. Best, John Crowder, Tho. Laver, Tho. Pittard, Roger Charming, Tho. Mills, Tho. Snoake, John Haiming, Will. Lacy, Anth. Woodrow, Edw. Willmott, Tho. Rodbeard, John Baker, Timo. Tollman, Tho. Charming, Char. Pople, John Morley, Will. Merrick, Natha. Weale, John Pope, Geo. Russell, Argertine Rust, Will. Sherry, John Saunders, Rich. Spiller, Rich. Tapper, Robt. Wilkins, Jose Warren, John Watts, Edw. Kempe, Will. Greeneland, Robt. Jenning, Rich. Miller, Fran. Carter, Nich. Gill, Robt. Heyward, John Webb, Hum. Maundry, Edw. Mitchell, Bald Parker, Fran. Plomer, Chris. Richards, Robt. Smith, John Simon, Jona Sutton, Rich. Sellwood, Rich. Turner, Rich. Wilcox, Tho. Walter, Steph. Walsh, Hugh Banton, Tho. Godson, Rich. Lyne, Tho. Norton, John Fathers, John Hurle, John Helps, Geo. Allen, James Moody, John Muttlebury, Will. Preist, James Parker, Hen. Rooks, Robt. Slye, Fran. Savage, James Smith, Rich. Syms, John Tilley, John Williams, senr., Will. Warren, Rich. Young, Will. Clotworthy, Rich. Hooper, Will. Lyneing, James Norvill, John Laver, John Lease *alias* Gamlin, John Peircey, John Palmor, Tho. Mitchell, Jose Mullens, Andr. Palmer, James Peirce, Will. Read, Will Sheppard, Will. Selfe, John Say, John Skiff, Lewis Tricks, John Williams, junr., Rich. West. Math. Woodland, Tho. Carden, Hen. Hunt, John Lush, John Stone, Shadreck Morley, Sam. Denham. Rich. Willmott, Robt. Burridge, Ralph Middleton, Roger Mortimore, Silus Philipps, John Palmer, Alex. Robinson, Will. Smith, Geo. Searle, Jonas Say, Tho. Tuckey, Peter Wellis, John Worrall, Robt. Willis, Tho. Waggott, Edw. Gilbert, Will Harris, Char. Mason, Hen. Roper, Math. Pryor, John Oram, Tho. Speed.	
	co. Somerset : Wells.	
	Prisoners delivered, for transportation, to Jerom Nipho : John Joliff, Peter Cordelion, John Collins, John Mead, reprieved, Law. Caswell, John Hooper, John Foot, Robt. Peirce, Will. Biggs, Nath. Standerwick, John Brice, Tho. Chynn, reprieved, John Cooke, John Reeves, John Dodds, Will. Puttman, Rich. Dyke, Andr. Holcombe, Sam Weaver, John Johnson, John Gill, junr., Hen. Pittman, John Cooke, John Denham, reprieved, John Hooper, Robt. Batt,	

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1685.	John Wills, Nath. Beaton, John Hareombe, Abra. Godden, Tho. Venner, John Gould, Rich. Nash *alias* Lissant. Instead of said Denham, Mead and Chinn reprieved Tho. Body, Jane Price and Sam Davison are to be transported. *co. Somerset : Wells.* Prisoners delivered to Capt. John Price for transportation : Edw. Rawbane, Moses Moore, Tho. Viles, John Wythyman, junr., James Bramble, John Key, Tho. Saunders, Will. Broadboare, John Rotherton, Tho. Nashion, Sam Ruddle, David Thomas, Joso Witherell, Geo. Butcher, Phi. Smith, Will. Chilcott, Edwd. Chedsey, John Arnold, Rich. Wiseman, John Parsons, Will. Powell, Will. Sweet, Edw. Abbott, John Westlake, Tho. Vile, John Hill, Tho. Eglin, Robt. Mudford *alias* Hunford, Will. Prowse, Josiah Gillham, Math. Goodman, Will. Redbeard Tho. Doleman, Tho. Trott, Rich. Snooke, John Bishop, Robt. Sweet, junr., John Partridge, Ben. Traske, John Dunnett, Robt. Carter, Will. Collier, Tho. Lockyer, John Sprake, Edw. Hody, John Bramble, Hen. Noone, John Quick, Edw. Halsey, John Parsons. *co. Somerset : Wells.* Prisoners who had certificates allowed pursuant to his Majesty's graeious proclamation : John Willey, Will. Gauler, Will. Buekler, Robt. Fisher, John Pitt, John Denham. *co. Somerset : Wells.* Prisoners humbly proposed for his Majesty's gracious pardon : Steph. Benehfeild, Rob. Harris, John Woollmington, John Dorehester, junr., Rich. Napper, John Blanchflower, Simon Hussey, Will. Hellier, Hen. Grange, James Pitts, junr., Rich. Beadon, John Moore, John Patten, Robt. Upcott, John Broek, Christo. Bray, Tho. Napper, John Bishopp, John Crocker, Christo. Wornell, John Cotterell, James Standard, Will. Ashford, junr., John Comer, Hen. Norton, Edw. Day. *co. Somerset : Wells.* Prisoners designed for exeeution yet omitted in the warrant for exeeution ; John Bird, Edw. Merrick, Will. Oastler, senr., James Prieo, Tho. Body. *co. Somerset : Wells.* Prisoners remaining in eustody : Edw. Hamond *alias* Hamwood, Geo. Biss, John Willey, Sam Davison, Rieh. Adams, Will. Aplin, James Norman, Robt. Aeastle, Rob. Daw, Will. Russell. Prisoners remaining in custody for want of evidenee : Will. Phippett, James Russell, Rieh. Cray, Will. Eades, Tho. Bishopp, Alex. Pinney, Rich. Millward. Prisoners eonviet for misdemeanours, fined and imprisoned and who had corporal punishmonts : James Oasyn, Wil. Williams, John Austey, Sam Viney, Leonard Goss. Hen. Satehell for the like fined 100*l.* ; severally fined 13*s.* 4*d.* for speaking treasonable words : ordered to be whipped at five several market towns.	

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1685.	Witnesses for the King left in custody: Will. Wiltshire, Tho. Dare, Jose Strong, David Tole, Simon Long, Sam Story, John Keeping, John Jones, John Smith, Rich. Rossiter, Tho. Sexton, *alias* Randall Furnivall, Will. Williams, Will. Bussey, Rich. Tanner.	
	co. Somerset: Wells. Prisoners bound each for other for their appearance at the next assizes and for good behaviour in 100*l.* each.: Will. Oakey, Hen. Woodford, Steph. Hellyor, Tom Farr, Will. Hayward, Will. Tarr, John Thompson, James Rowsell, John Moore, John Pucker, Rowland Oakley, Thom. Ashford, Fran. Jennings, John Mitchell, John Bowring, John Spender, Will. Combe, Jedediah Hurd, Rich. Steer, John Mead, Sam. Pack, John Doeling, Nath. Lockyer, Andr. Ousley, Sam Sheppard, Tho. Lockyer, John Rogers, James Norvile, Ralph Smith, James Westcott, Hen. Turner, Will. Shinler, John Patten, Hen. Bedler, Arth. Lowdan, Rob. Seagard, James Cole, John Taylor, Arth. Jeoffryes, Robt. Wansey, John Yorke, Will. Oastler, Will. Saunders, Will. Pryor, Chris. Osmond, Lance Cox, Rich. Smithier, Sam Dwelley, Edw. Craydon, John Sheire, Robt. Game, Geo. Smith, Tho. Wilkins, John Blackley, Robt. Portlock, Antho. Manning, John Norman, John Watts, Will. White, Rich. Cornelius, John Meldrome, Jose Simpkins, Thom. Satchell, Hen. Satchell, Rich. Skinner, Tho. Forster, Tho. Olvard, Nicho. Forward, John Patten, Fran. Hellyer, John Shinler, James Thomas, Rich. Walters, Geo. Parsons, Tho. Buckerell, Sam Prowse, John Lyde, Will. Cozens, Sam Trent, Walter Fidoe, Will. Dymock, John Townsend, James Pownell, Tho. Gilling, Rich. Badge, Roger Baker, Robt. Raw, Will. Channing, Jeoffry Castland, Will. Cannady, Will. Old, Will. Griffin, John Marks, Peter White, John Rowsell, Will. Lush, Tho. Jollife, Steph. Thompson, Will. Walters, Tho. Ellis, Robt. Sands, Nicho. Gundy, Will. Raymond, Fran. Male, David Cole, John Brewer, Tho. Davis, Phi. Brown, Math. Tucker, Andr. Tapper, Peter Brewer, Edw. Bishopp, Tho. Carpenter, Tho. Taylor, Fran. Phippen, Will. Cole, Will. Bragg, Edw. Baker, James Pitts, Tho. Browne, John Hewlett, Rich. Tanner, Hen. Bucle, Jeoffry Phippett, John Andrews, Will. Hewlett, Rich. Gibbs, Geo. Raymond.	
	Prisoners in the gaols of Dorset, Devon and Somerset humbly proposed to his Majesty for his gracious pardon.	
	co. Dorset. Tho. Gamadge, John Minifre, Nath. Swasfeild, John Glover, Geo. Stuckey, Edw. Lane, Tho. Moore, Hum. Phelps, Jose Bowditch, Walter Osborn, Tho. Shinler, Reginald Clotworthy, John Trottle, Amos Lacy, Andr. Billing, Tho. Greeneway, Tho. Berry, John Wellman, Tho. Lawrence, Mallachy Mallack, Abell Pinnell, Jose Phelps, Robt. Dale, Tho. Cooknay, John Skinner, John Minifie, Will. Bennett, Steph. Cooke, John Beaumont, junr., Zacha Drower,	

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1685.	Edw. Towells, Hen. Beasley, John Hippesly, Will Grove, *co. Devon.* James Cox, Walter Teape and Hum. Bidgood for words: Tho. Connitt, Will. Siller, junr., Timo. Dunkin. *co. Somerset: Taunton.* Robt. Fulford, Ben. Nott, Will. Saunders, Will. Moggridge, Tho. Bartlett, Will. Farmer, Hen. Reeves, Hen. Hodges, John Dutch, John Gray, Will. Coleburn, Tho. Worrall, Fran. Jervis, John Keell, Will. Reves, Dan. Norcott, Will. Court, Tho. Craw, Robt. Dyer, Tho. Reeves, Abra. Hull, Tho. Goodin, Rich. Reynolds. *co. Somerset: Wells.* Steph. Benehfeild, Edw. Day, James Standard, Will. Ashford, junr., John Comer, Hen. Norton, John Satchell, John Bird (? Bard), Rich. Hoare, John Ashwood, Geo. Biss, Geo. Blanchflower, Robt. Harris, John Woolmington, John Dorchester, junr., Rich. Napper, John Gilling, John Northam, Robt. Jenkins, James Smith, John Brome, Will. Oastler, senr., Rich. Beadon, Simon Hussey, Will. Heillier, Hen. Grange, James Pitts, John Bates, Jose Bellamy, Rich. Adams, James Baker, Tho. Andersey, Chris. Bray, John Moore, John Patten, Robt. Upcott, John Brock, John Pacey, Jose Newberry, Edw. Hammon *alias* Hamwood, John Mead, John Butcher, John Cotterell, Tho. Napper, John Bishopp, John Croeker, Chris. Wornell, Will. Shirborne, Hugh Rooper, James Norman, Tho. Chinn, Will. Plumley. Prisoners reprieved and remaining in gaol humbly proposed for his Majesty's most graeious pardon: Timo. Dunkin, John Broome, James Baker, Tho. Andersey, John Satchell, Walter Oastler, senr., Jose Bellamy, Walter Teape, James Meade, Jose Newberry, Geo. Biss, Rich. Adams, Roger Hoare, Rich. Hoare, Tho. Chinn, junr., Walter Osborne, John Bird, Will. Ryves *alias* Ryers, John Askwood, James Smith, Mallachy Mallack, Tho. Laurence, Robt. Jenkins.	
Nov. 14.	Henry Guy to the Customs Commissioners for the Customs officers at Chester to permit the shipment, unopened, of the Earl of Clarendon's baggage for Ireland.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 209.
	Same to same to deliver to my [Guy's] house in King Street, Westminster, a pareel of fruit trees arrived in the *Katherine* yaeht, Capt. Davis commander, [being sent] for Henry Savile, Vice-Chamberlain of the Household.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Earl of Sunderland. The King has signed a bill for three pensions of 100*l. per an.* eaeh to the Ellesdons. They are to commence from 1684, Christmas, not 1683, Christmas. You are to amend the bill accordingly.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Sir Gilbert Talbott. Has the plate, which was delivered out of the Jewel House to the late	*Ibid.*

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1685.	Earl of Arlington as Lord Chamberlain, been delivered back to the Jewel Office since his death ?	
Nov. 14.	Henry Guy to the Earl of Berkeley. Send your answer to the enclosed copy of the Duchess of Cleveland's objections to your petition concerning Nonsuch Park.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 209.
	Royal warrant to Lawrence, Earl of Rochester, as Ranger and Keeper of Richmond Park *alias* New Park, co. Surrey, to lease out for four years the parcel thereof commonly known by the name of the Old Paddocks, containing about 300 acres for four years from Nov. 1 inst. ; at such yearly rent and on such covenants for ploughing the same or any part thereof as the said Earl shall think fit : the said rent to be paid to him the said Earl for his own use : all by reason that the said Old Paddocks was enclosed and set apart for raising yearly a stock of hay for the deer, but produceth such coarse grass as is no ways useful for that service and if same were ploughed for some time it would not only sweeten the turf but in all probability yield in time a sufficient stock of hay for the deer and so save the charge the King is now at in buying hay for said deer.	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 211.
	Money warrant for 500*l.* to Philip Burton as imprest for Crown Law charges. (Money order dated Nov 14 hereon.)	*Money Book* VI, p. 175. *Order Book* I, p. 65.
	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the abovesaid Burton to pay Richard Graham 300*l.* as imprest for the charges of a commission of Oyer and Terminer forthwith to be executed in Cheshire.	*Money Book* VI, p. 176.
	Money warrants for 25*l.* each to Sir Charles Cotterell, Mr. Povey, Mr. Morley and Sir William Glascock for 1683, Sept. 29 quarter, on their fee as Masters of Requests.	*Ibid.*
	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners to deliver, Customs free, to Sir Robert Sawyer, Attorney General, two cases of pictures brought from Genoa in the ship *Castle*, Capt. Dun, and consigned to said Sawyer, being for his own use.	*Out Letters* (*Customs*) X, p. 61.
Nov. 15.	Same by same to same to employ Mathew Goodman, as one of the six tidesmen and boatmen in Lynn Regis port *loco* Mathew Ebden, dismissed : and Simon Smith, Gabriel Cox and Nathan Wright to be added as boatmen to the establishment there at 25*l. per an.* each : these four boatmen to be employed only as boatmen for managing two boats in constant attendance under the direction of the collector and surveyor of said port for prevention of frauds ; and the other five tidesmen and boatmen to do the duty of tidesmen only : as proposed by William Lynstead, collector of said port.	*Ibid*, p. 69.
Nov. 16.	*Fiat* by same for royal letters patent to constitute Robert Culliford as Comptroller of Customs, Southampton port : to wit, the office be held at the death of Charles II.	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, p. 140.

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1685. Nov. 16.	Henry Guy to the Commissioners of Excise and Hearthmoney to report on the enclosed paper which the Earl of Anglesea has delivered as a complaint for breach of privilege. *Appending:* note of said paper being a complaint against Jno. Barret, Receiver General of Hearthmoney for co. Oxford, and against Tho. Key and Tho. Pritchett, collectors [of same], for seizing one of said Earl's coach horses at his house at Bletchington, co. Oxford, "so that said Earl was forced to hire a horse to come to the Parliament."	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 210.
	Same to the Customs Commissioners to present two boatmen at Southampton, two tidesmen at Weymouth, two boatmen at Minehead and an officer for Start Point: and likewise the new officers to be established for the Isle of Wight on the sinking of the charge of the riding surveyor and the smack there.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Griffin [Treasurer of the Chamber]. Dr. Cha. Frazier has surrendered the patent which he had from the late King as one of his Majesty's physicians.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Customs Commissioners to report on (*a*) and (*b*) *infra.* *Appending:* note only of (*a*) a French memorial about Van Citters: (*b*) a proposal to lay a tax upon New England.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Fisher to report forthwith on Lady Oglethorpe's papers concerning the houses and buildings in St. James's Park.	*Ibid.*
Nov. 16 and 28.	Treasurer Rochester to the Master of the Rolls. Upon inquiry why several [fee] farm rents and debts of divers natures are not put in charge and process thereupon duly issued for levying same I am informed that it is for want of due transmitting the originals out of Chancery into the Exchequer according to the due course of the Exchequer; and that those sent over thither above two years since were within two days after burnt in the Treasury Remembrancer's Office in the Temple before the officers could possibly have time to transmit the same into the Pipe. The expecting till same should be again transcribed must be a work of time, and great detriment and loss will accrue to his Majesty by such delay. You are therefore to order the Clerk of the Pipe and his deputy and the sworn clerks in his office to have free recourse to the several offices and to the records within the respective custodies of the Six Clerks and of the Chapel of the Rolls whereby to extract such debts and [fee] farm rents and to make such charges thereupon that process may speedily issue for levying same. You are to order the Six Clerks and the Clerks of the Rolls to assist herein to their utmost. (Struck through and cancelled and replaced by a somewhat similar letter dated Nov. 28 inst. In this letter the burnt Originalia copies are referred to as sent over three years since and as being for 15 years viz. 15–30 Car. II: and the substantive portion of the request of the letter is altered as follows. You are desired to give order to the Clerks of the Petty Bag Office to make extracts from the records remaining there according	*Ibid*, pp. 202, 211.

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1685.	to the enclosed form [missing] and to certify me with all expedition what debts and farm rents are standing out from 15 Car. II to this present time, so that process may speedily issue for levying same. *Appending :* a form, in blank, of a certificate of grants of baronotcies whereon the sum of 1,095*l.* is payable to the King : from 15 Car. II.	
Nov. 16.	Henry Guy to the Attorney General to report on the enclosed draft commission [missing] for settling the [quays etc. of the] ports of Cardiff and Milford Haven.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 212.
	Same to Mr. Darcy *et al.* enclosing the letter of the Earl of Ailesbury, late Lord Chamberlain, *ut supra*, p. 407. You are to provide for each of the 10 Children of the Chapel one coat and one pair of breeches of coloured cloth lined with shalloon, two pair of drawers, two pair of worsted hose, one black caster, one black felt, six pair of shoes, three pair of gloves, three whole shirts, three half shirts, two laced bands and cuffs, four plain bands and cuffs, three pocket handkerchiefs : to be delivered to Dr. Jno. Blow, master of the said children for their use.	*Ibid.*
	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of John Hill, shewing that Michael Gaspe, master of the *St. Adrian* of Dieppe (" Dierpe "), laden for Morlaix, was driven by storm into Rye on the 4th inst. where the cargo was seized, for which the owners intend to have a trial : petitioner being unwilling to join with them prays dischargo of a case of sheepleather gloves and doe gloves and snuff.	*Reference Book* III, p. 197.
	Same by same to the Warden of the Mint and Mint Commissioners of the petition of Jona (John) Howell, shewing that on the recommendation of the Lord Chancellor when on circuit petitioner was as constable of the Hundred of Montgomery deputed by Sir Tho. Wharton and his son, late Wardens of the Mint, to prosecute clippers and coiners in Montgomery, Radnor, Brecknock and Salop ; whereon he has spent 400*l.* and detected 250 persons whereof 35 have been executed ; but petitioner has never received more than 10*l.* from the Treasury Lords about 20 months since.	*Ibid*, pp. 197–8.
	Same by same to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of Mr. Dryden for renewal of his patent as collector of cloth and petty customs, London port, void by the late King's death.	*Ibid*, p. 198.
	Money warrant for 60*l.* to Mris. Ann Goulding for half a year to June 24 last on her annuity or pension.	*Money Book* VI, p. 176.
	Same for 250*l.* to Sir Hugh Tint for last Sept. 29 quarter on his same. (Money order dated Nov. 21 hereon.)	*Ibid*, p. 177. *Order Book* I, p. 66.
	Henry Guy to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue 200*l.* to Mr. Mansell out of Recusants' money in the Exchequer.	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 97.
	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners to permit the transport to Gibraltar, Customs free, on board the *Veniee*, Henry Caple master, of naval stores for the service of his Majesty's ships that shall arrive at that place.	*Out Letters* (*Customs*) X, pp. 61–5.

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1685.		
	Prefixing : schedule of said stores, consigned to the storekeeper of his Majesty's naval affairs at Gibraltar and delivered out of the stores at Deptford between Oct. 3 last and Nov. 11 inst. by warrants from the Navy Commissioners dated June 19 and 24 last and Nov. 10 last : said schedule being signed by Fran. Hosier and attested by J. Sotherne.	
Nov. 16.	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners to employ John Bayard (a boatman at Bristol *loco* Thomas Lowder, formerly preferred to be chief boatman and tidesurveyor) as a boatman in fee *ibid.* 5*l. per an.* to be added to the salary of Henry Martin to make up his salary 10*l. per an.* and he to be sole officer at Studland Bay ; Benjamin Webster, waiter and searcher there being removed to Christchurch and his salary at Studland Bay to be sunk. Anthony Searle as one of the boatmen in Southampton port for the guard of the Hamble river with 25*l. per an.* salary : Mr. Dickinson having in his late survey of the Western ports proposed the establishment of a boat with two boatmen for such guard. The four tidesmen in Poole port to have 30*l. per an.* each upon the establishment and without incidents instead of their present 10*l. per an.* salary and 2*s.* a day when employed. 18*l. per an.* to be sunk out of the salary of Nicho. Culliford, riding surveyor on the coast about Lulworth : he to reside at Lulworth, with 40*l. per an.* and without a horse : all by reason that from Swanage Bay to Weymouth is all hard and deep cliff and no landing place but at Lulworth. The six tidesmen in Weymouth port to have 25*l. per an.* each without incidents instead of their present 10*l. per an.* each and 2*s.* a day when employed. Thomas Goodridge as tidesman at Bridgwater *loco* Daniel Yates, lately dismissed. The two tidesmen of said port to have 20*l. per an.* [each] without incidents instead of their present 15*l. per an.* and 2*s.* a day when employed. ——— Lutterell, a preventive officer at Start Point, near Bridgwater, is to be established there with 10*l. per an.* and his allowance by incidents to cease. David Chappell, boatman at Uphill, to be dismissed as a person disaffected to the government ; and for the guard of that place by water two boatmen, William Horsington and his mate, to be established at 10*l. per an.* each. The tidesman in Minehead port to have 25*l. per an.* salary without incidents in place of their present 10*l. per an.* and 2*s.* a day when engaged. The two boatmen at Beachley in Bristol port to have established salaries of 25*l. per an.* instead of being paid by incidents. John Faunt, a preventive officer at Gadcombe in Bristol port to have an established salary of 20*l. per an.* in place of his present salary of 15*l. per an.* out of incidents. The two extraordinary boatmen at Deal port to be established at 25*l. per an.* and added to the four boatmen there in place of being paid by incidents. Henry Carter (a tidesman *ibid*) to be established as a master of the boats there at 30*l. per an.* to take equal turns with the Surveyor there	*Out Letters* (*Customs*) X, pp. 66, 67, 68, 69, 71, 72.

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1685.	for a constant night watch with a boat and some of the men and to ply between the South Forelands and tho Small Downs. Edw. Roope as collector of Dartmouth at 50*l.* *per an.* salary and allowance of 20*l.* *per an.* from Cha. Orchard, customer of Exeter port, as his deputy. John Baxter, one of the tidesmon in Southampton port, to be established with 25*l.* *per an.* salary like the rest of the tidesmen [there] in place of the present salary of 10*l.* *per an.* and 2*s.* a day when employed. Thomas Lea to be restored as tidesman in Lyme port: it appearing from a letter of Anthony Thorold, deputy to Sir Cornwall Bradshaw, customer at Lyme, that Edw. Cogan and said Lea, late tidesmen there, went with [the Duke of] Monmouth in the time of the robellion, but it appearing that Lea's crimo was only that being a Trained Bandman, he appeared at the beat of their own drums amongst others of the town, but whon ho percoived that they intended to join with Monmouth he withdrew and hid his musquet and came no more amongst them: and that he is otherwiso a man of good credit and report. The tidesmen and boatmen at Lyme port to have 25*l.* *per an.* salary each on the establishment in lieu of their present 10*l.* *per an.* and 2*s.* a day when employed. Simon Hitchcock (a landwaiter, Lyme port) to be established as a preventive office at Abbotsbury between Weymouth and Lyme at 30*l.* *per an.* 5*l.* *per an.* each to be added to the 15*l.* *per an.* each salary of the two tidesmen in Whitby port. Gerrard Fox (riding surveyor from Scarborough to Hartlepool) to be collector of Whitby port, a member of Newcastle port *loco* Thomas Shipton, lately deceased. The place of riding surveyor between Scarborough and Hartlepool to be sunk.	
Nov. 17.	Henry Guy to Mr. Griffin [Treasurer of the Chamber]. Capt. Bridall has surrendered the fee of 20 marks *per an.* payable to him at the Exchequer "in regard he is now to be paid the same on your [Treasurer of the Chamber] establishment."	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 211.
	Same to the Customs Commissioners to report on the enclosed proposal [missing] of the East India Company.	*Ibid.*
	Same to same. Mr. Flower, Mr. Farmer and Mr. King have produced their patents from the late King as King's musicians. They aro during pleasure only, not for life; and therefore on transferring them to your Office [establishment] there is no need for them to make surrender thereof. You are to proceed to pay them on your establishment notwithstanding the late order.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Sir Dudley North to attend at my [Guy's] house to-morrow morning, Wednesday, at 8 o'clock on very important business. The like notice to Richard Graham, Nicho. Courtney, Cha. Porter, Dr. Davenant, Sir Christopher Wren, Mr. Chudleigh, Peregrine Bertie, Charles Bertie, Richard Kent, Sir John Freind, William Hewer, William Blathwayte, Tho. Done, Col. Rob. Phillips, Sir Jno. Werden, Jno. Parsons, Simon Smith,	*Ibid*, p. 212.

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1685.	Cha. Fox, Lemuell Kingdon, Tho. Neale, Hen. Clarke, Fran. Gwyn, Sir Denny Ashburnham.	
Nov. 17.	Money order for 5*l.* to William Parks for 1685, Sept. 29 quarter's attendance as porter at the gato of the Receipt.	*Order Book* I, p. 66.
	Same for 343*l.* 6*s.* 0*d.* to Thomas Hawgood, sword cutler, in full of swords furnished to the Troops of Horse of Christopher, Duke of Albemarle, Charles, Lord Gerard of Brandon, and Major Sir Jonathan Trelawney [among the late New Raised Forces now disbanded]: as by a certificate dated 1679, June 15, from two of the Commissioners for Disbanding: to be paid out of the last Six Months Assessment for said disbanding.	*Ibid.*
	Same for 71*l.* 15*s.* 7*d.* to Robt. Hall, belt maker, as in full for belts furnished to the Troops of Horse of Wentworth, Earl of Roscommon, and Capt. Ferdinando Stanhopp: [being among the New Raised Forces *ut supra*]: as by like certificate etc. *ut supra.*	*Ibid.*
	Money warrant for 300*l.* to the Countess Dowager Marischal for half a year to June 24 last on her annuity or pension.	*Money Book* VI, p. 177.
	Henry Guy to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue as follows out of the branches of the revenue directed to be this week paid into the Exchequer, viz.:	*Disposition Book* IV, pp. 98, 99.

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Out of the Customs.			
to the Treasurer of the Navy for the Victuallers	2,000	0	0
to ditto for sea officers and bills in course	400	0	0
to ditto for the [Navy's] weekly money	1,500	0	0
to the Treasurer of the Ordnance ..	1,000	0	0
to Philip Packer for the new buildings at Whitehall	1,500	0	0
Out of the Excise.			
to the Paymaster of the Forces ..	5,000	0	0
to Mr. Toll for interest	1,263	8	5
to the Cofferer of the Household ..	2,500	0	0
to me [Guy] for secret service by way of advance	500	0	0
Out of Hearthmoney.			
to the Keeper of the Privy Purse 1,000*l.* and 800*l.*	1,800	0	0
Out of the Post Office money.			
to Phillip Packer for repairing the house for the Venetian ambassador	100	0	0
to the Auditors of Imprests	133	6	8
to Mr. Progers	118	16	2
to me [Guy] for secret service by way of advance	50	0	0
to the usher of the Exchequer Court	657	17	7
to Mr. Wardour	100	0	0
to the two Deputy Chamberlains ..	40	0	0
to me [Guy] for secret service by way of advance	200	0	0
Out of the duty on wines and vinegar.			
to the Treasurer of the Navy in further part of 29,745*l.* for the extraordinary and ordinary repairs of the Navy	2,000	0	0

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1685.	*l.* *s.* *d.* *Out of the loans on French linens etc.* to the Paymaster of the Forces .. 6,000 0 0 *Out of the Queen Dowager's [Portugal money or] portion.* to the Prince and Princess of Denmark in part of 16,000*l.* .. .. 3,000 0 0 £29,863 8 10 (Same dated same to the Customs Cashier, enclosing the paper of the disposition of the Customs cash for the present week; said paper including the abovesaid five Customs and one Wine Duty items [payable out of the Exchequer] together with the following items [payable direct out of the Customs Office on tallies] viz. 2,000*l.* in part of last Sept. 29 quarter's salary bill of the Customs [London port]; 96*l.* 12*s.* 0*d.* for a year's impost of wine to the Lord Mayor and Aldermen of London; 1,000*l.* to Mr. Toll in repayment of loan. Total disposition of the Customs, 11,496*l.* 12*s.* 0*d.*) (Same dated same to the Commissioners of Excise and Hearthmoney enclosing the like paper for the Excise and Hearthmoney cash; said paper including *for the Excise* tho abovesaid four Excise items [payable out of the Exchequer] together with the following items [payable direct out of the Excise Office on tallies] viz. 3,000*l.* to the Queen Dowager; 3,000*l.* to Mr. Kent and Mr. Duncombe in repayment of loan; 160*l.* for the [Excise on the herring] fishery at Yarmouth: total disposition of the Excise, 15,423*l.* 8*s.* 5*d.*: and *for the Hearthmoney* the abovesaid Hearthmoney item [payable out of the Exchequer] together with the following item [payable direct out of the Hearthmoney Office on tallies] viz. 1,000*l.* to Mr. Toll in repayment of loan: total disposition of the Hearthmoney, 2,800*l.*)	
Nov. 17.	Henry Guy to the Auditor of the Receipt to advance 250*l.* to me [Guy] for secret service: out of the loans on the duty on linens etc.	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 97.
	Same to same to issue as follows out of [the fund of] goods seized and now in the Exchequer, viz. 500*l.* to Mr. Dunstar; 15*l.* to Mris. Ann Bird.	*Ibid*, p. 98.
	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners to employ Humphrey Ray as waiter and searcher at Tenby in Milford Haven port at 20*l.* *per an.* and to take an account of the collieries; *loco* Lewis Moore, lately dismissed. Patrick Mein as Surveyor General of Customs in the colonies of Virginia and Maryland and such other Plantations as the said Commissioners shall think fit: with an allowance of 20*s.* a day: *loco* William Dyre, whom they propose to recall.	*Out Letters (Customs)* X, pp. 69, 73.
Nov. 18.	Privy seal dormant for 10,000*l.* to be issued in such proportions, to such persons and for such uses and services as the King shall from time to time direct by warrant under his royal sign manual. (Royal warrant dated Nov. 10 for this privy seal.)	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 209.
	Same for 500*l.* *per an.* to Sir Edward Lutwich, kt., Chief Justice of Chester, as an addition to the profits of his place there; the said addition having been made to the said office upon the augmentation of	*Ibid*, p. 210.

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1685.	the salaries of all the Justices at Westminster etc. and so continued to Sir Job. Charlton, Sir George Jeffrys, now Lord Chancellor, and Sir Edward Herbert, now Chief Justice of the King's Bench: the said 500*l.* *per an.* to commence from Oct. 24 last. (Royal warrant dated Nov. 10 to the Clerk of the Signet for said privy seal.)	
Nov. 18.	Royal warrant to the Clerk of the Signet for a privy seal for 16,000*l.* to the King's son-in-law, Prince George, Hereditary of Denmark, and Anne, Princess of Denmark, his wife: as royal bounty without account.	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 211.
	Same to the Attorney or Solicitor General for a great seal for a grant to Amias Hext of an annuity or pension of 100*l.* *per an.* for his life and to Juliana his wife a like pension of 100*l.* *per an.* for her life: to be paid quarterly from Sept. 29 last: the said Juliana having a patent dated 1674, April 3, for a pension of 200*l.* *per an.* for good services in the escape of Charles II from Worcester fight: which patent is first to be surrendered. The 150*l.* arrears from Christmas, 1684, to Sept. 29 last on said patent is also hereby to be paid.	*Ibid*, pp. 212–3.
	Same to same for a same for a grant to Sir Thomas Duppa, Gentleman Usher Black Rod, of a yearly pension or sum of 200*l.* he having a grant dated 1673, Oct. 18, of the like sum as in lieu of certain perquisites and allowances by him released or agreed to be released, which grant is become void by the late King's death and is hereby to be renewed. Payment hereon is to commence from 1684, Christmas, and to continue during pleasure; the 150*l.* for the three quarters to Sept. 29 last to be paid forthwith.	*Ibid*, p. 213.
	Royal letter to Francis, Lord Howard of Effingham, Governor of Virginia. The Customs Commissioners have appointed Patrick Mein, gent., "the bearer hereof" to be Surveyor General for inspecting the accounts of the collectors and other officers [of the Customs] within the colonies of Virginia and Maryland and to give such orders as he shall find necessary for the King's service, particularly for the better collecting the [Plantation] duties under the Act of 25 Car. II [c. 7]. You are to give him all assistance herein and in putting in execution all other the laws relating to the trade of the Plantations. (The like letter to the Governor of Maryland.)	*Ibid*, p. 214.
	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners to remit the duty on a piece of serge imported for wearing apparel by James Goussett, a poor distressed French Protestant fled hither from Prosecution.	*Out Letters* (*Customs*) X, p. 78.
	Henry Guy to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue to me [Guy] for secret service the two several sums of 500*l.* "which hath been advanced at the Exchequer to Mris. Ellen Gwynn."	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 99.
Nov. 19.	Money warrant for 66*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.* each to Brook Bridges and Thomas Done for one year to Sept. 29 last on their fee of 100 marks *per an.* as Auditors of Imprests.	*Money Book* VI, p. 177.

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1685. Nov. 19.	Report to the King by Treasurer Rochester on the petition of Sir Charles Gaudy for the personal estate of John Revans, a *felo-de-se*, which estate is claimed by the Master and Fellows of Pembroke Hall in Cambridge and also by Thomas Glemham. The Attorney General reported to me June 14 last *ut supra*, p. 248, as to the ancient rights of the Prior of Ely. I am also certified by Richard Graham July 31 last that he has had the inquisition on the death of said Revans filed in the Treasurer's Remembrancer's office by which it is found that Waldegrave Alexander was indebted to Revans for 100*l.* mortgage of lands in Framlingham and Easton, co. Suffolk, and that Revans had deposited 505*l.* in the hands of Samuel Wightman, draper of Framlingham, and that John Dawson of Framlingham owed Revans 300*l.* for mortgage of lands in Wickham Market, and similarly John Bradlaugh owed him 300*l.* for mortgage of divers lands in Brandeston and that Robert Bourne of Easton owed him 4*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.* for rent of lands in Kettleburgh. All the said towns and money are within the liberty of St. Etheldred, co. Suffolk, as in the grant by James I to the Dean and Chapter of Ely.	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, pp. 140-1.
	Henry Guy to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue (out of Customs money) 250*l.* to the Keeper of the Privy Purse for Healing Medals.	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 99.
	Same to same to issue out of the following funds in the Exchequer, viz. 106*l.* of the Duchy of Cornwall revenue, 363*l.* 6*s.* 11*d.* of Wine Licence money, 106*l.* 3*s.* 2½*d.* of Compositions, 123*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.* of King's Bench fines, 92*l.* 4*s.* 10*d.* of alienations (making 801*l.* 1*s.* 7½*d.* in all) as follows, viz.:	*Ibid*, p. 100.

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
to Mris. Ann Atwood	125	0	0
to Mr. Ben. Coling	34	15	0
to Mr. Ford	18	5	0
to Mr. Pottenger	53	6	8
to Rich. Welbeck	6	1	8
to the executors of John Sayer	57	13	0
to the executors of William Goldesborough	178	12	0
to Mr. Natha. Cox	34	15	0
to Mr. Nicho Estoll	37	10	0
to Mris. Laurence for the Trial of the Pix	76	9	2
to Mr. Warner	75	4	9
	£698	2	3

	Same to Mr. Darcy *et al.* to forthwith provide as follows:	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 213.
	Appending: letter dated Nov. 18 from the Earl of Mulgrave, Lord Chamberlain, to the Lord Treasurer. The King has intimated his pleasure to the Duke of Ormonde, Lord Steward of the Household (who at present officiates the place of Lord Great Chamberlain of England) that a Court should be forthwith erected in Westminster Hall for the trial of the Earl of Stamford on Dec. 1 next according to ancient custom; and I am to issue my warrants for preparing and furnishing the same. The following particulars have been usually provided "whensoever the Court was erected in Westminster Hall when the whole House of Peers assembled there," viz.,	

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1685.	22 pieces of say of the largest size; 160 ells of canvas to make sacks and [to] cover stools and forms; 12 todd of wool for stuffing all the forms and stools appointed for the Lords; and to pay for hay to fill the said sacks; crimson velvet to cover two seats [one] on each side the State in said Court as in the House of Peers; thread lyre and nails and to pay for the workmanship: all to be delivered to Sir Thomas Duppa, kt., Gentleman Usher Black Rod.	
Nov. 19.	Henry Guy to the Mint Commissioners and Warden of the Mint to report on the petition of Mris. Ann Wharton [missing].	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 213.
	Same to Mr. Griffin [Treasurer of the Chamber]. Sir Gilbert Talbot has surrendered his annuity of 50*l. per an.* payable in the Exchequer as Master of the Jewels "in regard he is now to be paid the same on your establishment."	*Ibid*, p. 214.
	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners to employ Jonathan Rogers as boatman at Rochester *loco* Robert Feild, who has left the employment. John Turke as weighing porter at Bristol *loco* Walter Watkins, lately deceased. John Dutton as waiter and searcher at Frodsham in Liverpool port *loco* Thomas Dutton, his father superannuated and willing to resign. William Alford (one of the 70 tidesmen in extraordinary, London port) as a tidesman in fee *ibid. loco* Stephen Cooper, lately deceased. Anthony Lambe as a tidesman, Newcastle port *loco* George Meverell, lately deceased. John Bell as chief boatman at Berdsey [Bawdsey] Ferry and James Carter as his mate *locis* John Taylor and Richard Sanders, lately dismissed. Stephen Farley as waiter and searcher at Beckley in Rye port *loco* Edwd. Bromfeild, lately dismissed. Thomas Davies (riding surveyor on the coast of Kent, under the establishment of Faversham port) as surveyor of Portsmouth *loco* Thomas Ogle, lately dismissed. The said office of riding surveyor on the coast of Kent to be sunk whereby 60*l. per an.* will be saved to the King.	*Out Letters* (*Customs*) X, pp. 70, 72, 73.
Nov. 20.	Same by same to same to add 5*l. per an.* to the salary of James Stringer, weighing porter at Exeter, and he to have an assistant at 20*l. per an.*: as in lieu of the previous arrangement of 25*l. per an.* salary to Stringer and 35*l. per an.* for incidents for persons occasionally hired for his assistance in weighing.	*Ibid*, p. 72.
	Henry Guy to same. The Attorney General has given his opinion in point of law as to such ships that have been made free by warrant from the late King since 1682, Oct. 1, [viz. that] in case they shall bring any goods liable to Aliens Customs by the Act of Navigation, the freedom of such vessel is determined [terminated] and the ship liable to pay Aliens duty. You are hereon to report to the Lord Treasurer your opinion whether it will be for the King's service and the good of trade that such ships should pay the Aliens duty.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 214.

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1685. Nov. 20.	[Henry Guy to the Customs Commissioners] to report on (*a*) *infra*. *Appending:* (*a*) petition of Rieh. Journall *et al.* (as by a reference from the King dated Nov. 10 inst.) praying an order to the Customs Commissioners that foreign built ships made free by his late Majesty to supply the loss of merehants' ships by the late Dutch wars and to carry on the trade of this kingdom may pass as they did in his late Majesty's time.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 214.
	Same to same enelosing letters [missing] from the King to the [respective] Governors [of the forts of] Deal, Sandown and Walmer Castles to permit the Customs offieers to seareh in those castles for prohibited and uncustomed goods.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Griffin. Dr. Pearse alleges that by mistake he is put down in the establishment of your [Treasurer of the Chamber] Offiee for only 369*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.* *per an.* as Serjeant Chirurgeon, which is 27*l.* *per an.* less than his former allowanees of 396*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.* *per an.* Is this true and how can it be amended ?	*Ibid.*
	Reference by Treasurer Roehester to Mr. Graham and Mr. Burton of the petition of John Skinner, gent., for a grant of the fine of 26*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.* set on Oliver Brookes, whom he prosecuted for seditious words against the late King ; which fine is now in the hands of William Wall, late sheriff of Gloucester : petitioner having spent 14*l.* in the proseeution.	*Reference Book* III, p. 198.
	Same by same to the Surveyor General of Crown Lands of the petition of Sir John Ardern for a grant in fee farm of all the lands which have been encroached upon and enclosed in the Forest of Delamere, co. Chester, these 20 years last past ; under the rent of 6*d.* per acre for so mueh thereof as he shall recover [to the Crown].	*Ibid*, p. 199.
	Same by same to Sir Robert Sawyer, Attorney General, of the petition of the Bishop of Sodor and Man, shewing that Charles Peyton having a term of 500 years in certain houses in trust for Sir Robert Peyton did 1683, Oct. 7, with the consent of said Sir Robert assign same to one Perry for 1,000*l.* and Perry did 1684, May 14, assign same to petitioner for 1,000*l.* : that Sir Robert Peyton stands indicted for high treason committed in May, 1683, which is before the assignment to Perry : as petitioner purchased with the greatest part of his fortune almost two years before the treason appeared, prays to enjoy the said term until the purchase money be repaid.	*Ibid.*
	Same by same to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of Sam Dassell for a landwaiter's plaee at Weymouth, he having, as deputy searcher at Lyme, been the first to bring the news of the late invasion there.	*Ibid*, p. 200.
	Same by same to Mr. Hewer of the petition of Jam. Bush for consideration, he being bound to several merchants in 860*l.* for eorn and neeessaries for the workmen [on the mole and fortifieations] at Tangier.	*Ibid.*
	Same by same to Edw. Griffin, Treasurer of the Chamber, of the petition of Jonathan Chase, a	*Ibid.*

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1685.	Groom of the Removing Wardrobe of Beds (as by a reference of the 13th inst. from the King): petitioner shewing that in the new establishment his wages and boardwages are reduced from 130*l.* to 120*l.*: the King having declared his pleasure that their allowances should remain as they did.	
Nov. 20.	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of Theophilus Lamb for a commission to seize all ships with their ladings which shall be found to export wool contrary to law, "and he will build a vessel suitable for that purpose."	*Reference Book* III, p. 200.
	Same by same to same of the petition of Jno. Moore, a King's waiter, Bristol port, for a moiety of the three years' arrears of salary due to him and to be put on the establishment with 10*l.* addition as his fellow officers are; he being willing to abate the remainder of his arrears.	*Ibid*, p. 201.
	Same by same to same of the petition of Cha. Lugar for a more settled employment, he having been a tidesman in extraordinary for three years.	*Ibid.*
	Same by same to Richard Graham and Philip Burton of the petition of Tho. Cheek (as by a reference from the King dated Windsor, Aug. 11 last), petitioner shewing that he had a grant (in reversion after Sir Jno. Mounson and Jno. Griffith, both now dead) of fines upon declarations in the King's Bench under the yearly rent of 100 marks: that said fines were formerly worth 600*l.* *per an.* but now by practice among the attorneys of that Court are reduced to about 120*l.* *per an.*: therefore prays a discharge of said rent to 20 nobles *per an.*	*Ibid.*
	Recommendation by same to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of Tho. Dison, tidesman in extraordinary, London port, for the place of watchman in fee *ibid loco* Jno. Hines, dismissed for fraud.	*Ibid*, pp. 203–4.
	Reference by same to Mr. Graham and Mr. Burton of the petition of Gregory Westcomb for 900*l.* due to him from Mr. Cornish.	*Ibid*, p. 204.
	Same by same to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of Abraham Hough for some place in the Customs, he having been bred a merchant.	*Ibid.*
	Same by same to William Hewer of the petition of Peter May, executor of John Hethersell, praying for payment of the 25 months' arrears due to said Hethersell as a soldier at Tangier in Capt. Langston's Troop of Horse.	*Ibid.*
	Recommendation by same to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of Richard Hale for a place as tidesman etc. [London port].	*Ibid*, p. 205.
	Reference by same to William Hewer of the petition of William Aldham, shewing that Robt. Hughs, late a soldier at Tangier in Capt. Bowes' Company, rented a house of petitioner at 53*s.* *per an.* and did May 17 last give a bill for 5*l.* 5*s.* 0*d.* for rent to Christmas last and directed the bill to Mr. Boudler to be satisfied out of his arrear of pay, but Boudler refuses to pay without a letter of attorney.	*Ibid.*

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1685. Nov. 20.	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of Oliver Lyme for the arrears of his salary from 1678, June 24, as Comptroller of Chester port.	*Reference Book* III, p. 205,
	Same by same to William Blathwayte of the petition of Lieut. Terence O'Brien for half pay, he having formerly served as a Lieutenant in France and quitted that employment on the late King's command.	*Ibid*, p. 206.
	Same by same to William Harbord, Surveyor General of Crown Lands, of the petition of William Dike for a confirmation of his Majesty's grant to him of the office of bailiff of Spalding, viz. by a grant for the remainder of Walter Dike's interest in the premises "whereby he may be enabled to recover the said office, being wrongfully held from it by the executors of one Ewrie."	*Ibid.*
	Same by same to Antho. Stephens of the petition of Robt. Sewell: shewing that in the late King's exile he was instrumental in remitting 13,000*l.* beyond sea for which he should have suffered death: that having had a plentiful estate he married the Dean of Windsor's daughter, but is reduced to a low condition, having had 37 [*sic*] children and some of them now in his Majesty's service: therefore prays payment of a Navy bill (No. 90, dated 1684, July 28, for 15*l.* 1*s.* 6*d.*) for the service of one of his sons on board the *Dover*, "the greatest part of this kind [of bill] having been paid by particular directions from the Treasury to such whose necessity and loyalty hath been thought deserving of such advance."	*Ibid*, p. 207.
	Same by same to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of Monsieur de Millery, a [French Protestant] refugee, for delivery of a seizure of lace, etc., seized by Darnish, a searcher.	*Ibid*, p. 208.
	Same by same to the Attorney General of the report of Auditor John Shales, dated the 18th inst. on the petition of James Fortrey and Tho. Doucett for a lease of a farm. *Prefixing:* said report made on an order of reference of Oct. 21 last from the Surveyor General of Crown Lands. There is no record in my office of Goleston's farm. The copy of the grant to Sir Nicholas Fortescue was never entered in my office nor any rent paid thereon, which is a direct forfeiture of the grant. If petitioners be granted the lands once enjoyed by the Goulstons the rents hitherto lost ought to be made good to the King.	*Ibid*, pp. 209–10.
	Same by same to Richard Graham and Phillip Burton of the petition of George Macy for the reimbursement of moneys laid out in the prosecution of clippers and coiners, he having discovered about 240 persons.	*Ibid*, p. 210.
	Same by same to William Hewer of the petition of Andrew Mortimer for 188*l.* 5*s.* 0*d.* which he laid out in the repairs of a house [at Tangier] which he was put into in the Earl of Inchiquin's time [of being Governor] and which he finished in the time of Sir Palmes Fairborn.	*Ibid*, p. 213.

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1685. Nov. 20.	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to William Hewer of the petition of Ann, widow of John Ironmonger, late a soldier at Tangier, and killed at Charles Fort; praying a pension or other relief.	*Reference Book* III, p. 227.
	Same by same to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of Richard Miller, a tidesman extraordinary, praying to be made a tidesman in fee.	*Ibid*, p. 229.
Nov. 21.	Henry Guy to the Customs Cashier to pay 22*l.* 8*s.* 0*d.* to the four Ushers of the Exchequer Court, pursuant to the Lord Treasurer's warrant in that behalf.	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 100.
	Same to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue (out of the funds *ut supra*, p. 434) 60*l.* to the Dean and Chapter of Westminster for the French ministers in the Savoy.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Hewer to pay to William Horne the money due on his pension of 8*l.* *per an.* as royal bounty: it appearing from a certificate of Capt. Potts that Horne is not provided for in any Company.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Customs Commissioners to attend Treasurer Rochester on Monday next, although that is not your usual day of attending him.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 214.
	Same to Mr. Burton enclosing a surrender made by Mr. Hext and his wife containing a covenant for them to levy a fine this term. You are to pass the fine and pay the charge of it.	*Ibid*, p. 215.
	Same to the Attorney General to report on the enclosed presentment [missing] from the Customs Commissioners concerning wrecks.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Duke of Norfolk enclosing (*a*) *infra*. You are to communicate it to the verderers etc. of Windsor Forest. *Appending:* royal warrant dated Nov. 19 inst. forbidding any timber or firewood to be hereafter felled in Windsor Forest, save with the assent of the Lord Treasurer: it having been formerly accustomed for the Constables of Windsor Castle and Forest to grant their own warrants to the regarders, foresters etc. for cutting several loads of firewood for fee wood of the officers of said forest, such warrants being without the privity of the Lord Treasurer, but the King now thinking it very necessary to have the Lord Treasurer's inspection therein, having lately observed great wastes and spoils to have been committed in the timber of said forest for want thereof.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Sir Steph. Fox enclosing (*a*) *infra* from the King. *Appending:* (*a*) petition of John Snapes, late Yeoman of the Pantry to the late King to attend the Queen: shewing that he served in said place faithfully for 23 years, but another is now placed in his room, prays an order to the Board of Greencloth for some subsistence to him in his old age.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Commissioners of Excise and Hearth-money conveying Treasurer Rochester's recommendation of Edw. Perkins for a place as clerk under them.	*Ibid*, p. 216.

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1685. Nov. 21.	Henry Guy to Lord Dartmouth. The King has to-day signed a warrant for a privy seal to confirm the 40*l.* *per an.* to the town of Dartmouth. The officers of the Ordnance are to see that the town perform their covenants herein *ut infra*, pp. 452–3.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 216.
	Royal warrant to the Attorney or Solicitor General for a great seal to appoint William Thomas "as well Receiver as Paymaster to and for the Captain of the Band of Gentlemen Pensioners and Gentlemen at Arms, Lieutenant, Standard bearer and Clerk of the Cheque and to and for the Gentlemen Pensioners and Gentlemen at Arms and all other officers of and belonging to our said Band" all *loco* Sir John Kirke, kt., lately deceased, with like powers etc. as Sir Edward Francis, Sir Henry Mynne, Sir John Hales, Sir Lewis Kirke or Sir John Kirk heretofore had: during pleasure: with power to receive from the Exchequer upon quarterly bills or rolls to be subscribed by the Captain of said Band sums not exceeding 6,000*l.* *per an.*; to be paid quarterly from Christmas last as imprest and upon accompt.	*King's Warrant Book* X, pp. 215–6.
	Same to the Clerk of the Signet for a privy seal for the payment of 8,000*l.* to Richard Bayly and Charles Toll, the surviving executors of William Ashburnham, late Cofferer of the Household, to complete the satisfaction of the board wages and other allowances to the servants of the late King for the last 15 months suspension: tallies having been drawn on the Hearthmoney and on the Farmers of the Law Duties for 61,665*l.* 14*s.* 2*d.* to said Ashburnham in accordance with the privy seal of 1682, Aug. 9, *ut supra*, *Calendar of Treasury Books*, Vol. VII, p. 559, for the satisfaction of said board wages etc. during said suspension, which tallies were all satisfied except 8,000*l.* on five tallies for 1,000*l.* each and one for 3,000*l.* dated 1677, Dec. 20, drawn on the said Law duties, and notwithstanding the provisions of the said privy seal for payment of said 8,000*l.* out of the Excise the said tallies or sum do still remain unsatisfied and the tallies for same remain in the hands of said Bayly and Toll. On payment thereof as above said tallies are to be taken in and vacated. Payment hereon is to be made out of the new duty on tobacco and sugar and is to be without imprest or other charge.	*Ibid*, p. 218.
Nov. 23.	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to the Auditors of Imprests of the statement of account of moneys received and paid by John Knight, senr., deceased, and John Knight [junr.] for provisions and work [in the Great Wardrobe] and for wages etc. paid from 1684, Sept. 29 to 1685, Sept. 29.	*Reference Book* III, p. 204.
	Royal warrant to the Clerk of the Signet for a privy seal for payment to the Chancellor of the Order of the Garter of the yearly sum of 570*l.* 5*s.* 0*d.* (and of the sum of 427*l.* 13*s.* 9*d.* for three quarters' arrears thereon to Sept. 29 last) [for the support of the dignity of said order]: to be payable quarterly during pleasure: the late King having by patent dated 1661–2, Jan. 23, appointed 1,200*l.* *per an.* for said purpose (for "the annual and ordinary fees, pensions and payments to certain persons payable according to the constitutions by the sovereign of the said Order and the Knights of the same in their full Chapter to be	*King's Warrant Book* X, pp. 216–7.

Date.	Nature and Substance of the Entry.	Reference.
1685.	ordeyned and with the great seal of the said Order to be [con]firmed and in cases extraordinary by special warrants of the Sovereign of the Order with his hand to be signed," the Chancellor of the Order to render an account thereof yearly at the feast of St. George): it being the opinion of the King's Counsel that the grants of the late King charged upon the Customs are not chargeable upon the Customs granted to the present King without fresh authority from the present King; and it being further found by experience that said 570*l.* 5*s.* 0*d. per an.* is sufficient to defray the said necessary fees, pensions and other payments ordeyned as aforesaid.	
Nov. 23.	Four separate royal sign manuals for respectively 940*l.*, 250*l.*, 500*l.*, 750*l.* to Henry Guy, for secret service, without account: to be issued on the 10,000*l.* dormant privy seal of Nov. 18 inst. (Four money warrants dated Nov. 24 hereon. Four money orders dated Nov. 25 hereon.)	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 221. *Money Book* VI, p. 181. *Order Book* I, p. 67.
	Royal warrant to the Attorney General to discharge (by acknowledging satisfaction on record of) the fine of 100*l.* imposed in the King's Bench in Nov., 1681, on John Bury for which he still remains prisoner in the custody of the Marshal [of the Marshalsea]. He is hereby to be enlarged.	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 236.
	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Clerk of the Pipe for the tenement as follows to be passed to Mris. Mary Ross, spinster, with the other tenements etc. mentioned in the warrant of 1682, July 21, and 1682, Aug. 23, from the late Treasury Lords: the lease now to commence from 1685, Lady day, and this tenement to be passed for the same three lives that Chubb's tenement is to be granted for on the surrender of Thomasino French and at a reserve rent of 5*s. per an.* *Prefixing:* (*a*) particular of said messuage late in the tenure of Tho. Batche standing on a tenement called Batche's tenement, parcel of the manor of Bonyalva and late priory of Launceston and now of the Duchy of Cornwall. (*b*) Ratal dated Jan. 24 last thereof by John Gryffith, Deputy Auditor of said Duchy. *Appending:* (*c*), (*d*) copy of the said previous leases of 1682, July 21, and 1682, Aug. 23, in extenso with the particulars and ratals thereto: all hereby confirmed. (*e*) Copy of the royal warrant of 1682, July 14, to the Treasury Lords for a lease to William Kekewick of said premises. (*f*) Reference by Treasurer Rochester to the Surveyor General of Crown Lands dated 1685, June 20, of the above [present] warrant for lease. (*g*) Report dated 1685, July 16 thereon from said Surveyor General.	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, pp. 143-154.
	Money warrant for 300*l.* to Richell and Frances Windham, daughters of Dame Anne Windham, for three quarters to Sept. 29 last on their annuity or pension of 400*l.*: being the sum grown due since the King's accession.	*Money Book* VI, p. 178.
	Same for 450*l.* to Sir Thomas Windham for same period on his pension of 600*l. per an.*: being *ut supra.*	*Ibid.*
	Same for 375*l.* to Thomas Lane for same period on his pension of 500*l. per an.*: being *ut supra.*	*Ibid.*

Date.	Nature and Substance of the Entry.	Reference.
1685. Nov. 23.	Money warrant for 750*l.* to Jane Lane (now Lady Fisher) for same period on her annuity or pension of 1,000*l.* : being *ut supra.*	*Money Book* VI, p. 178.
	Same for 37*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.* to Joane Hurford for same period on her pension of 50*l. per an.* : being *ut supra.*	*Ibid,* p. 179.
	Same for 225*l.* to Charles Gifford for same period on his pension of 300*l. per an.* : being *ut supra.*	*Ibid.*
	Same for 150*l.* to Francis Reynolds, gent., for same period on his pension of 200*l. per an.* : being *ut supra.*	*Ibid.*
	Same for 150*l.* to Thomas Whitgrave for same period on his same : being *ut supra.*	*Ibid.*
	Same for 20*l.* to Robt. Swan for last Sept. 29 quarter on his annuity or pension of 80*l.* as by the privy seal of Aug. 7 last. (Money order dated Dec. 8 hereon.)	*Ibid,* p. 179. *Order Book* I, p. 69.
	Same for 62*l.* 11*s.* 8*d.* to Andrew Laurence, Surveyor of the King's highways, being 18*l.* 5*s.* 0*d.* for two quarters to June 24 last on his fee of 2*s.* a day (on which fee 45*l.* 12*s.* 6*d.* is due to him), 29*l.* 3*s.* 4*d.* for half a year to Lady day last on his fee of 3*s.* 4*d.* a day and 15*l.* 3*s.* 4*d.* for 1685, June 24 quarter, on his fee of 3*s.* 4*d.* a day (on which fee 30*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.* is due to him) : being *ut supra.* *Prefixing :* certificate dated Aug. 3 last by the Earl of Ailesbury, Lord Chamberlain, that said Lawrence has been employed 175 days from 1684, Sept. 29, to 1685, Lady day, in the service of his place for which the said fee of 3*s.* 4*d.* a day is accordingly due for [riding] charges etc.	*Money Book* VI, p. 180.
	Henry Guy to the Attorney General to report on the reassignment by Abraham Shapton to the Auditor of the Receipt and the Surveyor General of Crown Lands of Shapton's lease [of mines *ut supra,* p. 354].	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 216.
	Same to the Sheriff of co. Leicester for a certificate of all sums levied on said county on the two fines *ut supra,* pp. 325, 358. You are to levy no more thereof till further order.	*Ibid,* p. 198.
	Same to Mr. Hewer. On Edward Roth's petition the Lord Treasurer will not stop any longer the money due to him [Roth] from the military officers [at Tangier] *ut supra,* p. 385, "for that the said parties are at law."	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Duncombe [Cashier of Excise] to secure for the King's use whatever money of the Excise or Hearthmoney is in the hands of Thomas Price, the goldsmith, or any bills drawn upon him. (The like letter to the Commissioners of Excise and Hearthmoney.)	*Ibid.*
	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners to deliver, Customs free, to Sir Robert Sawyer, Attorney General, another case of pictures now in the King's warehouse and consigned to him for his own use, besides those warranted the 14th inst. *supra,* p. 426.	*Out Letters* (*Customs*) X, p. 74.

Date.	Nature and Substance of the Entry.	Reference.
1685. Nov. 23.	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners to permit bullion to be exported [free] as of late it has been until further order: the Attorney General having given his opinion *supra*, p. 396, that though bullion may be exported by virtue of the Act of Trade yet it ought to pay Custom *ad valorem* by the revived Act of the Customs; but the said Commissioners being of opinion it would very much alter the course of trade and be prejudicial to the revenue [to exact such duty on export thereof].	*Out Letters* (*Customs*) X, p. 74.
	Henry Guy to the Auditor of the Receipt to advance to Sir Benj. Bathurst the 3,000*l.* directed the 17th inst. *supra*, p. 432, to be issued to the Prince and Princess of Denmark out of the Queen Dowager's [Portugal money or] portion.	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 101.
	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the King's Remembrancer for a commission to settle the ports of South Wales to set down the extents, bounds and limits of every port, haven or creek and the quays, wharves and landing places thereof according to the Act of 1 Eliz.: all by reason that the ports of Cardiff and Milford and the quays and wharves there and in Swansea, Pembroke, Cardigan and Aberdovey (being members and creeks of the said two ports) have through lack of time or through alteration of streams and channels become unsettled and unbounded. The Commissioners to be Alexander Trotter, Collector [of Cardiff port]; Richard Gwyn, customer [*ibid.*]; Thomas Andrewes, Comptroller [*ibid.*]; Mansell Stradlin, searcher, *ibid.*; Walter Middleton, customer and collector [of Milford port]; ——— Pervell, comptroller [*ibid.*]; Rich. Evans, searcher, *ibid.*; David Evans, steward of Swansea, Walter Alday, Charles Williams, Walter Morgan, Rowland Davies, Will. Roberts, Samuell Gastrell, John Hollier, Zacharias Bevan, Francis Smith, Will. Mordant, Rich. Nash, John Morris, John Picton, Griffin Bowen, Rich. Hughes, James Philipps, Hector Jones, Lewis Thomas, John Bevan and the Mayors of Swansea, Cardigan and Pembroke.	*Out Letters* (*Customs*) X, pp. 80–2.
Nov. 24.	Same by same to William Hewer to pay 50*l.* to James Gorman as in full of all his pretences to arrears as Aid Major to the late garrison of Tangier.	*Money Book* VI, p. 181.
	Same by same to the Clerk of the Pipe for a lease to Sir Theophilus Oglethorpe and Dame Ellen his wife of a piece of ground, enclosed, in St. James's Park 200 feet north to south and 135 feet east to west and now in their tenure: the present lease to be for 31 years at 10*s. per an.* rent in consideration of Dame Ellen's charge in erecting the several houses and wall thereon and making the gardens: but with proviso of reassumption by the Crown on payment of 2,000*l.* (Docquet hereof signed ? Dec. 1.) *Prefixing:* constat of the premises and ratal thereof by John Fisher dated Nov. 2 inst. in the absence of the Receiver General of Crown Lands.	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, pp. 142–3, 160.
	Treasurer Rochester to Sir William Stapleton, Capt. General and Gov. in Chief of the Leeward Caribbee Islands. The King has received the petition of Barakiah Arnall, master's mate of the pink *Hanna and Elizabeth*, setting forth that before his departure from Antigua he entered into bonds for 1,000*l.* for	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 217.

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1685.	his observation of the Navigation Acts and then sailed the pink direct to Boston where he unladed, but through ignorance omitted to take certificate thereof from the Customs officers there, whereby he has incurred the penalty of said bonds and the forfeiture of said pink; but that he has since obtained the said certificate and therefore prays discharge of said ship and remission of his penalty. The King is satisfied of the truth hereof; and you are to discharge said Arnall from all penalties and to restore said pink to him.	
Nov. 24.	Henry Guy to Mr. Pearse. Bring to the Lord Treasurer your answer to the enclosed answer [missing] of the Customs Commissioners to your paper.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 198.
	Same to Sir Richard Dutton for an account upon oath of all such sums of money as have been granted to you by the Assembly of Barbados and particularly of what you have received contrary to the instructions and orders of the late King. (The like letter to Henry Walrond.)	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Auditor of the Receipt. Mr. Gwyn and I will meet you at your house to-morrow on the petition of Mr. Woodroffe, late Teller's clerk to Sir George Downing, praying not to be laid aside in his old age, he having spent his youth in that employ. Summon Mr. Chudleigh and Mr. Woodroffe to attend.	*Ibid*, p. 199. *Reference Book* III, p. 199.
	Same to Mr. Darcy [*et al.*] to provide as follows forthwith, delivering same to Mris. Du Puy (Depuis). *Appending:* a note signed by the Earl of Peterborough of linen [required] for his Majesty's present occasion, viz. three pieces of fine shadow muslin for 18 cravats, two pieces of fine muslin for necks, 12 hunting cravats.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 199.
	Same to Mr. Stephens [Cashier to the Navy Treasurer] for a particular account how the last 4,000*l.* that was directed for the yachts has been issued.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Docwray. The Judges have lately met and given their opinions that landlords are chargeable with the duty for firehearths in the houses of their poor tenants not paying to church and poor nor having more than two chimneys. You are to order Mr. Nicholls, the constable of Hitchin, to pay the duty and arrears of Hearthmoney deposited in his hands to Mr. Thody, the collector thereof, and he is to give acquittances for same to the respective landlords for the discharge of them and their tenants to Lady day last.	*Ibid*, p. 200.
	Same to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue 200*l.* to me [Guy] for secret service, by way of advance out of the loans on the linen duty. The regular warrants for this issue shall be sent as soon as passed.	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 101.
	Same to same to issue out of [the item of] estates forfeited in the Exchequer 60*l.* to Dr. Board's executors; 20*l.* to Mr. Bertie for Mris. Cock; 100*l.* to Mris. Bointon.	*Ibid.*

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1685. Nov. 24.	Henry Guy to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue as follows out of the Exchequer, viz. :	*Disposition Book* IV, pp. 101–2.
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	Out of money of the Customs.	
	to the Treasurer of the Navy for the Victuallers 2,000	
	to ditto for sea officers and bills in course.. 400	
	to ditto for [the Navy's] weekly money .. 1,000	
	to ditto for fitting to sea the *Henrietta* and *Kitchin* yachts 238	
	to the Treasurer of the Ordnance 1,000	
	Out of money of the Excise.	
	to the Paymaster of the Forces 5,000	
	to the Queen Dowager 1,500	
	to Mr. Rose [Ross, the King's Jeweller] .. 2,000	
	to the Mint Commissioners by way of advance 1,000	
	Out of Post Office money.	
	to me [Guy] for secret service by way of advance 500	
	[to ditto for same] more 130	
	to Mr. Roberts for the works at Windsor.. 500	
	to Sir Hugh Tynt 250	
	Out of the loans on the linen duty.	
	to Mr. Fox more for the Forces 6,000	
	(Same dated same to the Customs Cashier enclosing the paper of the disposition of the Customs cash for this week ; said paper including the above five Customs items [payable out of the Exchequer] together with the following items [payable direct out of the Customs Office on tallies] viz. 1,000*l.* in further part of the [London Customs salary] bill for last Sept. 29 quarter ; 2,700*l.* to Richard Kent and Charles Duncombe in repayment of loan. Total disposition of the Customs, 8,338*l.*) (Same dated same to the Commissioners of Excise and Hearthmoney, enclosing the like paper of disposition for these branches ; said paper including *for the Excise* the above four Excise items [payable out of the Exchequer] together with the following item [payable direct out of the Excise Office on tallies] viz. 2,000*l.* for the bankers' interest. Total disposition of the Excise, 11,500*l.* : and *for the Hearthmoney*, 2,000*l.* to Mr. Toll in repayment of loan ; 2,000*l.* to Mr. Noell for the like [both payable direct out of the Hearthmoney Office on tallies]. Total disposition of the Hearthmoney, 4,000*l.*)	
	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners. Upon your late paper of variations (*supra*, pp. 395–6) from the Acts of Tunnage and Poundage the Attorney General has given his opinion that the Acts whereby those variations were made are repealed and that the duties must be paid according to the revived Act [of Tunnage and Poundage]. You are hereby to accordingly so collect them save only as to bullion exported as to which you have received a particular direction, *supra*, p. 443.	*Out Letters* (*Customs*) X, pp. 75–7.
	Appending : said paper of variations with said opinion of Sir Robert Sawyer thereon.	
	Royal sign manual for 5,000*l.* to William Roberts, Receiver of the rents etc. of the Honor and Castle of Windsor : as imprest for the building, rebuilding etc. of the King's houses and buildings within said Castle. (Money warrant dated Nov. 28 hereon. Money order dated Dec. 1 hereon.)	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 220. *Money Book* VI, p. 182. *Order Book* I, p. 67.

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1685. Nov. 24.	Royal warrant to the Attorney or Solicitor General for a great seal for a grant to Hugh Noden, citizen and merchant tailor of London, of all those five shares of land, with all edifices thereon built situate in the Summer Islands *alias* Bermuda, in parts beyond the seas, being part of six shares of land late in the possession or enjoyment of Sir George Waterman, deceased, or of claimants from him or his or their undertenants or assigns, the other [one] of the said six shares being in the possession of Mr. Christopher Waterman, son of the said Sir George, or of his assigns; "which said five shares hereby intended to be passed were the lands of Owen Row, Cornelius Holland and Sir John Danvers or some of them and were vested in our late royal brother, of blessed memory," by the late Act [of 13 Car. II, c. 15] for declaring the penalties of notorious offenders excepted in the General Act of Oblivion viz., for treasons committed by the said Row, Holland and Danvers severally. The present grantee is hereby to hold said five shares to him and his heirs for ever as of the manor of East Greenwich in free and common socage and by fealty only.	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 220.
	Same to the Clerk of the Signet for a privy seal for settling as follows the affair of the remainder of the Earl of Yarmouth's farm of unwrought wood: viz. the Lord Treasurer to depute officers for collecting the duties upon unwrought wood (masts, timber and unwrought wood of what growth or kind soever and all glass or glassware, earth or earthenware, stone or stoneware and all manufactures of glass, earth or stone and all oranges, lemons, citrons or pomegranads, excepting always the Customs on the goods or merchandises of wood, glass, earth or stone as follows, viz. wood used for dying or for drugs or perfumes, lignum vitae, terra sigillata, precious stones or jewels of all sorts, coral, bezar stone, crystal wrought or unwrought, and all earth or stone used as drugs or for physical use only) imported up to 1688, Sept. 29, into England, Wales or Berwick (the farm of which duties was granted by the late King to Sir Robert Paston, afterwards Earl of Yarmouth as below). All the moneys to be collected up to that date from said duties and all the moneys thereof which since the death of Charles II have been already collected by Rebecca, Countess Dowager of Yarmouth, and William, now Earl of Yarmouth, or their agents (over and above what has been collected thereupon for the hereditary duties which did not determine upon the death of Charles II) are to be paid to the Receiver General of the Customs who is to keep a separate account thereof. And the Lord Treasurer is hereby to give warrant to the said Receiver General to pay all moneys of said duties so received from the death of Charles II to the 29th Sept., 1688 (after deduction of the salaries and incidents of the said collecting officers) as follows viz. in the first place 900*l. per an.* thereof into the Exchequer for the rents reserved to Charles II by the two indentures of the wood farm of 1666, Apr. 5 and 1667–8, Feb. 4, and the arrears thereof (for which tallies of discharge are to be given to the executors of the said late Earl of Yarmouth); in the second place 2,000*l. per an.* to William, present Earl of Yarmouth, on the like rent or yearly sum granted 1672–3, Feb. 17, to Sir Robert Clayton and John Morris in trust; in the third place to Edward	*Ibid*, pp. 221–31.

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1685.	Progers the yearly rent or sum of 800*l.* granted 1674, Nov., and all arrears thereof; in the fourth place to William, now Earl of Yarmouth, the annuity or yearly pension of 1,000*l.* and all arrears thereon granted 1678, Oct. 4. If the said duties on unwrought wood etc. do not suffice to pay said respective yearly sums then the deficit is hereby to be paid out of the Customs generally. All the remainder or balance of the said duties on unwrought wood etc. for said period after meeting the above payments is hereby to be paid by the Receiver General of Customs to Rebecca, Countess of Yarmouth, and William, Earl of Yarmouth, to their only use, without account: all provided that the said Countess and Earl shall from time to time permit such of the said duties (comprehended in the grant to the late Earl of Yarmouth) as are hereditary and did not determine on the death of Charles II, to be, during their interest therein, collected by the abovesaid officers and paid to the Customs Cashier and distributed as above with the other duties abovementioned. The present grant to be revokeable by privy seal or sign manual. The preamble of the present grant recites at length the history of this farm of unwrought wood, and that the King is advised as detailed at length as to the legal continuance of the said duties respectively after the death of Charles II.	
Nov. 24.	Royal warrant to Treasurer Rochester to give order for continuing the freedom [or naturalisations] of ships as follows and for exempting the goods imported in them from payment of aliens' duties under the Navigation Act: the Customs Commissioners having, in two memorials of the 16th and 21st inst. respectively, set forth that a great number of foreign ships were made free by warrant from the late King since the time limited by the Act of Frauds and thereby became exempt from payment of aliens' duty charged by the said Act of Navigation, and that the Attorney General has given it as his opinion that said freedoms are determined by the death of Charles II but that a great interruption of trade is occasioned thereby, more especially in the trade to the Plantations whither many of those ships are now dispatching and divers already gone; wherefore the said Commissioners propose that said ships might continue their freedoms as formerly on proof of their former freedom: which opinion of the said Commissioners is practically repeated in their said second memorial of the 21st inst. in which they state that although they constantly gave their opinion against the making of those ships free yet since they have obtained their freedoms and are engaged in several useful trades which cannot regularly be carried on without them it would be so great an interruption to trade to disfranchise them at once that you do not think it will be for his Majesty's service. (Warrant dated Nov. 24 hereon from Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners to continue said freedoms accordingly, "I having laid this matter before his Majesty.")	*King's Warrant Book* X, pp. 235–6. *Out Letters* (*Customs*) X, pp. 74–5.
Nov. 25.	Henry Guy to the Auditor of the Receipt and the Clerk of the Pells not to suffer Thomas Price and Bernard Turnor to make any assignments of moneys due to them from any branch of the revenue; and not to enter any such assignments in either of your offices: and further not to issue any money	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 199.

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1685.	to them without first acquainting the Lord Treasurer therewith.	
Nov. 25.	Henry Guy to the Auditor of the Receipt to advance 500*l.* to me [Guy] for secret service out of the loans on the linen duty. The regular warrants for issue thereof shall be sent as soon as passed.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 200.
	Same to same to advance to the Treasurer of the Navy out of the money of the Queen Dowager's [Portugal] portion 4,053*l.* 7*s.* 4*d.*, which is intended to be paid as follows, viz. 2,053*l.* 7*s.* 4*d.* to Mr. Gore for hemp lately bought of him and delivered into the stores at Portsmouth and Woolwich; 2,000*l.* in further part of the 29,745*l.* for the extraordinary and ordinary repairs of the Navy. The present sum is to be made good again to the Teller [who advances it] by [automatically] paying to him the money of the imposition on wine and vinegar as it comes into the Exchequer.	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 103.
	Same to same to issue to me for secret service (out of money lent by Mr. Kingdon, Mr. Trant and Mr. Bridges) 8,000*l.* in full of 18,000*l.*	*Ibid.*
Nov. 26.	Same to the Customs Commissioners to send to the Countess of Rochester's lodgings at Whitehall a box arrived in the *Carpenter's Adventure*, Henry Laurence master, and directed to Henry Savile, Vice-Chamberlain of the Household.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 200.
	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to Mr. Hewer of the petition of Thomas Harriott for half a year's pay due to him for service at Tangier: he being in great want.	*Reference Book* III, p. 206.
Nov. 28.	Warrant by same to the Customs Commissioners to deliver, Customs free, to John Galais, the vinegar *ut supra*, p. 404, the same being in a perishing condition and reduced by leakage to two tuns.	*Out Letters* (*Customs*) IX, p. 79.
	Same by same to same to employ Tho. Shaw (a waiter at Wyrewater in Poulton port) as a same at Poulton *loco* James Nickinson, lately deceased. Robert Cox as a boatman at Milton in Faversham port at 10*l.* *per an.*: he having been a boatman extraordinary.	*Ibid*, p. 78.
	Same by same to same approving the establishment (not detailed) for Swansea port, to a total of 467*l.* *per an.*	*Ibid*, p. 79.
	Reference by same to Rich. Graham and Phi. Burton of the petition to the King from Sir William Goslin and Sir Peter Vandeput, sheriffs of London for the year ended Sept. 29 last, praying for a grant of the fines and amerciaments set upon offenders at the Guildhall and Old Bailey, the like grant having been made to their immediate predecessors: which said fines etc. were formerly as a perquisite of their office granted to the sheriffs by royal bounty, but by a proviso in the [present] sheriffs' commissions have been reserved for the King's own use.	*Reference Book* III, p. 206.

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1685. Nov. 28.	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Clerk of the Pipe for a lease to John Holman of a messuage and tenement in the parish of Boyton, co. Cornwall, now in the tenure of John Roll as demised 1682–3, Feb. 25, to Sam Lang. The present lease is to be for 99 years, terminable on the lives of said Holman, Mary his wife and Mary Lang, his said wife's daughter by the said Sam Lang at the ancient rent of 13*s.* 9*d. per an.* and fine of 20*l.* *Prefixing and appending :* (*a*) particular of the premises. (*b*) Ratal dated Nov. 14 thereof by John Fisher in the absence of the Surveyor General of Crown Lands. (*c*) Entry of the signature dated 1685, Dec. 21, by the Lord Treasurer and Chancellor of the Exchequer of the docquet of this lease.	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, pp. 156–8, 180.
	Money warrant for 50*l.* to Thomas Doyly for half a year to Sept. 29 last on his annuity of 100*l.*	*Money Book* VI, p. 181.
	Same for 1,500*l.* to Katherine, Queen Dowager, for last Sept. 29 quarter on her annuity or pension of 6,000*l.*	*Ibid*, p. 182.
	Same dormant for the fee or salary of 1,000*l. per an.* to Sir Edward Herbert, kt., Lord Chief Justice of the King's Bench, as from the first day of this Michaelmas term. The like for the salary of 1,000*l. per an.* to Sir Robert Wright, late one of the Barons of the Exchequer and now one of the Justices of the King's Bench. The like for same to Sir Edwd. Nevill, one of the Barons of the Exchequer. The like for 500*l. per an.* to Sir Edwd. Lutwich as Chief Justice of Chester.	*Ibid*, pp. 182, 183.
	Money warrant for 860*l.* 18*s.* 8*d.* to William Hewer for 6 *per cent.* interest to Oct. 1 last on several sums by him advanced for his Majesty's service ; as by an account thereof made up by Auditor Aldworth and allowed by Treasurer Rochester the 4th inst. (Money order dated Dec. 2 hereon.)	*Ibid*, p. 183. *Order Book* I, p. 67.
	Same for 75*l.* to Richard Le Bas for three quarters to Sept. 29 last on his fee as Marshal of the Ceremonies : being what is due thereon since his Majesty's accession.	*Money Book* VI, p. 183.
	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to William Hewer to pay 400*l.* to the Earl of Peterborough for half a year to 1684, Mar. 25, on his pension [on the Tangier establishment].	*Ibid.*
	Money warrant for 125*l.* to the executors of Philip Warwick for 1¼ years to 1682, Christmas, on his annuity of 100*l.*	*Ibid*, p. 184.
	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Cashier to pay half a year to 1685, June, to the officers of the Pipe on their fees payable out of the Customs, viz. 31*l.* 11*s.* 0*d.* to the Clerk of the Pipe for himself, the Secondary and other sworn Clerks of the Pipe Office ; 2*l.* 17*s.* 6*d.* to the Comptroller of the Pipe ; 5*l.* 17*s.* 8*d.* to John Ady and John Cole, Deputy Chamberlains of the Exchequer : being for the first half year since the King's accession.	*Ibid.*
	Same by same to Brooke Bridges and Thomas Done, Auditors of Imprests, to allow 301*l.* 2*s.* 6*d.* to William Roberts in his accounts 1670–1, Jan. 1, to 1680,	*Ibid*, pp 184-5.

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1685.	Oct. 1, as paymaster of tho works and buildings at Windsor for Exchequer and other fees and incidents etc.	
Nov. 28.	[Henry Guy] to the Auditor of Receipt to advance to me [Guy] for secret service 300*l.* out of the 317*l.* Excise money now in the Exchequer. The regular warrants for this issue shall be sent to you as soon as passed.	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 103.
	Same to the Customs Commissioners to have brought up to London a case in the Custom House, Dover, directed to John Beriend, merchant in London.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 217.
	Same to the Attorney General to report on the enclosed draft [missing] of a warrant to empower Mr. Ange to receive all Recusants' fines whatsoever.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Blathwayte enclosing (*a*) *infra.* *Appending :* (*a*) letter from Sir Richard Dutton [? to Henry Guy] containing an account of what money was given by the Assembly of Barbados to his Majesty for my use, "and my general account lyeth before Mr. Blathwayte in which this is likewise expressed, which I am ready to make oath of." By an Act of the Assembly dated 1684, Oct. 3, at Barbados 2,000*l.* was given to his Majesty for my use ; of which sum there still remains 1,000*l.* in the [Barbados] Treasurer's hands payable to me or my order by note of his hand. By an Act of the Assembly 500*l.* was deposited in my hands for soliciting the commutation of the Four and a Half *per cent.* duty.	*Ibid*, p. 200. *Out Letters* (*Plantations Auditor*) I, pp. 176–7.
	Same to the Excise Commissioners to report on the enclosed paper [missing] which came to Treasurer Rochester from the Gentlemen of Carmarthenshire. Take the Attorney General's opinion on it.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 201.
	Same to Visct. Brouneker, one of the trustees of the Duchess of Cleveland and her sons for Nonsuch Park. The late King once signed a warrant for disparking Nonsuch, but this was afterwards countermanded by Lord Godolphin's signification of the King's pleasure to the contrary. Is the park disparking or no and what has been done therein since the said countermand ? (The like letter dated Dec. 1 to Visct. Grandison the other trustee thereof.)	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Burton to report on the enclosed petition [missing] of Giles Dowle, attorney-at-law, who has done the King good service by destroying tobacco planted in England and who has therefore been arrested and molested by several feigned actions. You are to consider the best way to protect him in doing his duty.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Customs Commissioners to deliver to Lady Elland, Customs free, two little pareels of trussels in the Custom house at Dover, being directed to her.	*Ibid.*
Nov. 29.	Same to Mr. Darcy *et al.* to deliver items as follow and to eover the stage so soon to-morrow as	*Ibid*, p. 217.

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1685.	that it may be ready for the play which is to be acted to-morrow night. *Appending :* letter dated Nov. 28 inst. from the Earl of Mulgrave, Lord Chamberlain, to the Lord Treasurer. The King has commanded that plays should be acted at Court every week. The following are wanting for the comedians' use, viz. the stage to be covered with strong coarse green cloth to be done by Monday night next ; two close stools ; six chamber pots ; six brass candlesticks ; four pairs of snuffers.	
Nov. 30.	Henry Guy to the Customs Commissioners to permit the transport of the following goods. *Appending :* memorial to the Lord Treasurer from the Portugal Envoy desiring order to the Customs officers at Plymouth to permit William Martin of Plymouth to transport, Customs free, all the arms and powder which he received from the citadel at Plymouth under a letter of attorney from Jeronimo Munez da Costa, agent for the King of Portugal in Holland, which were unladen [at Plymouth] out of a ship bound for the Guinea Coast upon suspicion of belonging to the late Duke of Monmouth, but which were since cleared.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 218.
	Same to Mr. Eden for an account what is become of the two little trunks of writings which (with a little gold box containing an episcopal ring, a silver hilted sword, some books, some mathematical instruments made of gold or silver) were taken out of Mr. Thomas Jolley's house in Drury Lane 1678–9, Feb. 18, by Justice Warcup and which were lodged in the King's Remembrancer's Office.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Sir Gilbert Talbot for a certificato what quantity of plate is usually allowed by the King to Ambassadors Extraordinary and what quantity the last such ambassador had.	*Ibid*, p. 203.
	Money warrant for 7*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.* to the University of Cambridge for three quarters to Sept. 29 on their perpetuity : being what is due thereon since the King's accession.	*Money Book* VI, p. 184.
	Two royal sign manuals for respectively 630*l.* and 300*l.* to Henry Guy, for secret service, without account : to be issued on tho 10,000*l.* dormant privy seal of the 18th inst. (Two money warrants dated Dec. 1 hereon. Two money orders dated Dec. 1 hereon.)	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 233. *Money Book* VI, p. 185. *Order Book* I, p. 67.
	Royal warrant to Treasurer Rochester to give warrant to Edward, Earl of Gainsborough, Warden of New Forest, Sir Richard Beach, kt., Thomas Bilson, Tho. Agar, Surveyor of Woods Trent South, Francis Dickins, Woodward of New Forest, Edward Lee, Isaac Betts, the King's builder in Portsmouth Yard, and to the assistant builder there to fell 300 oaks and 50 beach trees in time this winter for carriage to the waterside, (viz. Portsmouth Yard) early in the spring, to be used (for the service of the Navy at Portsmouth and) for ways and other uses on the new double dock designed to be built at Portsmouth : it appearing that there are above 3,700 oak trees now standing in the several bailiwicks of said forest which may produce above 5,000 loads of timber for the Navy and that 1,000 thereof may be felled for	*King's Warrant Book* X, pp. 233–4. *Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, p. 155. *Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 201.

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1685.	the purposes of the Navy at Portsmouth this ensuing year. (Treasurer Rochester's warrant hereon accordingly dated Nov. 30.) (Treasurer Rochester dated Nov. 28 to the Earl of Chesterfield, giving him notice of this warrant.)	
Nov. 30.	Royal warrant to the Attorney or Solicitor General for a privy seal for a grant to Sir Jno. Holland, kt. and bart. (in trust for John Rix, an infant) of all the personal estate of 131*l.* 5*s.* 0*d.* of his father John Rix, of Old Buckenham, co. Norfolk, executed for murdering his wife.	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 237.
	Same to the Clerk of the Signet for a same to settle as follows the affair of the remainder of Visct. Townshend's farm of 4*s.* per chalder on coals exported beyond seas: viz. the Lord Treasurer to constitute officers to collect the said duty up to 1688, Sept. 29: all the proceeds thereof (together with the sums collected since the death of Charles II by Abraham Barrington, Geo. Robinson, the executors of Sir William Blackett and of George Blake) to be paid to the Customs Cashier upon a separate accompt and to be issued as follows, viz. in the first place to pay the salaries and incidents of said officers; in the second place to pay 1,000*l. per an.* into the Exchequer for the King's use as Horatio, Visct. Townshend's rent for the farm of said duty; and in the third place to pay to said Viscount Townshend his heirs etc. without account the sums due to him under the indenture of 1668, Oct. 26, viz. 2,101*l.* for the two half years ended Sept. 29 last (being the remainder of the rent of 2,200*l.* covenanted to be paid to him after defalcation of 99*l.*) and 2,101*l.* yearly for the two years to 1687, Sept. 29, and 525*l.* 5*s.* 0*d.* for the quarter to 1687, Christmas, and a peppercorn, if demanded, for the remaining three quarters to 1688, Sept. 29: being the rents covenanted to be paid to said Visct. by said Blake, Barrington, Robinson and Blackett; and in the fourth place to pay all the remainder in four equal parts to said Barrington, Robinson, Blackett's executors and Blake's executors. The present privy seal to be revocable by privy seal or sign manual. The said duty was granted by indenture dated 1666–7, Mar. 21, to said Lord Townshend for 21 years from 1667, Michaelmas, at 1,000*l. per an.* rent and by indenture dated 1668, Oct. 26, was by said Lord subfarmed to said Blake *et al. ut supra*, for 1,650*l.* advance and 1,000*l. per an.* to be paid into the Exchequer for the King's rent and 2,200*l. per an.* rent to said Lord with defalcation of 99*l. per an.* thereout. The said Blake and partners by an indenture of 1668, Nov. 28, agreed to divide the profits of said farm in four equal parts among themselves. The King being advised that the said grant of said duty is determined by the late King's death (as the Parliamentary grant of the Customs was for his Majesty's life only) is pleased that said duties be collected in future by the Customs officers but that said grantees shall have the benefit thereof *ut supra* for the remainder of their original term.	*Ibid*, pp. 238-46.
	Privy seal for the payment out of the Customs of Exeter and Dartmouth ports of the annuity or yearly sum of 40*l.* to the mayor, bailiffs and burgesses of the borough of Clifton, Dartmouth, Hardness and of all arrears thereon for purposes	*Ibid*, pp. 219-20.

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1685.	as follow: King Henry VII having by indenture dated 1485–6, Jan. 16, granted said sum to said borough, they covenanting therein to finish and garnish with guns, artillery and other ordnance defensive and sufficient, a certain tower and bulwark then in building for the safeguard of said town and parts adjacent and from thenceforward for ever to ordain and find a chain sufficient in length and strength to stretch over-thwart the mouth of the haven of Dartmouth from one tower to another tower and all times thereafter to fortify and repair and keep garnished with guns the said towers and bulwarks. This present re-grant is necessitated by the new grant of the Customs to the present King. (Royal warrant dated Nov. 21 for said privy seal.)	
Nov. 30.	Privy seal for 1,500*l.* as equipage and 100*l.* per week as ordinary to Roger, Earl of Castlemaine, as Ambassador Extraordinary to Rome: together with the usual clause for allowance of his extraordinaries.	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 259.
Dec. 1.	Money warrant for 150*l.* to John Shales for three quarters to Sept. 29 last, on his fee or salary as an auditor of the revenue.	*Money Book* VI, p. 185.
	Same for 30*l.* to Thomas Bouchier for same time as Dr. of Civil Laws and Professor of same in the University of Oxford. 30*l.* to John Luff for same as Dr. in Phisick and Reader of same *ibid.*	*Ibid.*
	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to William Hewer, Treasurer for the affairs of Tangier, to pay six months' pay 1682, April 1, to Oct. 1, to Bernard Tessin as Ensign to Capt. Chantrell's Company at Tangier, notwithstanding he is not borne upon the musters from 1682, April, to 1683, Oct., he having been restored by the late King to his said employment from which he was before suspended.	*Ibid*, p. 186.
	Same by same to same to adjust [as follows] with the respective Captains both of Horse and Foot of the Forces come from Tangier for the pay due to them and the soldiers for the six months now to be issued under the Lord Treasurer's warrant of Aug. 10 last, *supra*, p. 300; taking care to deduct what is duo to the King, to yourself for money advanced or to the officers from their respective Companies: the King having ordered (upon a late application made by the said officers) that instead of paying only the soldiers actually belonging to the respective Companies and so appearing by the musters taken in July, 1685 (according to the Lord Treasurer's warrant of Sept. 24 last *supra*, p. 348) they be paid according to the respective musters taken at Tangier and that no regard be had to the account given in by the said officers to Lord Dartmouth on [their] honour on his arrival there, but that the last muster made at Tangier in Oct. 1683, be the guide in paying them from that time to 1684, May 1 (the time of their entering into pay in England on a new establishment).	*Ibid.*
	Same dormant by same to the Customs Cashier to pay the pensions of Joane, Anthony, Charles, Ann and Mary Ellesdon as by the patent of Nov. 20	*Ibid*, p. 187.

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1685.	last, what is already due and what shall hereafter grow due thereon.	
Dec. 1.	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners to imprest 100*l.* to Patrick Meine for his equipage as Surveyor General of the Colonies of Virginia and Maryland and as advance on his allowance of 20*s.* a day.	*Money Book* VI, p. 187.
	Money warrant for 150*l.* to Lieut. William Armstrong for three quarters to Sept. 29 last on his pension: out of the Queen Dowager's [Portugal] portion. (Money order dated Dec. 3 hereon.)	*Ibid*, 187. *Order Book* I, p. 68.
	Same for 72*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.* to Timothy Whitfeild, Clerk of Foreign Estreats; being 15*l.* for three quarters to Sept. 29 last on his 20*l.* *per an.* for keeping the records of forfeitures of Recusants estreated in the Exchequer and carrying them from time to time to the Pipe for them to be speedily drawn into the Great Roll and 57*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.* for same time on his annual fees and allowances of 10*l.*, 33*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.*, 26*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.* and 6*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.* for the pains of him and his clerks in extracting fines and amerciaments. (Money order dated Dec. 3 hereon for 40*l.*, being 15*l.*, 20*l.* and 5*l.* for the first and last two of the above fees.)	*Money Book* VI, pp. 187-8. *Order Book* I, p. 68.
	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the King's Remembrancer, Treasurer's Remembrancer, Clerk of the Pipe, and Edward Ange to wholly supersede process against the following persons [Recusants] their lands and goods until the King's pleasure be further known; and against the lessees of the two-third parts of their estates: and to restore all moneys levied on them and not answered to the King and to discharge the sheriffs who have charged themselves therewith as directed in the warrant of July 7 *supra*, p. 255: all as by the royal sign manual of May 11 last. *Appending:* schedule of said Recusants. *co. Warwick.* Bridget Ferrers, widow of Henry Ferrers, of Badgley [Baddesley] Clinton. *co. Yorks.* Lady Mary Tankard of Ripon, relict of Sir Tho. Tankard, of Branton. John Faucett, yeoman. *cos. Oxford and Bucks.* The Rt. Honbl. Elizabeth Lady Dowager Abergavenny, of Sherborne. Sir Henry Browne, bart. Ralph Sheldon esq., of Barton. Richard, Henry and Peter Fermor, of Tursmeere. Basil Brooke, of North Aston. Thomas Guldeford, of same. John Stoner, of Stonor, esq. Barthol. Fettiplace, of Swyncombe. John Kemble, of same. Richard Kilby, of Souldern. William Hildersly, of Little Stoke, esq. Francis Forster, of Crowmarsh. John Weedon, of Souldern. Mary Weedon, widow, of same. Bernard Weedon, of same. James Horne, of same. Francis Herriman, of Somerton. Tho. Smyth, of same.	*Money Book* VI, pp. 189-90.

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1685.		
	Walter Day, of Somerton.	
	Eleanor Collingridge, widow, of same.	
	Thomas Collingridge, of same.	
	Edmund Collingridge, of same.	
	Robert Leppington, of same.	
	Ann Saunders, widow, of same.	
	John Clarke, of same.	
	John East, of same.	
	William Collingridge, of same.	
	William East, of same.	
	Phillip Prujan, of Goddington.	
	Richd. Clement, of same.	
	William Nicholls, of same.	
	Richard Meades, of same.	
	Thomas Yoxon, of same.	
	Charles Busby, of same.	
	Hugh Paxton, of same.	
	Thom. Paxton, of same.	
	William Paxton, of same.	
	Elinor Allum, of same.	
	Tho. Thomkins, of same.	
	Eliz. Tomkins, widow, of same.	
	Margaret Hawkins, of same.	
	Robert Fox, of Middle Aston.	
	Ralph Hatton, of Tursmeere.	
	Mary Cox, of same.	
	James Waters, of same.	
	Jno. Pennington, of Hardwick.	
	Vinca East, widow, of same.	
	William Clark, of Stokenorton.	
	Thom. Lawrence, of Cottesford.	
	Jno. Gill, of Heath [Hethe].	
	Edward Justice, of same.	
	Robert Savage, of Fringford.	
	Dorothy Davis, of same.	
	Bartho. Stile, of Astwell [Asthall].	
	Edmund Powell, esq., of Sandford.	
	Tho. Childry, of Littlestoke.	
	Jno. Abery, of same.	
	Thom. Kimber, of the city of Oxford.	
	Jno. Lazonby, of same.	
	——— Napper, of same.	
	Jno. Thorpe, of same.	
	Christopher Raynold gent., of Cassington.	
	Tho. Day, of Dorchester.	
	John Prince, of Overy.	
	Thomas Shatt, of Clifton.	
	Lecester Blunt esq., of Mapledurham.	
	Jno. Belson, esq., of Okenchurch.	
	Jno. Tirnder, esq., of Westwell.	
	William Perkins, of Cottrop.	
	Jno. Collet, of North Aston.	
	William Carke, junr., of Stoko Norton.	
	Ann Betham, of Sandford.	
	Ann Earle, of St. Clemence.	
	Edward Smyth, of Oxford [city].	
	Katherine Harding, of same.	
	Cha. Harding, her son, of same.	
	Tho. Lazinbee, of same.	
	William Heycocke, of Yoake.	
	Jno. Palmer, of same.	
	Tho. Kimber, of Littleman.	
	William Buslin, of Oxford.	
	William Prince, of Yennon.	
	Richd. Bradshaw, of Cotton [Coton].	
	Cha. Harding, of Oxford [city].	
	Jno. Prince, of Overy.	
	Sir Jno. Curson, of Waterperry.	

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1685.	Jno. Webb, of Waterperry. Benjamin Thorburgh, esq. — Henry Fleetwood, esq. Prudence Crompton, widow. — Eliz Major. Ed. Barnes. Mary Macclesfeild, widow. — Jno. Hitchins. Peter Macclesfeild. — Tho. Morris. Ann Coyney, widow. — Peter Child. Edwd. Rowley. — Lawrence Nash. Francis Hinds. — Edmd. Adis (Addis). Mary Berry. — Geo. Barker. Arthur Fox. — William Gild. Tho. Fleetwood, gent. — Jno. Middlemore. Tho. Bagnall. — Gilbert Talbott. Jno. Bagnall. — Francis Jandy. Robert Woodrosse [*sic* forWoodroffe]. — Henry Hanford. Tho. Griffin. Jerman Poole, gent. — Thomas King. Francis Halford. — Simon Pitt. Robert Stuke. — Henry Coates. Henry Beesly. — William Staples. Richard Brandon. — Anne Smyth. Jno. Hitchins.	
Dec. 1.	Henry Guy to the Auditor of the Receipt to advance 200*l.* to me [Guy] for secret service out of the loans on the linen duty. Tho regular warrants for this issue shall be sent as soon as passed.	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 103.
	Same to same to issue (out of Mr. Thomas Hall's loans) 6,000*l.* to William Hewer for the affairs of Tangier.	*Ibid*, p. 104.
	Same to same to issue out of seizures in the Exchequer 30*l.* each to Dr. Bourchier and Dr. Luffe.	*Ibid.*
	Same to same to issue as follows out of the Exchequer.	*Ibid.*

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Out of Customs moneys.			
to the Treasurer of the Navy for the Victuallers	2,000	0	0
to ditto for sea officers and bills in course	400	0	0
Out of Excise moneys.			
to the Paymaster of the Forces	6,000	0	0
to Sir Steph. Fox on his privy seal for 16,000*l.*	1,000	0	0
to Sir Sam. Morland in part of what is due to him	500	0	0
Out of the Post Office Money.			
to Mr. Graham for the Privy Purse	1,000	0	0
to Mr. Packer, Paymaster of the Works, for the wall cross the garden in St. James's Park	65	0	0
to me [Guy] for secret service	242	2	0
Out of loans on the linen duty.			
to the Paymaster of the Forces	4,000	0	0

(Same dated same to the Customs Cashier enclosing the paper of the disposition of the Customs for the present week, said paper including the abovesaid two Customs items [payable out of the Exchequer] together with the following items [payable direct out of the Customs Office on tallies] viz. 2,279*l.* 19*s.* 2*d.* for the remainder of the quarter book [of salaries, London port, for last Sept. 29 quarter]; 2,000*l.* to Mr. Kent and Mr. Duncombe in repayment of loan. Total disposition of the Customs, 6,679*l.* 19*s.* 2*d.*)
(Same dated same to the Commissioners of Excise and Hearthmoney enclosing the like paper of disposition for those branches of the revenue; said paper including *for the Excise* the above three Excise

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1685.	items [payable out of the Exchequer] together with the following item [payable direct out of the Excise on tallies] viz. 1,000*l.* to Mr. Toll in repayment of loan: and *for the Hearthmoney* the item of 3,000*l.* to Mr. Noell in repayment of loan [being payable direct out of the Hearthmoney Office on tallies]. Total disposition of the Excise and Hearthmoney combined, 11,500*l.*)	
Dec. 1.	Henry Guy to Mr. Graham to report on the enclosed particular [missing] of Sir Robt. Peyton's estate, which particular was presented to the Lord Treasurer by Mr. Bryan Ayliff.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 203.
	Same to Mr. Fox [Paymaster of the Forces]. "I am commanded by my Lord Treasurer [to request you] to impress further to Mr. Auditor Shales [as Commissary General of the provisions for the Army] 200*l.* upon account of building the Hospital on Hounslow Heath."	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Griffin [Treasurer of the Chamber]. Charles Coleman, one of the King's musicians and Arthur Wichells, Silvanus Rowlee and Rich. Eades, three of the falconers, have surrendered their patents in order to be paid the allowances settled for them on the establishment of your Office.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Sir Christopher Wren to estimate for the following. *Appending:* letter dated Nov. 16 last from the Earl of Mulgrave, Lord Chamberlain, to the Lord Treasurer. The office in Whitehall belonging to my place as Lord Chamberlain is so far decayed that it is propped up to keep it from falling. Please order it to be rebuilt to make it fit for his Majesty's service.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Fisher [Deputy Surveyor General of Crown Lands]. There is a proposition made for the King's buying the other moiety of the manor of Reigate. You are to survey it with Auditor Parsons and Mr. Graham and to report thereon and as to the sufficiency of the tenants that offer to take it at the rate proposed. I enclose a former report [missing] made by Mr. Harbord thereon.	*Ibid*, p. 204.
	Same to the Commissioners of Excise and Hearthmoney. The Lord Treasurer is dissatisfied that the certificates of the Excise and Hearthmoney are so low this week, especially the Hearthmoney. What is the reason and why has no more of the Hearthmoney due at Sept. 29 last yet come in?	*Ibid*, p. 218.
	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Surveyor General of Crown Lands for a particular of the 1st, 2nd, 4th and 5th items of premises in the Duchy of Cornwall as follow with a view to a lease thereof to William Hooper on terms detailed. *Prefixing:* said Surveyor General's report dated Mar. 31 last on said Hooper's petition for renewal of leases in the premises, which said petition was referred to said Surveyor General 1684, April 25. The first tenement, in the manor of Carnedon Prior, is called Boucherden, held by Hooper for life under the old rent of 6*s.* 4*d. per an.* and 75*s. per an. de incremento.* The yearly value is 8*l.* 16*s.* 0*d.* by Sir Richard Prideaux's certificate. I advise a fine	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, pp. 158–60.

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1685.	of 30*l.* for two fresh lives and 22*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.* for buying off the increased rent. The second tenement is called South Botternell in said manor; in the tenure of Steph. Dill at 6*s.* 6*d. per an.* and 4*l.* 10*s.* 0*d. per an. de incremento.* The yearly value is certified at 8*l.* 12*s.* 6*d.* I advise a fine of 30*l.* for two fresh lives and 27*l.* for buying off the increased value. The above two tenements were in 1662 passed in lease to Edward Kneebone in trust for the tenants *ut supra.* The three remaining tenements as follow were passed to Henry Seymour by several patents and were afterwards purchased of him by the present tenants as follow. The third called Ourtrelabe, in said manor, is held by William Shere and was granted to said Seymour in 1664 for the lives of his two nephews in reversion of Jonathan and Charles Trelawney at the old rent of 29*s. per an.* and 9*l. per an. de incremento.* I advise 36*l.* as reasonable for buying off the increased rent for the said two lives in reversion, being a leasehold. The fourth is a tenement called Boviates; is in the manor of Climsland Prior; was granted as No. 3 *supra* in reversion of Robert John at the old rent of 6*s.* 9*d. per an.* and 40*s. per an. de incremento.* Said John purchased at a dear rate from Seymour and left it to his grandchild, Joan Grubb. The tenement is valued at 7*l. per an.* I advise a fine of 5*l.* and 16*l.* for buying off the increased rent for the lives of the two Mr. Trelawneys in possession. The fifth tenement is called Kersbrooke in the manor of Climsland Prior: was granted as No. 3 *supra* to Seymour for the life of Henry Trelawney, one of Seymour's nephews in reversion of two lives whereof only Mary Lobb is surviving; under the old rent of 10*s.* 4*d. per an.* and 70*s. per an. de incremento.* It was purchased of Seymour and assigned to Luke Body. The value is 12*l. per an.* I advise a fine of 10*l.* for a third life and 10*l.* for buying off the increased rent for Trelawney's life in reversion of Lobb. Only the first tenement is to be for Hooper; the other four are to be to the use of the respective tenants as above.	
Dec. 1.	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Clerk of the Pipe for a lease to Owen Roberts, gent., of premises as follow for 99 years terminable on the lives of Robert, Thom. and Andoenus Roberts: at a rent of 29*s.* 10½*d. per an.* and a fine of 20*l.*: the said lessee to assign the last parcel as follows to Lady Anne Trevor, widow, [now] Viscountess Dungannon. *Prefixing:* (*a*) particular and memorandum of the premises made out by Deputy Auditor Thomas Tudor 1684, Dec. 9: same being (1) five oxgangs of land escheated in the vill of Dironwey and Commote of Tal-y-Bolion, co. Anglesea, which belonged to Traherne ap Blethin a free tenant of the said vill, escheated for the slaying of Roger Puleston: ancient rental, 15*s.* 2*d. per an.*; (2) two oxgangs in said vill, being lands of Madder ap Meredith ap Blathin forfeited for the slaying of Eden ap Reimer: ancient rental, 2*s.* 8*d. per an.*; (3) a parcel of land called Ithellydrin in the vill of Clygyrog and Commote of Tal-y-Bolion, and late in the tenure of William ap Rees ap Glyn, formerly demised to Humfrey Gilbert and now or late in the tenure of Robert Bulkely: ancient rental, 3*s.* 4*d. per an.*; (4) two oxgangs of land called Yorkins, late the lands of Meredith ap Ll[ewely]n Collier,	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, pp. 161–3.

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1685.	formerly in the tenure of William Lewis, called Welle Cadder Llowarth, in the vill of Treslower, and formerly demised to Humfrey Gilbert by Queen Elizabeth and now or late in the tenure of Robert Bulkeley: ancient rental, 8*s.* 8*d. per an.*; the above four rentals making altogether 28*s.* 10*d. per an.* The lease of 19 James I to Robt. Bulkeley cannot be found but during said Bulkeley's life tho rent was paid by John Bulkeley for the life of William Bulkeley, the survivor of the three lives therein and since the death of said William Bulkeley in April, 1683, it has been paid by Robt. son of said John, an infant about eight years old. (*b*) Ratals dated 1684, Dec. 13, by tho Surveyor General of Crown Lands and 1685, Nov. 23, by John Fisher (in the absence of the Surveyor General of Crown Lands) of said particular.	
Dec. 1.	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to Tho. Done, an Auditor of Imprests, to allow items as follow in the accounts of Mr. Burton of moneys expended in Crown law suits 1684, Michaelmas, to 1685, Michaelmas, according to Burton's affidavit, "the nature of part of the disbursements not well admitting of acquittances to justify the payment." *Prefixing:* report dated Oct. 15 last by said Auditor on said account. The total charge is 5,931*l.* 16*s.* 2½*d.* and the total discharge 6,637*l.* 18*s.* 6½*d.* leaving the accomptant in surplus 706*l.* 2*s.* 4*d.* I required of the accountant the particular Treasury directions for the prosecution of the several causes. He informs me that there are minutes in Mr. Guy's book [the Treasury Minute Book] that vouch the same. He produces several acquittances for the moneys paid by him to Mr. Graham by Treasury direction; and to Mr. Arden, attorney in the cause between Mr. Lampden [Hampden] and the late Treasury Lords; to Mr. Appleby for proceedings in the case against Gutch; to Mr. Verdon, Mr. Arnold, Mr. Hill and Mr. Buggins for charges about levying upon Sir Edmo. Bacon, Sir Robt. Kemp and Charles Doyley as sureties of Sir William Doyly; to Mr. Farthing for breviats in the causes against Guilmore and against Bucknall, Raymond *et al.*, and against Verdon *et al.* and against Bucknall; to Mr. Morgan and Mr. Crew for business done; to Mr. Butler in the cause against Humphries; to Mr. Willey, the Clerk in Chancery, for service in the cause against Baxter; to the sheriff for serving process in the cause against Bowden; to Mr. Fanshaw and Mr. Ward for proceedings in the cause against the borough of St. Ives in Cornwall; to Mr. Lilley for proceedings in the cause between Culmer and Randall; to Mr. Crooke, attorney, in the cause against Wetherhead *et al.*; to Mr. Guice, Mr. Hastings and Mr. Smith for proceedings in the cause against Barbone *et al.*; to Mr. Wigg for proceedings in the cause between the Duke of Ormonde and Mr. Ketherington; to Mr. Hanses for several proceedings; to Sir Roger L'Estrange for charges in sending for witnesses produced at the trial of Titus Oates; to John Packer; to Mr. Richardson, a witness in several of his Majesty's causes; to the Attorney General's clerk and for stationery. But as to the fees paid for passing the patent to constitute the sheriffs of London and Middlesex and for renewing same on the death of Charles II, the 50*l.* paid by said Burton to Mr. Romsey, town clerk	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, pp. 164–5.

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1685.	of Bristol out of fines levied on dissenters there, fees to counsel, fees at the Exchequer, Treasury Chambers, boat hire, coach hire and incident charges paid in Court at the hearing of abovesaid causes he has produced no acquittances for same, it being not usual to give or take receipts in such cases.	
Dec. 1.	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Clerk of the Pipe for a grant to Hector Phillips and William Hooker in trust for John Vaughan, son of Edward Vaughan, of Trawscoed, co. Cardigan, of the office of steward of the lordships or manors and lands of Mevenydd, Creuddyn, Henniniock, Caerwedros and Perfedd in co. Cardigan, and parcel of the Principality of South Wales, as granted 1674–5, Feb. 4, to said Edward Vaughan for life: the present grant to be during pleasure. *Prefixing:* a particular of said office made out by Robt. Humphreys (in the absence of the Auditor of South Wales) and ratal by the Surveyor General of Crown Lands.	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, pp. 165–6.
	Same by same to the Customs Commissioners to employ Sam Dassell as waiter and searcher at Weymouth *loco* John Penny, lately dismissed.	*Out Letters* (*Customs*) X, p. 78.
	Reference by same to Mr. Graham and Mr. Burton of the petition of Steph. Timewell, a Justice of Peace in Taunton, co. Somerset: petitioner shewing that by the late rebellion he, his son and sons-in-law have been plundered and damnified to the value of 1,000*l.*: that he heretofore intercepted a letter directed to Chris. Cooke of Wilton, importing that Monmouth was about to land, whereupon he took up said Cooke and made him enter into a recognisance of 1,000*l.* and similarly Jefery Grove, Rich. Stadding and Thomas Standard, all of Taunton, in 500*l.* each as sureties of said Cooke: prays a grant of said recognizances which are forfeit.	*Reference Book* III, p. 208.
	Same by same to Sir Robt. Sawyer, Attorney General, of the petition of the Lord Mayor *et al.*, Commissioners and Governors of Christ's Hospital in London, as by a reference dated Nov. 30 last from the King thereof: petitioners shewing that John White of London, mercer, who died at the beginning of 1684–5, Feb., did by will dated 1670, Aug. 24, leave 500*l.* to ejected ministers, Presbyterians, which legacy petitioners are advised is void and forfeit to the King: therefore pray that same may be applied "to the use of your Majesty's said Royal foundation" [of Christ's Hospital].	*Ibid*, p. 209.
Dec. 2.	Entry of the award by Treasurer Rochester in the case between the Attorney General and Roger Whitley, esq., the said case having, by an order of June 2 last from the Exchequer Court, been referred to the Lord Treasurer. The defendant Whitley is charged as follows:	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, pp. 165*a-h*.

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
money by him or his agents received out of the Exchequer			
1673, Dec. 12	3,120	19	3
ditto, 1674, May 15	2,085	9	1
ditto, 1674	1,000	0	0
ditto, 1674, Dec. 18	1,000	0	0

Date.	Nature and Substance of the Entry.			Reference.
1685.		*l.*	*s.*	*d.*
	ditto, 1674–5, Mar. 17	1,844	6	7
	ditto, 1675, Oct.	3,169	7	5½
	ditto, 1676, Sept. 19	2,000	0	0
	ditto, 1676, Sept. 29	1,169	7	5½
	ditto	5,451	19	7
	ditto	7,994	0	2
		£28,835	9	7

Against this sum he craves allowances as follow, viz.: 2,949*l.* 12*s.* 1*d.* for letters, pacquets and despatches sent frank in Ireland, 1672, June 25, to 1677, June 24.

As to this item, I [Treasurer Rochester] have considered the indenture tripartite dated 1666, Dec. 22, between the present King as then Duke of York of the first part, Henry, Earl of Arlington, and John, Lord Berkeley, of the second part, and Mary, Countess of Falmouth, of the third part, by which the now King granted the Post Office in farm to the said Earl of Arlington and Lord Berkeley and their assigns for 10 years from 1667, June 25, with covenant on their part to carry frank the letters, pacquets and despatches, ordinary and extraordinary, of the King, Lord High Admiral, Lord Chancellor, Lord Treasurer, Lord Warden of the Cinque Ports, Secretaries of State and the single inland letters of the then present members of Parliament during the session of that Parliament. About June, 1672, the remainder of said lease was by mesne conveyance assigned to said Whitley and he enjoyed same till 1677. I see no cause to allow him this item for franked letters for they are either covered by his covenant or where not they are not authorised by any warrant from the King.

Secondly, he claims 4,548*l.* 5*s.* 6*d.* for letters etc. franked to and from the Duke of Lauderdale and to and from Scotland 1672, June 25, to 1677, June 24. For this item Whitley can produce no warrant from the King commanding him to carry [free] such letters etc. and further the present King has declared his mind that his then intention that such letters should be franked as his Secretary of State's. But in favour to Whitley I allow him 1,000*l.* on this head.

(3) I allow the 772*l.* 15*s.* 0*d.* demanded by Whitley for the transport of seamen by order of the late Secretaries of State between 1672, June 25, and 1672–3, Jan. 1.

(4) I allow the 212*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.* which he paid to Thomas Deerham, late Court Post, by order of one of the Secretaries of State 1673, June 30, and 1677, June 24.

(5) I do not allow the 1,612*l.* 3*s.* 4*d.* for expresses between 1672, June 25, and 1677, June 24, as these fall under the above covenant.

(6) I allow only a moiety of the 4,426*l.* 17*s.* 4⅜*d.* claimed by him for letters, pacquets and despatches of Members of Parliament during the continuance of Sessions 1672, June 25, to 1677, June 25. The above covenant covers only single letters, and for other letters etc. he should produce the King's command for carrying them; so that in strictness this whole demand could be disallowed. But I allow half in regard I find it has been the practice since the Post Office revenue came into the hands of the present King to carry both the single and the double letters of Members of Parliament free, but

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1685.	yet I consider that a great part of the said demand is for carrying books, parchments and other great pacquets for them which he ought not in reason to have carried frec. (7–20) I allow only 1,000*l.* out of the 10,727*l.* 5*s.* 0*d.* which he claims for items as follow, as the same either come under the above covenant for frec carriage or ought not to have been carried free without the King's warrant: viz. for letters not directed to or from the King or any of the great officers; for the letters of Mr. Cooke, Mr. Bridgeman, Mr. Yard and Mr. Lepine and other under secretaries etc. "whose letters are alleged to be always franked"; for ambassadors' packets not to or from the King or his officers; for army despatches the like; for all despatches to and from Tangier; for all the Duchess of York's letters and her secretaries', viz., Mr. Nipho, Sir John Werden and Monsieur Dupees; the Duke of Ormond's letter, Earl of Ossory's, Sir George Lane and the Duke of Ormonde's secretaries; the letters of the Lord Lieutenants of Ireland, their secretaries, clerks of the Council, Auditor General and Scout Master General of Ireland over and above those covenanted; the Duke of Lauderdale's letters to other parts than Scotland; letters of the Post-master General and his secretaries; letters etc. of the Commissioners of Prizes; truffes to the Duchess of Portsmouth; State letters, pacquets etc. for which the defendant [Whitley, the present accomptant] paid money to foreign postmasters yearly according to the treaty made between them and the Postmaster General by the King's command. The defendant further claims 744*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.* for various fees detailed at the Exchequer and elsewhere; 1,750*l.* for money paid to Sir Philip Frowde, deceased, in prospect of having the allowance of frank letters from the late King; 1,000*l.* similarly paid in five years to Mr. Gardner, Mr. Babington and Mr. Aldridge and 4,572*l.* 10*s.* 2*d.* for gratuities paid to several officers for obtaining the payment and allowance to defendant of the 28,835*l.* 9*s.* 7*d.* I allow the first of these items, but none of the rest, as the King was not privy thereto. The total of the allowances which I make as above is 5,943*l.* 3*s.* 8*d.* which being deducted from said 28,835*l.* 9*s.* 7*d.* leaves 22,892*l.* 5*s.* 11*d.* as due from Mr. Whitley to the King. This balance he is to pay into the Receipt as follows, viz. 11,446*l.* 2*s.* 11½*d.* on Mar. 3 next and the remaining 11,446*l.* 2*s.* 11½*d.* on June 3 next.	
Dec. 2.	Money order for 30*l.* 11*s.* 9*d.* to Sir Edward Lutwich, kt., for 35 days, 1685, Oct. 24, to the last day of Michaelmas term on his salary as Chief Justice of Chester.	*Order Book* I, p. 68.
	Henry Guy to Sir Christ. Wrenn. The Exchequer is ordered to issue 280*l.* to Mr. Packer for work to be done in St. James's Chapel Yard.	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 105.
Dec. 3.	Same to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue out of the money of the Post Office the abovesaid 280*l.* to Packer.	*Ibid.*
	Same to same to issue as follows out of money of goods seized [and now in the Exchequer] viz. 7*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.* to the University of Cambridge; 72*l.* 10*s.* 6*d.* to Mr. Whitfeild.	*Ibid.*

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1685. Dec. 3.	Henry Guy to the Commissioners of Excise and Hearthmoney. In the weekly certificates of the Excise and Hearthmoney you are to state the bills of exchange that are sent up as well as what money is received.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 204.
	Same to Mr. Agar to forthwith pay into the Exchequer the money in your hands arising by wood sales in Whittlewood and Salcey forests.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Blathwayte, enclosing a letter from Mr. Walrond, dated Nov. 30 last, concerning the money granted to him by the Assembly of Barbados. *Appending :* said letter directed to the Lord Treasurer. Besides the 500*l.* mentioned in a law made in Barbados in June last no money was ever granted me by the Assembly nor by the Governor, Council and Assembly of Barbados that I can now call to remembrance. That 500*l.* I have not yet received nor any account that it is paid to my order nor have I received one pound or penny contrary to his late Majesty's orders or instructions to my knowledge. This answer had been given to your Lordship on Saturday last, but that your Lordship was that day gone from the Treasury Chambers before I came thither and since that time I have been so ill as not to be able to go out of my lodgings.	*Ibid*, p. 204. *Out Letters* (*Plantations Auditor*) I, pp. 173, 177.
	Same to the Customs Commissioners, enclosing a copy [missing] of an address from the island of Barbados to the King concerning the late imposition upon sugar "wherein you will find many things which concern you to answer." Send the Lord Treasurer your answer thereto.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 204.
	Same to Mr. Graham. What proceedings have been made upon the commissions to enquire into the estates of the traitors in the west ?	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Darcy and partners to forthwith provide as follows. *Appending :* letter dated Dec. 1 inst. from the Earl of Mulgrave, Lord Chamberlain, to the Lord Treasurer. There is wanting in the seat of the chapel at Whitehall for the use of the Queen's Maids of Honour, the Queen's Dressers "and her Royal Highness's women" one form to be covered with red serge and stuffed and other forms and footstools to be repaired and mended. Also three suites of feathers [are] robes [*sic for* to be] scoured for the Queen's service.	*Ibid*, p. 218.
	me to the Navy Commissioners. Is the money due to Mudd, Carrington and Poston (for freight of soldiers from Tangier to London) appointed to be satisfied in course out of the Navy's weekly money or not ?	*Ibid*, p. 219.
	Same to the Customs Commissioners to send to the house of Jno. Beriond a box lately come from Dover and now in the Custom House.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Customs Cashier to pay what is due or shall grow due on the pensions to Joan Ellisdon and her sons and daughters.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Sir Peter Rich, Sir Robert Knightly *et al.* What has been done in the commission to you to inquire of escheated and concealed lands prosecuted	*Ibid.*

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1685.	by Elias Allen? What service has James Marryott done therein?	
Dec. 3.	Henry Guy to the Customs Commissioners to deliver to Sir Henry Bond a box at the Custom House at Dover directed to Francis Bourke containing a Palatine, two muffs etc. for said Bond.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 219.
	Same to Mr. Chetwind for an account what is become of the writings etc. *ut supra*, p. 451, taken from Thomas Jolley's house in Drury Lane 1678–9, Feb. 18.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Sir Phil. Lloyd to report on the enclosed petition and letter [both missing] of Ellinor Bonett.	*Ibid*, p. 220.
	Same to the Commissioners of Excise and Hearth-money. The Lord Treasurer approves your presentment of the 1st inst. What salary do you advise for the Receivers General of Hearthmoney?	*Ibid.*
	Report by Treasurer Rochester to the King on the proposals of Peter Carew concerning the coal trade, as by the reference of July 4 last from the King; said petition being *ut supra*, p. 268. On reference from me the Master, Wardens and Assistants of Trinity House have reported to me Nov. 7 last as follows. We think the said proposals will be oppressive to the poor, unprofitable and injurious to the honour of the King, ruinous to the ports and numberless families depending on the present coal trade, prejudicial to the general naval force of the kingdom and in no public respect beneficial if at all in itself practicable. I fully agree with this report.	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, pp. 168–71.
	Same by same to same on the petition of Gabriell Armiger, one of the Justices of Peace of co. Norfolk, for a grant of the fine of 200*l.* set at a sessions of the peace at Walsingham 1684, Oct. 16, upon William Carr of South Freak [South Creake], co. Norfolk, for scandalous words spoken of said Armiger, who had bound him over to the assizes for having beaten and abused the King's watch at Stanhoe. Said Carr is a poor man and unable to pay the fine, but is factious, violent, contentious and very troublesome to his neighbours and the prosecution against him was chiefly intended to bring him into better order. If the fine be granted to petitioner it may be a means to reduce him to better behaviour.	*Ibid*, p. 170.
	Reference by same to William Hewer of the petition of James Scot, late master gunsmith to the magazine and garrison of Tangier, praying for six months' pay towards the 250*l.* arrears owing to him, to preserve his family from perishing.	*Reference Book* III, p. 211.
	Same by same to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of Antho. Thirald, collector of Lyme port, praying for the ancient salary of 80*l. per an.* to be restored and [for payment of] the arrears from Christmas thereon.	*Ibid*, p. 212.
	Same by same to William Hewer of the petition of Eliz. Webb, widow, shewing that her husband was corporal at Tangier for 12 years and died in hospital there in 1681, and that her son was killed in the last	*Ibid*, p. 213.

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1685.	engagement against the Moors: prays payment of the arrears due to her said husband and son.	
Dec. 3.	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of Tobiah Bilvah for a landwaiter's place, London port *loco* Nicholas Collett, who is afflicted with age; petitioner having been a deputy King's waiter *ibid.* for two years last past.	*Reference Book* III, p. 213.
	Same by same to William Hewer of the petition of James Ripp *et al.* who were turned out of their Companies at Tangier for being short men: pray payment of their arrears that they may go into their own country [county].	*Ibid*, p. 214.
	Same by same to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of Henry Allen, shewing that for 900*l.* he purchased of Thomas Carter a *fiat* (which Carter obtained in 24 Car. II) for a King's waiter's place, London port, and had a patent thereof in the name of Samuel Danvers in trust for petitioner, Danvers to have only the profits arising for waiting at the waterside and petitioner to have the bill money above stairs and the salary; all which appears by said Danvers' assignment after said patent was granted: yet Danvers has oftentimes endeavoured to defraud petitioner of the whole: said patent being void by the late King's death, Danvers now endeavours to get a patent for himself upon false suggestions: therefore petitioner prays a grant thereof to himself.	*Ibid.*
	Same by same to Rich. Graham and Philip Burton of the petition of Daniell O'Farell, shewing that in 1678, being suspected to be a Popish priest he was committed to York gaol and fined 500*l.* on the evidence of only one witness for words pretended to be spoken concerning the parliament and is continued a prisoner to this time, living on charity, being a stranger in England and without relations able to assist him and without a penny in the world to discharge said fine with: prays to be discharged from his tedious inprisonment.	*Ibid*, p. 218.
	Same by same to same of the order of the King in Council dated Nov. 20 last. *Prefixing:* said order made upon reading the petition of Ralph Grey and Richd. Neville, who were bound to the late King in 5,000*l.* each for Ford, Lord Grey's keeping the peace for one year, for breach of which they have been sued in the Exchequer, to which they have confessed judgment, but pray a remission of the recognizance as it would be to their utter ruin: said petition is hereby referred to the Lord Treasurer.	*Ibid*, p. 219.
	Same by same to same of the petition of John Savage, gent., shewing that the late King commanded him to evict to his own use what he knew of Jesuits' estates with a promise of a moiety of what he should make out: that he has spent seven years therein and herewith encloses a particular [missing] of Jesuits' estates discovered by him: in consideration of his charges therein prays to be paid the 229*l.* 13*s.* 6*d.* which Mr. Normansell has paid into the Exchequer, being rents of some of the premises.	*Ibid*, p. 220.

Date.	Nature and Substance of the Entry.	Reference.
1685. Dec. 3.	Money warrant for 500*l.* to Sir Samuel Moreland for 2½ years to 1681, June 24, on his annuity of 200*l.* *per an.*	*Money Book* VI, p. 188.
	Same for 250*l.* to Frances, Countess of Portland, for last June 24 quarter on her pension.	*Ibid.*
	Same for 797*l.* to Sir Gabriell Sylvius, Envoy Extraordinary to the King of Denmark, 455*l.* thereof being for one quarter's ordinary Aug. 3 last to Nov. 27 last and 342*l.* thereof for a bill of extraordinaries.	*Ibid*, p. 191. *Order Book* I, p. 70.
	Appending: (1) certificate by Secretary the Earl of Middleton that said Sylvius took leave of the King May 29 last in order to go on that service. (2) Said bill of extraordinaries as allowed by Secretary Middleton Nov. 21 last except the first two items which are referred to the Treasury Lords.	

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
for Exchequer fees	23	6	0
for passing the privy seal twice ..	50	0	0
for carrying my goods to the ship and paid to the searchers of the Custom House	5	0	0
for freight of a ship to transport my coaches and goods to Copenhagen..	55	0	0
for carrying my other goods from my house to a ship for Hamburg ..	4	0	0
for freight of my coach and goods to Hamburg	30	0	0
paid at Mr. Pepy's office for a warrant for the yacht	2	4	0
for gratifying the Captain and company of the yacht that brought me from Hamburg	34	0	0
for landing my goods at Copenhagen and for the Customs searchers ..	7	10	0
for landing my goods and coach at Hamburg	3	0	0
for waggons and other carriages for my servants and goods from Hamburg to Lubeck	12	0	0
for our transportation from Lubeck to Copenhagen	30	0	0
for my audience of the King of Denmark and gratifications	30	0	0
for intelligence, postage of letters and gazettes	15	0	0
for entertaining the French ambassador and several foreign ministers at receiving the news of the [English] King's victory over the rebels	15	12	0
for two journeys to Elsinore and Fredericksberg to attend the King and Council	10	0	0
for an entertainment on the King's birthday to several of the nobility and foreign ministers	14	8	0
	£342	0	0

(Money order dated Dec. 10 hereon.)

Report to the King by Treasurer Rochester on the petition of Rupert Browne, concerning the 3,300*l.* which he lent to Col. Edwd. Vernon repayable 1684, Aug. 4, of which he can get neither principal nor interest, Vernon being sworn into the King's	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, pp. 160–1.

Date.	Nature and Substance of the Entry.	Reference.
1685.	service and sheltering himself in Scotland Yard, wherefore petitioner prays permission to apprehend him within the King's palace and the verges thereof. I have heard both parties. Vernon conveyed part of the forest of Needwood as security for said debt. Vernon owes the money and has already used many delays in the matter.	
Dec. 4.	William Blathwayt to Henry Guy, forwarding an accompt [missing] delivered in by Sir Richard Dutton of money received by said Dutton during his Government of Barbados.	*Out Letters* (*Plantations Auditor*) I, p. 173.
	Recommendation by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of Christ. Sandford for a landwaiter's place [London port].	*Reference Book* III, p. 210.
	Henry Guy to the Auditor of the Receipt and the Surveyor General of Crown Lands to execute the deed of re-assignment to you by Abraham Shapton, *see* p. 442.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 220.
Dec. 5.	Same to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue, out of loans on French linens, 49*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.* to the Treasurer of the Navy for the charge of transporting 120 soldiers and 60 horses of Col. Hamilton's Regiment of Dragoons into Ireland. (Same dated same to Mr. Stephens [Cashier to the Treasurer of the Navy] to apply the said sum as above.)	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 105.
	Same to Mr. Fox [Paymaster of the Forces] to pay to Thomas Holford, Portcullis Pursuivant, 288*l.* for furnishing 36 colours for the two Regiments of Foot Guards and for altering them after the first contract.	*Ibid.*
	Authorisation and appointment by Treasurer Rochester of Edward Ange (Solicitor for the King in matters relating to Recusancy) to be receiver of all the fines, forfeitures, rents, issues and profits owing to the King within the counties of England and Wales and counties Palatine of Chester, Durham and Lancashire from any persons by reason of Recusancy or of being convicted of attending any conventicle or of being excommunicated and the writ of *de excommunicato capiendo* being issued against them: all by reason that divers sums etc. and fines on excommunication and moneys levied by Justices on conventiclers have been concealed and never brought to account. The sheriffs, Justices of Peace and other officers are hereby to pay such moneys to said Ange and the Clerk of the Pipe is hereby to allow same in their accounts. Ange is to pay his receipts into the Exchequer within one month of receiving same, he deducting 18*d.* per £ for his pains in collecting and receiving same. He is to take care that all Recusants, who have not certificates of their steady loyalty and obedience to the government according to the King's order of May 11 last, be effectually prosecuted according to law.	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, p. 167.
	Recommendation by same to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of John Kynvin for a place in the Customs, he having formerly served at Tangier as Attorney and Register of the Court Merchant, worth 300*l.* *per an.*, and lately served in the West [against the rebels], and being recommended by Lord Dartmouth.	*Reference Book* III, p. 210.

Date.	Nature and Substance of the Entry.	Reference.
1685. Dec. 5.	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to William Blathwayte of the petition of Sir John Witham, bart., as follows. Hereon Blathwayt is to report what money is due to Sir Richard Dutton and what money said Dutton has received in the government of Barbados. *Prefixing:* said petition shewing that by the late King he [Witham] was appointed Commander-in-Chief of Barbados, Sta. Lucia, St. Vincent, Dominigo and all other the Caribbee Islands lying to windward of Guadeloupe in which government he remained as Lieut. Gov. 1683, May 1, to 1684, Dec. 10, during which time Sir Richard Dutton, the then Governor in Chief, was absent: that by privy seal of 1684, July 30, petitioner was granted 600*l.* a year salary from 1683, May 1, being a moiety of the salary of the Chief Governor, viz. for so long as petitioner should remain in said government which was till Sept. 10 following. Therefore prays payment of 112*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.* for said salary for said time.	*Reference Book* III, p. 211. *Out Letters* (*Plantations Auditor*) I, p. 175.
	Same by same to the Warden of the Mint and the Mint Commissioners of the petition of the East India Company as by a reference from the King dated Nov. 27 last: petitioners shewing that by their several charters they have for about 90 years past enjoyed the sole trade to the East Indies though with some interruptions in unsettled and troublous times: therefore pray to have their charters confirmed for the advancement of that trade so beneficial to this nation: also pray "that they may now have your Majesty's leave to coin in their forts in India any foreign species of money current in India which they have always practised by permission of the princes of the country; but having been at great charge to make their fortification more considerable and more independent from the power of those princes and judging it still more for your Majesty's honour and the advancement of this trade to increase their power and authority in those parts after the example of one of our neighbouring nations they humbly beg that they may have this permission from your Majesty that they may make use of it where it can conveniently be done without seeking any other licence for it."	*Reference Book* III, p. 212.
	Same by same to the Auditors of Imprests of the petition of Lau. Pocock, vicar of Nazeing, in Essex, praying to be remitted 14 years' arrears of Tenths which he finds to be due as appears by the Exchequer books, he having spent 200*l.* in repairs.	*Ibid.*
	Same by same to Rich. Graham and Phi. Burton of the petition of John Watson shewing that his ancestors from the days of Henry VIII were possessed of a cottage called Long Close and Coppy Law in co. Northumberland and also of the place of bailiff of Wooler in said county and that same were given to Thomas Watson, petitioner's father's great grandfather by the predecessors of Ford, late Lord Grey, for services then done by him in the then wars with France at the taking of Boulogne; and that petitioner enjoyed same till 1684, when it was seized by the Commissioners for said Lord Grey's estates, forfeit by said Lord being a rebel: said cottage is valued at 6*l. per an.*: petitioner has served in several engagments against the Dutch and therefore prays to enjoy said cottage and place.	*Ibid*, p. 213.

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1685. Dec. 5.	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to Rich. Graham and Phi. Burton of the petition of Robert Hall, mayor of Rye, co. Sussex, shewing that after long prosecution Thomas Turney, formerly mayor or pretended mayor of Rye, stands convict of misdemeanour, but is now willing to agree to such points as may be of use to the town and for the encouragement of the loyal men there: therefore petitioner prays a *noli prosequi* to the information against said Turney.	*Reference Book* III, p. 215.
	Same by same to same of the petition of Mr. Church, keeper of the Gatehouse, Westminster, shewing that by writ of *habeas corpus* he carried into the West, in safe custody, William Williams, Josiah Askue, Sampson Larke, Rob. Perrot and Jno. Marders at great expence to himself; that the bailiff of Westminster having no account with the King cannot repay him said expence as usually other gaols are repaid by the sheriffs of their respective counties: prays to be paid 65*l.* for the hire of six horses and men for 10 days and for diet and 3*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.* for coach hire to carry Mr. Williams to Windsor.	*Ibid*, p. 217.
	Same by same to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of William Clare, shewing that in 1678 he left his trade of a grocer to serve under Capt. Savage in Lord Gerrard's Regiment of Horse; which leaving of his trade so enraged his father that he sold an estate petitioner was heir to; that being disbanded soon after petitioner betook himself to keep a grammar school whereby he has maintained his family till of late, against winter by reason of his employ falling off and universal sickness therein, he is reduced to extremity; therefore prays a tidewaiter's place.	*Ibid*, p. 220.
	Same by same to William Hewer of the petition of James Williams, executor of Abraham Goswell, deceased, late a soldier in Capt. Tollemarsh's Company at Tangier: the said Captain being dead, his successor, Capt. Wilkinson, refuses to give a certificate of Goswell's services for which 33*l.* 8*s.* 4*d.* is due for arrears for work done at the fortifications. Goswell died at petitioner's house, leaving two children on his hands. Therefore prays a certificate or payment of said arrears.	*Ibid*, p. 222.
	Same by same to Mr. Harbord, Surveyor General of Crown Lands, of the petition of Benj. Purchas for a fresh lease of a small parcel of ground which came to the Crown by the felony of Robert Hinke; of which Major Norton had a grant and said Norton's son has conveyed to petitioner.	*Ibid*, p. 225.
	Henry Guy to Mr. Graham. What proceedings have been had upon the Commission to enquire into Cornish's estate?	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 205.
	Same to Sir Gilbert Talbott. Send the Lord Treasurer your answer to the enclosed copy [missing] of Serjeant Middleton's reply to your report.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Attorney General to report on the enclosed petition [missing, *see supra*, p. 388], of Humphry Okeover and Richard Lovett concerning mines in Virginia, with Blathwayte's report thereon and the petitioners' answer thereto.	*Ibid.*

Date.	Nature and Substance of the Entry.	Reference.
1685. Dec. 5.	Henry Guy to the Customs Commissioners to deliver, Customs free, the goods of the Venetian Ambassador arrived in the *Charlotte* yacht and in another ship styled the Cornelius Martin (though that is supposed to be the name of the master, not of the ship).	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 220.
	Same to same to report on the enclosed petition of Sir Peter Vandeput and other merchants of London, praying that no other custom be demanded from merchants aliens and strangers or their factors (for goods exported of the product of this kingdom) than was payable by the statute of 25 Car. II, c. 6.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Hewer. You are to stop from the pay of Robt. Hughes, late a soldier at Tangier, the 5*l.* 5*s.* 0*d.* due from him to William Oldham.	*Ibid*, p. 222.
Dec. 7.	Two royal sign manuals for respectively 243*l.* 2*s.* 0*d.* and 400*l.* to Henry Guy, for secret service, without account: to be issued on the 10,000*l.* dormant privy seal of Nov. 18 last. (Two money warrants dated Dec. 8 hereon. Two money orders dated Dec. 8 hereon.)	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 250. *Money Book* VI, p. 192. *Order Book* I, p. 69.
	Royal warrant to the Clerk of the Signet for a privy seal for 54,000*l.* to Henry, Visct. Brouncker, as imprest to pay off the arrears of the Household of Charles II (the arrears of the late King's servants) and of the present King incurred up to July 1 last.	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 250.
	Henry Guy to the Attorney General to report on the enclosed draft [missing, *see supra*, p. 476] of a warrant for a grant to the Earl of Rutland, Earl of Huntingdon *et al.*, of two fines set upon the county of Leicester for not having a [county] gaol.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 205.
	Same to same enclosing the names [missing] of the Commissioners designed to survey the boundaries of the Liberty of the Tower of London. Advise the Lord Treasurer as to the best way of putting same in execution.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Sir Christopher Wren to report on the articles between Col. Kirke and Mr. Fitz, and to hear them as to the matter in difference between them concerning the lodgings built for said Kirke.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Sir Gilbert Tabott for a certificate whether the Earl of Peterborough had a silver cestern allowed him when he went Ambassador to the Emperor, and, if so, of what weight.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Visct. Grandison returning a paper [missing] sent to the Lord Treasurer this morning without direction or subscription. You are to send his Lordship such an account of Nonsuch Park as you will subscribe.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Customs Commissioners to deliver to the Earl of Pembroke's stewards some horses, Delft China and other items detailed, now on board the *Angell* ketch, that came from Holland.	*Ibid*, p. 221.
	Same to the Navy Commissioners for an account how Mr. Seymour's and Visct. Falkland's accounts [as successively Treasurer] of the Navy stand.	*Ibid.*

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1685. Dec. 7.	Henry Guy to the Attorney General to report on the enclosed report [missing] from the Customs Commissioners on the East India Company's proposal praying the continuance of their debentures for half subsidy and additional duty in the same method and course as formerly or that they may be allowed 7½ *per cent.* [discount] for ready payment of their customs in consideration of the six and six months granted them by Charles II for payment thereof. Are the privileges which said Company enjoyed, out of the Customs as granted to Charles II, now determined by his demise and are they [in consequence] liable to pay ready money for their Customs as all other merchants do ?	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 221.
	Same to the Customs Commissioners. Mr. Lytcott has delivered to the Lord Treasurer an account of arrears of Customs due at Michaelmas, 1684, amounting to 53,546*l.* 18*s.* 2½*d.* What course do you take for getting same in ?	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Auditor of the Receipt for a list of all warrants and orders lying before you unsatisfied and for which money is not provided.	*Ibid*, p. 222.
	Same to Mr. Hewer to report on the enclosed petition [missing] of Margarett Curtis, widow.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Navy Commissioners. The Lord Treasurer finds by the following paper that several Deputy Vice-Admirals had in their hands 7,193*l.* 0*s.* 2*d.* in 1681. He imagines there may be more debts of the same kind grown due since then. You have been often written to both from the Treasury Chambers and by the Chancellor of the Exchequer to certify who of the imprest accomptants are most likely to have money in their hands upon making up their accounts. You are with all speed to certify what money is in the hands of any Deputy Vice-Admirals, or in the hands of any imprest accomptants as aforesaid so that process may issue against such debtors for recovery thereof.	*Ibid*, p. 223.

Appending : said account.

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
Debit.			
money paid [by] Richd. Mounteney, Customs Cashier, by bill 1673, June 5	4,887	12	8
ditto paid by Richd. Kent, Customs Cashier, by bill 1678, Aug. 12 ..	4,350	0	0
	£9,237	12	8
Credit.			
cleared by Sir Tho. Bridges ..	400	0	0
,, John Cutliff	150	0	0
,, Sir Jona Trelawney ..	337	4	0
,, Chr. Griffith	100	0	0
,, Tho. Newman	480	0	0
,, Rich. Showers	270	0	0
,, John Buckham	300	0	0
,, Sir John Godolphin ..	7	8	6
	£2,044	12	6

leaving a balance remaining uncleared at 1681, June 24, of 7,193*l.* 0*s.* 2*d.*

Date.	Nature and Substanee of the Entry.	Reference.
1685. Dee. 7.	Warrant and appointment by Treasurer Roehester to Richard Graham and Phillip Burton to reeeive the estate of Henry Cornish, late of London, exeeuted for high treason. *Appending:* (*a*) an account of debts owing to said Cornish at the time of his attainder from the respeetive elothiers who had cloth in his possession; said elothiers being James Poyner, Samuel Cornish, Jno. Gunning, Tho. Barlo, John Jesse, John Jefferys, James Seely, Joshua Baber, Christopher Byrt, Tho. Rudduck, Joseph Mors, An[th]o Methwen, George Cary, Robt. Cutler, Tho. Sloper, William Tipper, William Somner, Ed. Blenham, junr., John Moore, Tho. Phelps, senr., Tho. Phelps, junr., Joseph Purnell, Joseph Phelps, Phill. Daunsey, Chrp. Truckwell, William Singer, Ro[b]ert Whally, Abra. Dodemead, William Raxworthey, And. Willett, Tho. Whally, Giles Freeman, Benj. Sparke, Tho. Jefferyes, Step. Sparke, senr., Jno. James. Total debts, 4,735*l.* 12*s.* 3*d.* (*b*) An account of the clothes [cloth] found in the possession of said Cornish at the time of his attainder which are the goods of sueh clothiers as appear not to be indebted to the said Cornish; and of the moneys due from merchants and drapers to the said clothiers for whom the said Cornish was factor [which said cloths are, as below, to be delivered to the said clothiers as follow] viz., Edward Blonman, William Thatcher, Alice Cutler, Jane Curle, Tho. Turner, Mathew Carleton, William Sanny, James Blatch, Henry Grant, Samuell Norman, Elna Holloway, Edwd. Hillman, Tho. Pottieary, senr., William Barton, Tho. Foot, Robt. Wilkins, John Hyde, John Curle, Thom. Whatly, Paulo Methwen, Richard Hill, Jona Coombes, Hump. Townsend and Co., Tho. Gerrish, Jno. French, junr., Edward Mortimer, Robt. Dawes, Tho. Dawes, Step. Millard, Jer. Crey, senr., William Turner, Jeff. Blateh, Paul Phipps, Jos. Houtton, Step. Sparke, junr., Gyles Adlam, Jno. Whatly, Jno. Hinton, Henry Belton, Robt. Smyth, Edwd. Whitchurch, Jeremiah Holoway, Antho. Wilkins, Tho. Pottieary, junr., William Weekes, Richard Mattock, Daniell Cary, Anne Hodges, James Staekins, John Wilkins, Sol. Debnam, William Millard, John Phipps, John Blenman, Robt. Wherrell, Tho. Blenman, senr., Anto. Mawkes, Tho. Blenman, junr., Jerem. Crey, junr., Willm. Sivier, Hum. Townsend, Christo. Adlam, Tho. Weekes, William Wornell, Geo. Turner, William Wilkins, junr., Christo. Turner, James Rendell, John Baily, Edward Wilkins, William Whitehureh, John Hall, Stephen Whatly, Robert Wason, James Druce, Andrew Hall, Geo. Cornish, John Cornish. Total sums due as above, 20,348*l.* 15*s.* 4*d.* Total number of cloths, 1,568. (*c*) Certificate by Rieh. Masters, Hen. Crispe, Nicho. Charlton, Aaron Pengry, Cha. Molloy, John Groten, Tho. Lowfoild that they have examined the books of said Henry Cornish on the King's behalf and by the oath of Thomas Cornish and Jno. De Vincke, partners to said Cornish, and by the oath of Bartholomew Gisbitzky, an aecountant. (*d*) Warrant dated Feb. 7 by Treasurer Rochester for the said 1,568 cloths in the second list to be delivered to the several persons mentioned in said list.	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, pp. 171–4.
	Money warrant for 469*l.* 2*s.* 6*d.* to Thomas Cheeke, Lieutenant of the Tower of London, for half a year to Sept. 29 last on the allowanee to himself, the	*Money Book* VI, p. 193. *Order Book* I, p. 69.

Date.	Nature and Substance of the Entry.	Reference.
1685.	Gentleman Porter, and 33 Yeomen Warders of the Tower ; and also for 217*l.* 6*s.* 6*d.* for the repairs and necessary accommodation of the Tower and for the safe keeping prisoners there. (Money order dated Dec. 10 hereon.)	
Dec. 7.	Money warrant for 37*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.* to Thomas Corbyn for three quarters to Sept. 29 last on his salary as Surveyor General of Woods Trent North. (Money order dated 1685-6, Mar. 10, hereon.)	*Money Book* VI, p. 193. *Order Book* I, p. 94.
	Same for 30*l.* to John Pottinger for same time on his fee as Comptroller of the Pipe.	*Money Book* VI, p. 193.
	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Auditor concerned, to give allowance to Patrick Porter and Mary his wife, late widow of Roger Higgs, of 45*l.* upon passing the account of Jno. Duncklin, late Receiver of Hearthmoney in London and Middlesex, in trust for and under the management of said Roger Higgs ; in regard said sum was expended in defending the late King's right to said duty upon smiths' forges.	*Ibid*, p. 194.
	Same by same to the Navy Commissioners to make up to 80*l.* *per an.* from 50*l.* *per an.* from Christmas last the salary of the storekeeper of the Victualling Office at Portsmouth ; the ancient salary having been 80*l.* *per an.* and Mr. Christopher Godsalve, the present storekeeper, being a very good officer.	*Ibid.*
	Reference by same to Bartho. Fillingham, Tho. Hall and William Lownds of the petition of Nicho. Veel for a discharge of 279*l.* 4*s.* 3½*d.* being the remainder of his debt to the King as Receiver General of the Royal Aid and Additional Aid, co. Gloucester ; and for the delivery of his 1,000*l.* bond as surety for his brother on account of the Hearthmoney.	*Reference Book* III, p. 215.
	Same by same to same of the petition of Mr. Middleton for a discharge of a 400*l.* bond of his uncle Edward Hyde, as surety for Thomas Vecle, late Receiver of Hearthmoney, co. Gloucester.	*Ibid.*
	Same by same to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of William Massey for a landwaiter's place, London port, his father having been a Captain of Trained Bands at the Restoration.	*Ibid*, p. 216.
	Same by same to William Hewer of the petition of Eliz. Cane, widow of Tho. Cane, late a private sentinel in the garrison of Tangier, who was killed by a shot from the Moors, leaving her with four small children : prays a royal bounty of 5*l.* to transport her and her children into Ireland.	*Ibid.*
	Same by same to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of Andrew Cade for a fresh reference for a landwaiter's place, he having fallen sick immediately after a former reference.	*Ibid.*
	Same by same to the Surveyor General of Crown Lands of the petition of Sir Hugh Piper, kt., for a fresh lease of the agistment of Launceston park, parcel of the Duchy of Cornwall ; same having been demised 1661, May 22, to Thomas Rosse, who has assigned to petitioner.	*Ibid*, pp. 217–8.

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1685. Dec. 7.	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to Philip Frowd of the petition of Richard Graham and Richard Allibone, shewing that they have equal interests in a payment of 500*l.* *per an.* out of the Post Office under a grant made to Sir Samuel Morland for his life or for 31 years from 1661, June 24: pray on surrender of same to have separate grants for their moieties for seven years terminable on lives to be named by them.	*Reference Book* III, p. 218.
	Same by same to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of Rowland [Tempest] and John Tempest, shewing that they had a reversionary grant of the office of Collector of Hull port; that Thomas Lisons' term therein was voided by the late King's death, but he has, in their absence, obtained a fresh grant thereof to defraud them: pray to be put into possession.	*Ibid*, p. 219.
May [*sic ?* erratum for Dec.] 7.	Same by same to William Hewer of the petition of John Meagher, late apothecary to the Earl of Dunbarton's Regiment in Tangier, for the 163*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.* due to him, to be stopped out of the next pay ordered to said Regiment.	*Ibid*, p. 220.
Dec. 7.	Same by same to the Surveyor General of Crown Lands of the petition of Anthony Prince of Abingdon, co. Berks, shewing that John Sawyer, of London, cooper, claims a tenement in Boare Street, Abingdon, in which petitioner has lived eight or nine years for some of which time he paid rent till informed that Sawyer had no right: that same is a concealment from the Crown along with some other things in Abingdon which petitioner desires to assert the Crown's title to: therefore prays a lease of said messuage.	*Ibid*, p. 227.
	Same by same to Richard Graham and Philip Burton of the petition of Tho. Rouse, undersheriff to Sir Peter Daniel, kt., and Sir Sam. Dashwood, late sheriffs of Middlesex, praying for his surplusage to be paid out of Recusants' money in his hands, said surplusage having arisen from payments to convictors of highway robbers, and for removing prisoners from Newgate to several counties etc.	*Ibid*, p. 229.
	Report to the King by same on the petition of Bartholomew Price, administrator to Col. Herbert Jefferies, late Lieutenant Governor of the Colony of Virginia and Commander-in-chief of the Forces there. Said petition, as referred from the King Feb. 17 last, sets forth that by the instructions dated 1676, Nov. 11, said Jefferies was, for the support of said government during his abode there, allowed to receive to his own use whatsoever duties were formerly paid to Sir William Berkeley; that after by royal letters dated 1677, Dec. 27, Charles II declared that said Jefferies should, until 1678, Mar. 25 (out of the pay appointed for the Governor of Virginia) receive the yearly salary and perquisites of 1,200*l.* but from and after that time should be paid in England for so long as he should thereafter continue in said service: further shewing that at 1678, Mar. 25, there remained due to petitioner 300*l.* for three months' salary in dispute between Lady Berkley and the relict of said Col. Jefferies, and 900*l.* more from said Mar. 25 to 1678, Dec. 17, when said Col. died: that upon disposing all the perquisites to Lord Colepeper and the not paying	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, p. 176.

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1685.	said salary which Jefferies was to have had in England he [Jefferies] was reduced to great extremities and contracted many great debts: therefore prays payment of said arrears of 300*l.* and 900*l.* for the support of said Jefferies' widow and child. On reference hereon William Blathwayt has reported that Jefferies does not appear to have been paid said 900*l.* and that he well knows he was at great expence in the discharge of the government without any other salary or perquisites in Virginia for that time, the same being otherways disposed by particular order from the late King. *Prefixing:* copy ("from the book of Virginia kept in the Plantation Office") of said letter dated 1677, Dec. 27, from Charles II to said Col. Jefferies, as in *Calendar of Colonial Papers*, 1677, p. 197.	
Dec. 8.	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to Richard Graham and Philip Burton of the petition of Henry Carter, gent., praying to be admitted tenant to the estate of John Hambden in co. Northampton, which is seized to the King's use for payment of the fine imposed on him.	*Reference Book* III, p. 233.
	Warrant by same to the Customs Commissioners to deliver, Customs free, to Monsieur de Millery, a French Protestant, five pieces and two cornets of lace, three muffs and a Palatine which have been seized at Harwich, same being all the goods he could save in his escape from the persecution in France.	*Out Letters* (*Customs*) X, p. 82.
	Same by same to same to employ Robert Carnsew and John Newell as boatmen and tidesmen in Truro port at 10*l. per an.*; they having served in extraordinary for some time and been paid by incidents. 10*l. per an.* to be added to the 20*l. per an.* salary of Jeremy Holcrosse as waiter at Sidmouth in Exeter port to enable him to keep a horse. 5*l. per an.* each to be added to the 20*l. per an.* salary of the boatmen in Maldon port for their greater encouragement.	*Ibid*, pp. 82, 83.
	Henry Guy to the Treasurer of the Chamber. William Russell and Tho. de Champ [falconers] have surrendered their Exchequer salary in view of their allowance in your Office. (Similar notices on the 10th as to Thomas Neale, the Groom Porter, for his 600*l.* a year payable out of the Tenths; and for John Preston, a falconer. The patents of Tho. Duffeild and James Russell, two other falconers, were only during pleasure and need not be surrendered.)	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, pp. 222, 223.
	Same to the Commissioners of Excise and Hearth-money. You have not yet returned to the Lord Treasurer the account of the chimney money distrained on the Earl of Anglesea's house at Blechington. Send it forthwith.	*Ibid*, p. 222.
	Same to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue (out of goods seized in the Exchequer) 250*l.* to Lady Portland and 100*l.* to Mris. Boynton.	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 106.
Dec. 8, altered to Dec. 9.	Same to same to issue as follows out of the Exchequer. *Out of the Customs.* *l.* to the Treasurer of the Navy for the Victuallers 2,000	*Ibid*, pp. 106, 107.

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1685.	*l.*	
	to ditto for sea officers and bills in course .. 400	
	to ditto for fitting for sea service the *Soudados*, *Fubbs* yacht, *Isabella* yacht, and *King's Fisher* ketch 158	
	to ditto towards paying off the yachts, 3,000*l.* (This sum was by Treasurer Rochester's direction this day omitted.)	
	to the Treasurer of the Ordnance 2,000	
	to the Mint Commissioners 1,000	
	Out of the Excise.	
	to the Paymaster of the Forces 6,000	
	to Sir Steph. Fox on his privy seal of 16,000*l.* 1,000	
	to the Cofferer of the Household 2,000	
	to the Duke of Grafton 750	
	to Sir Robt. Vyner 1,000	
	to the Duke of Southampton 375	
	to the Duchess of Portsmouth 1,000	
	Out of Hearthmoney.	
	to (Mr. Graham) the Keeper of the Privy Purse 500	
	Out of Post Office money.	
	to Mr. Burton for the charges of the Commission into the West 600	
	to the Vicars of Lichfield on a perpetuity .. 30	
	to the Privy Purse 500	
	Out of the Queen Dowager's [Portugal] portion.	
	to Sir Ben. Bathurst in part of the Princess's debts 3,000	
	Out of loans on French linens.	
	to the Paymaster of the Forces 5,000	
	(Same dated Dec. 8 to the Customs Cashier, enclosing the paper of the disposition of the Customs cash for the present week; said paper including the above six Customs items [payable out of the Exchequer] together with the following item [payable direct out of the Customs Office on tallies] viz. 2,000*l.* to Richard Kent and Mr. Duncombe in [part] repayment of loan: total disposition of the Customs, 10,558*l.*) (Same dated Dec. 8 to the Commissioners of Excise and Hearthmoney enclosing the like paper of the disposition of those revenues; said paper including *for the Excise* the above seven Excise items [payable out of the Exchequer] together with the following item [payable direct out of the Excise Office on tallies] viz., 1,000*l.* to Mr. Toll in repayment of loan: total disposition of the Excise 13,125*l.*: and *for the Hearthmoney* the abovesaid Hearthmoney item [payable out of the Excise] together with the following item [payable direct out of the Hearthmoney Office on tallies] viz. 3,000*l.* to Mr. Noell in repayment of loan: total disposition of the Hearthmoney, 3,500*l.*)	
Dec. 8.	Royal warrant to the Clerk of the Signet for a privy seal for a grant to John, Earl of Rutland, Theophilus, Earl of Huntingdon, Bennet, Lord Sherrard, Sir Thomas Haselrigg, Sir Beaumount Dixie and Sir Henry Beaumount, barts., John Varney, William Boothby, William Whallie, Samuel Cotton, John Gery, Dr. of Laws, Lawrence Carter and Teringham Stephens of the several fines of 1,000 marks and 2,000 marks imposed on the county of Leicester at the Assizes and General Gaol Delivery of said county held at Leicester Castle 1684, July 17, and 1684–5, Mar. 19, held respectively before Baron Sir William Gregory and Sir Thomas Walcott, a Justice of the	*King's Warrant Book* X, pp. 251–5. *Warrants Early* XXXIII, pp. 15–17.

Date.	Nature and Substance of the Entry.	Reference.
1685.	King's Bench, same being imposed because there was no gaol in said county for the sheriff to secure prisoners in: of which fines John Wilson, the sheriff of the county, has levied 1,107*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.* upon divers inhabitants of the county. The King being resolved that said fines shall not be converted to the King's use hereby grants same to the above grantees in trust to lay out 1,100*l.* thereof in the purchase of of a convenient edifice for the common gaol of said county. "And in regard divers sums are or may be levied for or upon account of the said fines or one of them upon particular inhabitants or townships of the said county, which particular inhabitants or townships are or may be thereby charged with larger proportions of the said fines or one of them than if the same had been levied in the most equal manner upon the inhabitants of the said county in general and [such particular inhabitants or townships] cannot have contribution for the same from the rest of the said inhabitants in the ordinary course of law or equity without putting themselves and the said other inhabitants to great charge, vexation and trouble," therefore the King hereby declares that said 1,100*l.* shall be sufficient for the gaol and the furnishing thereof and that the remainder of said fines shall be disposed to reimburse the said particular inhabitants or townships so much as said Trustees shall consider to have been levied in excess of the due proportionable share which such individuals or townships should have paid if said fines had been levied upon the whole county in such manner as the late monthly assessments have been usually raised. Any residue thereafter is hereby to be held in trust for the inhabitants of said county. The sheriff of the county is to pay to said Trustees all of the said moneys which he has or shall levy, and with an account thereof. The Exchequer to assist the sheriff with all process etc. The sheriff to detain 1*s.* in the £ on such his levies.	
Dec. 8.	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to Philip Ryley, one of the sergeants-at-arms attending the Lord Treasurer, to demand from Thomas Price the sum of 10,602*l.* 6*s.* 9*d.* and, in case of refusal or delay of immediate payment, to arrest him; the said sum being charged upon said Price by John Price, Receiver General of the Revenue in Ireland, as the balance of money lodged in said Thomas Price's hands to discharge the monthly payments to the King upon the 30,000*l.* *per an.* appointed to be remitted from Ireland, but the said Thomas having withdrawn himself from his shop and place of usual abode and doth abscond himself in private places.	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, pp. 177, 177–8.

Appending: statement of the account against said Thomas Price, 1685.

	l.	*s.*	*d.*	
Mr. Thomas Price, debtor to a charge on his account current to Sept. 29	10,111	0	0	
to several bills paid since Sept. 29	1,778	0	0	(*sic*)
	£11,889	7	11	(*sic*)
Creditor.				
by the balance of my account current Sept. 29	1,287	1	2	
	£10,602	6	9	

Date.	Nature and Substance of the Entry.	Reference.
1685. Dec. 8.	Treasurer Rochester to George, Visct. Grandison, and Henry, Visct. Brouncker. The late King granted to you the park called Nonsuch Park in co. Surrey in trust for the Duchess of Cleveland and her sons. One of you has given direction for disparking the said park without the consent and approbation of the other. You are to forbear any further progress in said disparking till the King's pleasure be known.	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, p. 178.
	Warrant by same to the Clerk of the Pipe for a licence to George Browning or his heirs to erect a weir in the river Exe for turning a part of the stream of said river through his own ground for driving a fulling mill between the place where an old weir called Drews Weir stood, and another weir called New Weir: he paying a yearly rent of 4*s.* to the Receiver of Crown Revenues for co. Devon. *Prefixing:* report dated Nov. 27 last from John Fisher, in the absence of the Surveyor General of Crown Lands, on said Browning's petition, *supra*, p. 229. Since the writ of *ad quod damnum* has been duly executed and a return made it will be no damage to the Crown to permit said weir.	*Ibid*, pp. 178–9.
Dec. 9.	Henry Guy to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue 16,381*l.* 15*s.* 0*d.* to the Treasurer of the Navy for two quarters to Chatham and Sheerness Yards. This money is to be issued out of the following funds which the Lord Treasurer intends to recoup out of the Customs, viz., 1,250*l.* of the East India Company's present; 1,072*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.* of the King's dividend of the two Compa[nies]; 12,000*l.* of the Queen Dowager's [Portugal] portion; 2,059*l.* 5*s.* 0*d.* of the money that came out of Ireland. (Same dated same to Mr. Stephens [Cashier to the Navy Treasurer] apprising him of the above.)	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 108.
	Rob. Squibb [to same]. The Lord Treasurer has this morning respited the 3,000*l.* appointed yesterday, *supra*, p. 476, for the yachts. You are to keep that sum in hand till further direction.	*Ibid.*
Dec. 10.	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to Charles Duncombe as Treasurer for Hearthmoney to pay 200*l.* to the Hearthmoney Commissioners to be laid out by them as incidents in managing and collecting said revenue.	*Money Book* VI, p. 194.
	Money warrant for 3,000*l.* to William Thomas, Receiver and Paymaster of the Band of Gentlemen Pensioners, for half a year from Christmas last on the 6,000*l. per an.* for the wages and boardwages of the Captain, Lieutenant, standard bearer, clerk of the cheque, harbinger and 40 gentlemen pensioners, same appearing to be due by two quarterly bills signed by the Earl of Huntingdon, Captain of said Band. (Money order dated Dec. 12 hereon.)	*Ibid*, p. 195. *Order Book* I, p. 71.
	Same for 3,000*l.* to George and Anne, Prince and Princess of Denmark, in part of 16,000*l.* royal bounty to them as by the privy seal of Nov. 30 last. (Money order dated Dec. 12 hereon.)	*Money Book* VI, p. 195. *Order Book* I, p. 70.
	Money warrants for 375*l.* to Charles, Duke of Southampton, to complete last June 24 quarter on his annuity or pension of 3,000*l.* out of the Excise. 750*l.* to Henry, Duke of Grafton, for last Sept. 29 quarter on the like pension.	*Money Book* VI, p. 195.

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1685. Dec. 10.	Money warrant for 600*l.* to Philip Burton, upon account, for Crown law charges. (Money order dated Dec. 12 hereon.)	*Money Book* VI, p. 196. *Order Book* I, p. 70.
	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Cashier to pay 39*l.* to James Pearse, junr., for three quarters to Sept. 29 last on his fee as a patent waiter, London port.	*Money Book* VI, p. 196.
	Money warrant for 150*l.* to William Levett for three quarters to Sept. 29 last on his pension; "being the first three quarters that is grown due thereupon since his Majesty's access to the Crown."	*Ibid.*
	Warrant dormant by Treasurer Rochester to Rich. Graham, Philip Burton and William Shaw to pay 40*l. per an.* and the arrears thereof to Dame Martha Coney, relict of Sir William Coney, kt., same being charged upon the estate of Ford, late Lord Grey, by decree in Chancery 1676, June 6, before said Lord Grey's treason was committed: on which annuity there was 100*l.* in arrear last Whitsuntide.	*Ibid*, p. 197.
	Henry Guy to the Auditor of the Receipt. Treasurer Rochester desires that the 1,000*l.* yesterday appointed for the Duchess of Portsmouth be now advanced to Henry Rumbuld for her. Similarly the 1,000*l.* appointed for the Mint Commissioners is to be advanced to them. Also 3,000*l.* is to be issued to the Treasurer of the Navy out of the Customs money paid [into the Exchequer] yesterday.	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 108.
	Same to the Customs Cashier to forthwith pay 1,000*l.* into the Exchequer for the Earl of Sunderland for secret service. You are to put it into your next [weekly] certificate of the Customs. (Same dated same to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue said sum to said Earl.)	*Ibid*, pp. 108, 109.
	Same to same to forthwith pay 40*l.* 6*s.* 2*d.* to the officers of the Pipe on the warrant of Nov. 28 last.	*Ibid*, p. 109.
	Same to Mr. Stephens [Cashier to the Navy Treasurer] to advance 262*l.* 17*s.* 0*d.* to pay off to this day the 10 caulkers who are to be discharged at Deptford. The Lord Treasurer will next week make good this sum to you.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 223.
	Same to the Attorney General. The King in Council has referred to the Lord Treasurer the following case of Col. Henry Waldron. Report thereon to my Lord. *Appending:* said case, whether said Waldron be duly entitled to 500*l.* appointed him (intended to be granted him) by the Assembly of Barbados. In 1683 Sir Richard Dutton, Governor in Chief of Barbados, came to England. In his absence Sir John Witham was appointed Commander in Chief by the King with 600*l. per an.* salary to be deducted out of the 1,200*l. per an.* salary of the Governor in Chief of Barbados. On his return to Barbados Sir Richard Dutton found Sir Jno. Witham unwilling to remit him his proportion of salary and first suspends him from the Council and discharges him from all employments of profit and trust; then orders a prosecution against him by a commission of Oyer and Terminer, appointing Henry Walrond Chief Judge of the Court, a person of known	*Ibid*, p. 224. *Out Letters* (*Plantations Auditor*) I, pp. 174–5.

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1685.	animosity against Sir Jno. Witham, who is fined 11,000*l.* sterling by the Court and imprisoned till payment. Sir John Witham appeals to the King who thereupon orders his release and that said Dutton and Walrond should appear personally before the King in Council to justify their proceedings against Witham. Before their departure an Assembly is called by Dutton and an Act passed declaring that the moneys arising by virtue of that Act are levied and granted to his Majesty for the uses therein expressed, 500*l.* whereof is deposited in the hands of said Dutton and 500*l.* more ordered to Col. Walrond to defray the charges of his voyage into England, which he is desired to receive as a testimony of their respect for the services he hath already done. Dutton and Walrond being arrived in England said Witham's appeal is heard in Council and all their proceedings against Witham are adjudged violent and malicious. Is the appointment of said 500*l.* to Walrond by the Assembly, for his services to the Government, out of the moneys granted to his Majesty, good and just, as his Majesty has declared those proceedings (which the Assembly call his services) to be violent and malicious; or may not his Majesty determine otherwise concerning the application of that sum towards the support of the Government of Barbados? *Followed by:* statement of said Attorney General's opinion, dated Dec. 19. I conceive that Col. Waldron cannot have the money without the King's consent, it being given to him to apply and the use to which the Act directs it to be applied being unlawful [viz.] to carry on a grievous oppression. I conceive his Majesty may order it to be disposed for some other public use in the island.	
Dec. 10.	Henry Guy to the Customs Commissioners to report on the enclosed proposal [missing] for preventing the smuggling and running of prohibited goods (which at present pay the King, after appraisement and condemnation, 50 *per cent.*) by his Majesty's accepting 20 *per cent.* for the said goods. You are also to report on the enclosed petition [missing] of Mr. William Carter.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 225.
	Same to Mr. Graham and Mr. Burton to report on the enclosed petition [missing] of Daniell O'Farell.	*Ibid.*
	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to Edwd. Ange of the petition of Thomas Daniell, Robt. White and Thomas Allway, shewing that they were imprisoned for refusing the oath of allegiance: pray the benefit of the King's warrant of May 11 last.	*Reference Book* III, p. 221.
	Same by same to the Custom Commissioners of the petition of Russell Alsop of London, merchant, for restoration of the Customs compounded for on 500 pieces of calicoes which were seized and prosecuted in the Exchequer.	*Ibid.*
	Same by same to the Treasurer of the Chamber of the petition of the Gentlemen Ushers Daily Waiters to the Queen Dowager shewing that they have warrants of allowance of 52*l.* *per an.* for lodging out of Court and that the Treasurer of the Chamber has given no account thereof to the Lord Treasurer: therefore praying that he may be ordered to give a true	*Ibid*, p. 223.

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1685.	account of lodging so that they may be paid with the rest of the King's servants.	
Dec. 10.	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to Mr. Ange of the petition of Thom. English, senr., Thom. English, junr., and Lee Hartley of Pontefract, shewing that they long since obtained certificates of the sufferings and loyalty of them and their parents, but that through malice one Robt. Tatham brought several actions of *Qui tam* in the King's Bench against them for 20*l.* per month for not coming to church and has recovered 100*l.* of English, senr., 100*l.* of English, junr., and 40*l.* of Hartley, and has lately levied same: pray a grant of two-thirds thereof which remains in the sheriff's hands.	*Reference Book* III, p. 223.
	Same by same to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of Ralph Backshaw for a tidewaiter's place, London port, he having faithfully served the East India Company as a tidesman, but same hardly affords a livelihood for him and his family.	*Ibid*, p. 228.
	Warrant by same to the Surveyor General of Crown Lands for a particular of premises as below with a view to a lease thereof to Robert Avery on terms as follow. *Prefixing:* report dated Nov. 24 last by Jno. Fisher in the absence of the Surveyor General of Crown Lands on the petition of said Avery. No report has been made on his petition because his solicitor was insufficiently instructed, but petitioner has now come up to follow it. The three tenements are leaseholds within the manor of Bucklawren, parcel of the Duchy of Cornwall, and conveyed to petitioner. The first called Over-Treveria was contracted for in 1660 by Sir Walter Moyle, but the lease was not granted till 3 July, 1661, when it was granted to Henry Hill for 31 years at the old rent of 28*s.* 6*d.* and 7*l. per an. de incremento;* and two months after was assigned by Sir W. Moyle and Hen. Hill to Rich. Clapp, who died leaving a son Nathaniell, who died intestate and Nathaniell's widow assigned to petitioner Avery 1683, Sept. 29. The tenement is about 30 acres and the value not above 14*l. per an.* For three fresh lives I advise the old rent of 28*s.* 6*d.*, a fine of 80*l.* and 20*l.* for taking off the increased rent of 7*l. per an.* for the 6½ years remaining of Hill's term. Of the other two tenements (both passed in 1664, April 26, to Henry Seymour in reversion) the one for the lives of Jno. and Margaret Hore and William Trelawney was surrendered in 1675 and a new lease granted 1676, Sept. 22, at John Hearle's nomination to John Buller for the life of Francis his son; John Buller assigned to petitioner 1676–7, Mar. 9. Margaret Hore and Francis Buller are dead and John Hore, the one surviving old life, is aged 66. The tenement is 46 acres, valued in the Parliamentary Survey at 23*l. per an.* For two new lives I advise a fine of 100*l.* under the old rent of 45*s. per an.* The third tenement formerly held for the life of John Russell by a lease granted 2 Car. I was passed in 1664 to said Seymour for the lives of two others of Mr. Trelawney's brothers and on surrender was in 1676 granted to Buller as above when these two lives were exchanged for Ann and Katherine,	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, pp. 181–2.

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1685.	two of his daughters. It was assigned to petitioner 1683, Sept. 1. John Russell and Katherine Buller are dead. The survivor, Ann Buller, is about 14 years of age. The tenement is about 33 acres, valued at 16*l.* *per an.* and let for no more by Russell in 1675. For two new lives in reversion [*sic*] I advise a fine of 50*l.* at the old rent of 28*s.* 6*d.* The tenements being all in one manor may pass in one lease.	
Dec. 11.	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to Richard Graham and Philip Burton of the petition of Capt. Seymour, praying that the fines set upon Stubbs, Creswick and Dewxwell for offences in co. Gloucester may not be compounded by the Barons of the Exchequer; so that petitioner may receive the benefit of the King's intentions, he having used his endeavours to bring said fines into the Exchequer.	*Reference Book* III, p. 220.
	Same by same to William Hewer of the petition of Francis Povey for 533*l.* 2*s.* 7*d.* disbursed by him for stores of war in Tangier, as appears by Ordnance Office debentures.	*Ibid*, p. 221.
	Same by same to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of the executors of the Earl of Kinnoul shewing that in 1664 he had a grant of the duty on potashes for 31 years of which nine years are still to run, but same has been suspended by the present King till further order: pray that the suspension may be recalled and that they may have the benefit of the remainder of the term as they have little else to maintain the said Earl's children with.	*Ibid.*
	Same by same to same of the petition of Thomas Glover, merchant, for liberty to ship back to Holland some beaver skins which he brought thence which he thought was lawful but same were seized on arrival.	*Ibid.*
	Same by same to Richard Graham and Philip Burton of a certificate from Rich. Marryott, Ant. Ellesdon, Ste. Primatt, J. Hordesnell and William Tindall, Commissioners for Concealments in cos. Surrey, Kent etc. to the effect that Isaac Marryott has discovered several buildings and erections built upon the waste of the monastery of Bermondsey of considerable yearly value, encroached upon and erected within 45 years [last past]; and he has also produced to us the abstracts of records of several other great quantities of land belonging to the said late monastery which were only demisable estates, some for 60 years and some for lives granted in the latter years of Eliz. and James I and now expired, the reversion whereof is in the Crown: for all which he deserves encouragement.	*Ibid*, pp. 222–3.
	Same by same to Cha. Fox [Paymaster of the Forces] and William Blathwaite [Secretary of the Forces] of the petition of Lieut. John Nash and Quarter Master Robt. Abbis; as by a reference from the King dated Windsor, Sept. 7 last: petitioners shewing that they were in command of the Troop of Horse which John Oneil was Captain of [in the late New Raised Forces], and because they could not get good men to mount themselves they did at their own charge raise 40 able soldiers' horses, paying dear for them; that only 27 of them were	*Ibid*, p. 224.

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1685.	mustered, being informed that the King had commanded no more to be mustered till further order; in which suspense they kept the said horses until disbanded wherein they exhausted their small fortunes: being now dismissed petitioners pray some allowance for their subsistence.	
Dec. 11.	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to Chas. Fox [Paymaster of the Forces] and William Blathwaite [Secretary of the Forces] of the petition of John Suffeild, shewing that he has usually paid the garrisons of Portsmouth for several years; and did advance 600*l.* to Col. Trelawney's Regiment at the request of Major Tiffins, but having nothing to show from the Colonel the latter refuses to pay same: prays to be paid same "and if it be his Majesty's will that he should hereafter pay the Forces [in Portsmouth Garrison], that he may draw bill upon the [Army Paymaster General's] Office."	*Reference Book* III, p. 224.
	Same by same to William Hewer of the petition of John Booyd, late Serjeant in Capt. Barber's Company in the Queen Dowager's Regiment, for payment of the 19 months' arrears due to him, he being discharged the said Company and in great distress.	*Ibid*, p. 225.
	Same by same to the Warden of the Mint and the Mint Commissioners of the petition of Richard Dallow, porter to the Mint, praying for a convenient house in the Tower for himself and family.	*Ibid*, p. 226.
	Same by same to William Hewer of the petition of Frederick Bacher for 206*l.* disbursed by him for the stores of war in Tangier as appears by Ordnance Office debentures.	*Ibid.*
	Same by same to same of the petition of Tho. Powell, late of Tangier, praying payment of his 19 months' arrears of pay for service there.	*Ibid*, p. 228.
	Same by same to the Trustees for Sale of Fee Farm Rents of the petition of John, Lord Ossulston, showing that 23*l.* 8*s.* 0*d.* [*per an.*] part of [a fee farm rent of] 113*l.* 8*s.* 0*d.* [*per an.*] payable by the city of Norwich was in jointure to the late Queen Mother [Henrietta Maria] and was enjoyed by her during life and after her death by her Trustees for three years until 1672, Michaelmas: that in 1665 said rent of 113*l.* 8*s.* 0*d.* was settled in jointure to the present Queen Dowager as of the yearly value of 90*l.* [*per an.*] only by reason of the former settlement of said 23*l.* 8*s.* 0*d.* on the Queen Mother: that in 1673 the Trustees for Fee Farms sold said rent of 113*l.* 8*s.* 0*d.* to petitioner, viz. 23*l.* 8*s.* 0*d.* in possession and 90*l.* in reversion and petitioner has enjoyed said 23*l.* 8*s.* 0*d.* ever since: but now the Queen Dowager claims same with all that petitioner has ever received thereof: further that there are many other rents sold to petitioner by said Trustees which are repriseable, he having paid money for same: therefore prays satisfaction for the said ronts and arrears thereof. *Appending:* note of a paper [missing] of rents to be reprised to said Lord in cos. Suffolk and Derby.	*Ibid*, p. 248.
	Same by same to Mr. Graham and Mr. Burton of the petition of Edmund Jewill, late sheriff of co. Dorset,	*Ibid*, p. 269.

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1685.	for some allowance for his charges in levying the goods of John Miller, a dangerous Dissenter.	
Dec. 12.	Henry Guy to the Customs Cashier to pay 50*l.* to Tho. Doyly and 31*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.* to John Langwith on their [money] warrants.	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 109.
	Same to Mr. Griffin, Treasurer of the Chamber, enclosing a Lord Chamberlain's warrant for payment of 12*l.* to Mary Dowle, strewer of herbs in ordinary to the King, for half a year's strewing May to Sept. last. You are to pay same: the Lord Treasurer will supply you with money for your repayment.	*Ibid.*
	Money warrant for 250*l.* to Dame Ruth Trevor for half a year to June 24 last on her pension, being the first half year incurred since the King's accession.	*Money Book* VI, p. 197.
	Same for 650*l.* to Philip Burton as imprest for Crown Law charges: 500*l.* thereof to be paid out of the 500*l.* paid into the Exchequer by Sir Samuell Astry for Thomas Pilkington's fine and the 150*l.* out of part of Sir Samuell Barnardiston's fine paid in by the sheriff of Suffolk. (Money order dated Dec. 14 hereon.)	*Ibid*, p. 197. *Order Book* I, p. 71.
	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to abovesaid Burton to pay [the above] 650*l.* to Richard Graham in further part of 3,878*l.* 5*s.* 3*d.* for prosecutions for the late King: of which only 1,100*l.* has been paid.	*Money Book* VI, pp. 197-8.
	Money warrant for 100*l.* to Sutton Oglethorpe for half a year to June 24 last on his salary as Master of his Majesty's Studs.	*Ibid*, p. 198.
	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Cashier to pay 427*l.* 13*s.* 9*d.* to Seth, Bishop of Sarum, Chancellor of the Order of the Garter, for three quarters to Sept. 29 last on the annuity of 570*l.* 5*s.* 0*d.* for the support of the honour of that order as by the privy seal of the 9th inst.	*Ibid.*
	Money warrant for 125*l.* to Sir John Nicholas for half a year to June 24 last on his fee of 50*l.* and annuity of 200*l.* as a Clerk of the Privy Council. 125*l.* to Philip Musgrave for same on his fee or salary of 250*l.* *per an.* as a same. 125*l.* to William Bridgman for same on his same as a same.	*Ibid*, pp. 198, 199.
	Dormant warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Cashier to pay Thomas Lysons his salary of 39*l.* *per an.* as one of the Customers of Hull port; with what is grown due thereon at Michaelmas last.	*Ibid*, p. 201.
	The like for James Vernon's salary of 78*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.* *per an.* as Customer of Chester port.	*Ibid*, p. 202.
	The like for John Butler's and Richard Butler's salary of 31*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.* *per an.* as Customers of Boston port.	*Ibid.*
	Royal warrant to the Clerk of the Signet for a privy seal dormant for 1,500*l.* *per an.* to Robert, Earl of Sunderland, as President of the Privy Council, viz. 1,000*l.* thereof as in lieu of an allowance of diet of 10 dishes of meat every meal formerly made to the President of the Privy Council and 500*l.* thereof as royal bounty.	*King's Warrant Book* X, pp. 255–6.

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1685. Dec. 12.	Royal warrant to the Attorney or Solicitor General for a great seal for a grant to Arthur Herbert of the office of Gentleman and Master of the Robes, for the providing of robes, apparel and other necessaries for the King's person: during pleasure: together with 2,500*l. per an.*: whereof 2,000*l.* is to be as imprest for the charge of said office and the remaining 500*l. per an.* to be for the use of said Herbert without account in consideration of his pains in said office and in lieu of the ordinary fees and vayles of the measure and poundage upon payment of moneys heretofore taken by the officer in that place: to be payable quarterly as from Lady day last: the two quarters to Sept. 29 last to be paid forthwith. The said great seal is likewise to authorise the payment to said Herbert of 1,780*l.* 4*s.* 3*d.* upon account for several necessaries provided for the Coronation and other extraordinary services. (The great seal hereon is dated 1685–6, Jan. 11.)	*King's Warrant Book* X, pp. 256–7.
	Royal sign manual for 500*l.* to Henry Guy, for secret service, without account: to be issued on the 10,000*l.* privy seal dormant of Nov. 18 last. (Money warrant dated Dec. 14 hereon. Money order dated Dec. 15 hereon.)	*Ibid*, p. 257. *Money Book* VI, p. 200. *Order Book* I, p. 72.
	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to William Hewer of the petition of William Aldham, shewing that he has delivered an order to Mr. Bowdler for stopping [from the pay of Rob. Hughs] 5*l.* 5*s.* 0*d.* due to him [Aldham] from said Hughes, "and Mr. Bowdler told him [that] upon getting my Lord Treasurer's order for payment of the same to petitioner he would pay it." Therefore prays such order.	*Reference Book* III, p. 224.
	Same by same to the Auditor of the Receipt of the petition of Susanna Corbett, shewing that the late King granted Mris. Honora Harding a pension of 300*l. per an.* of which 2,100*l.* is in arrear and that said Harding died much in debt: therefore prays payment of said arrears for satisfaction of the creditors and of petitioner.	*Ibid*, p. 225.
	Same by same to Mr. Harbord, Surveyor General of Crown Lands, and Mr. Agar, Surveyor General of Woods Trent South, of the petition of Francis Dickins, woodward of New Forest, for some allowance or compensation for the fees payable to him which for five years past according to the custom of the said forest will amount to above 1,200*l.*	*Ibid*, p. 226.
	Henry Guy to the Treasurer of the Chamber. Marmaduke Conway's patent as a falconer is only during pleasure. He therefore needs not surrender it. You are to proceed to pay him on your establishment.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 225.
	Same to Sir John Ernele, enclosing a certificate [missing] of Thom. Agar's, Surveyor of Woods Trent South. You are to report on that part of it which relates to Chestnut Coppice in Dean Forest.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Sir Eliab Harvey to report on that part of the above certificate which relates to King's and Queen's Grove in Waltham Forest: and to certify a true state of the wood and timber there.	*Ibid.*

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1685. Dec. 12.	Henry Guy to the Navy Commissioners. In reply to my letter of Nov. 3 last you have reported only as to the timber in the royal forests useful for works of the Navy. You are to report as to the other matters in said letter, *supra*, p. 400.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 226.
	Same to Mr. Darcy *et al.* to forthwith provide as follows. *Appending :* letter dated the 11th inst. from the Earl of Mulgrave, Lord Chamberlain, to the Lord Treasurer. "I have from all his Majesty's wardrobes brought furniture for the house wherein their Excellencies, the Venetian Ambassadors, are to be entertained, without putting the King to any charge of providing new or hiring goods as hath been usual upon these occasions." But in the King's Wardrobes there are no beds with bedsteads and curtains except the King's and Queen's beds and two such beds with curtains are wanting for two principal officers whom the Ambassadors desire to be lodged in the house. Please hire for one week for this occasion two such standing beds with curtains of cloth or stuff with bedding, chairs and all things belonging thereto : also two dozen cane chairs for the nobility to sit in when they come to visit the Ambassadors. Deliver them to Mr. Kinnersly, Yeoman of the Removing Wardrobe. Also 12 chamber pots, six basins of white earth and 12 pewter candlesticks for their servants.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Warden and Commissioners of the Mint to report on the enclosed information [missing] of Tho. Atkinson.	*Ibid.*
	Same to same. On Mris. Wharton's petition you reported July 4 last that the money she petitions for was not regularly laid out by her husband. Was it really laid out for the service of the [Mint] Office and if so what is reasonable to allow her ?	*Ibid*, p. 227.
	Same to the Navy Commissioners. The enclosed bill of lading [missing] is not signed by any of your number. Before the Lord Treasurer issues his warrant on it you must sign it as you used to do in such cases.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Customs Commissioners to report on the enclosed draft warrant [missing] relating to Mr. Sands.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Sanson. The business you wrote to me on the 10th inst. touching your friend is ordered to be done according to the presentment.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Sir Robert Sawyer [Attorney General] to report on the enclosed papers [missing] concerning Windsor Forest. Mr. Agar is to attend you herein. (Same to said Agar to so attend Sawyer.)	*Ibid.*
	Same to same. You are to exhibit a bill in Chancery for recovery of the 500*l.* given by John White, of London, mercer, to ejected ministers, in accordance with your report on the petition of the Lord Mayor *et al.* Governors of Christ's Hospital, praying for said 500*l.* to be given to said Hospital.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Visct. Preston enclosing the petition [missing] of the arras workers for payment of their arrears.	*Ibid.*

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1685. Dec. 12.	Henry Guy to Mr. Pepys. Hasten your report on the petition of Sir John Mordaunt for recompense for some houses of his demolished at Tangier, which petition was referred to you, Sir William Trumbull and Mr. Bacher by the late Treasury Lords.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 227.
Dec. 14.	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of Antho. Holzafell, picture drawer, shewing that having been detained in France for the space of two years for divers reasons relating to the violent persecution exercised there against those of his belief, especially when they are leaving their country and are renowned in their art, he is come [to England] of late bringing part of what he could not sell nor transport, consisting in some frames of pictures and several pictures all of his own shop and part of those pictures are here expected: prays that those pictures now lying in the Custom House may be restored to him he taking oath that they are all only of his own stock.	*Referenee Book* III, p. 226.
	Fiat by same for letters patent to constitute Samuel Phillipps, gent. one of the King's waiters, London port: to wit, the office he held at the death of Charles II.	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, p. 180.
	Henry Guy to Alderman Duncomb to pay, out of Excise money, 500*l.* to Bernard Howard. Take his receipt as "for so much money received of me [Guy] for his Majesty's service."	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 109.
	Same to the Customs Cashier to forthwith pay 427*l.* 13*s.* 9*d.* to the Chancellor of the Garter for three quarters to Sept. 29 last on 570*l.* 5*s.* 0*d.* *per an.* for the Order of the Garter.	*Ibid*, p. 110.
	Same to same to pay 100*l.* to Sir Nicho. Butler.	*Ibid.*
[?]	Same to the Auditor of the Receipt. It is the Lord Treasurer's opinion and desire that there be no more fees demanded at the Exchequer on the Earl of Peterborough's pension payable on the establishment of the late garrison of Tangier than what is now paid for moneys issued on that establishment. When it is directed to be otherwise paid you may take your due fees. The 500*l.* directed Nov. 3 last to be paid to said Earl is to be issued to William Hewer.	*Ibid.*
Dec. 14.	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners to employ Elmer Mills (who for two years has attended at the waterside with the land-waiters as one of the quay men) as a coastwaiter, London port *loco* John Cox, deceased.	*Out Letters* (*Customs*) X, p. 83.
	Same by same to same to permit stores as follows to be transported on the ship *Duke of York*, George Purvis master, to Virginia, Customs free, being for the supply of stores for his Majesty's ketch *Quaker*. *Appending:* schedule of said stores as certified by the Navy Commissioners, being laden Nov. 9 and 30 last.	*Ibid*, pp. 83–5.
	Treasurer Rochester to the Lord Chamberlain to authorise the Jewel Office to deliver to the Lord Lieutenant of Ireland two maces for the King's service in Ireland to replace two of the said maces	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 228.

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1685.	which are decayed and grown useless. The old maces are to be returned into the Jewel Office.	
Dec. 14.	Henry Guy to Sir James Butler. A report is preparing for the King on Haveland's petition for remitting the fine on him for kidnapping. The Lord Treasurer will hear you on Saturday if you have any objections thereto.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 228.
	Same to Mr. Aldworth [Auditor of the Hearthmoney] to take care that no allowance be made to the late Hearthmoney [Farmers or] managers on account of the following tallies. *Appending:* letter from Dame Clara Wood to the Lord Treasurer. In 1683, my husband, Sir Edw. Wood being in France, I lent 3,000*l.* to John Hind of London, goldsmith, on the security of tallies of advance money on the late Hearthmoney Farm. Hind alleging "that he could not be repaid that part of his share of money advanced by his partners without delivering to them the said tallies." Since then Hind has failed. I desire that no allowance be made on said tallies until my husband be satisfied said debt.	*Ibid.*
	William Blathwaite to Henry Guy, dated from the [Privy] Council Chamber, enclosing from the Committee of Trade and Plantations a letter [missing] from the Lieutenant Governor, Council and Assembly of Barbados, together with the address to the King concerning the late tax upon sugars.	*Out Letters* (*Plantations Auditor*) I, p. 172.
	Money warrant for 375*l.* to Elizabeth, Duchess of Lauderdale, executrix of John, late Duke of Lauderdale, as in full satisfaction (by agreement with her) of all fees payable to her in respect of the office of Ranger or Keeper of New Park, near Richmond.	*Money Book* VI, p. 199.
	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to William Hewer, Treasurer for the late garrison of Tangier, to pay as follows, viz. 8*s.* a day to Alexander Mackenny as Captain [of a Troop in said garrison] from 1682, April 25 (to make up 6*s.* a day on the establishment into 14*s.* a day); 10*s.* a day to Francis La Rue as Lieut. from same date; 9*s.* a day to John Chappell as Cornet from 1682, April 26; 6*s.* a day to John Dennis as Quarter-Master from 1682, April 27; all to 1684, May 1, "the [date of the] determination of the arrears due to the officers and soldiers" of said garrison: notwithstanding that they are not borne upon the musters of Tangier till 1683, April 1.	*Ibid*, p. 200.
	Money warrant for 15*l.* to Carola Roberts for three quarters to Sept. 29 last on her pension; being the amount grown due since the King's accession.	*Ibid*, p. 201.
	Same for 150*l.* to George Gunter, executor to Katherine Gunter, widow, for same period on the annuity granted to her for 21 years from 1669, Lady day: same having been paid only to 1683, Sept. 29.	*Ibid.*
	Henry Guy to William Hewer to pay to Henry Hordesnell, late Recorder of Tangier, so much as is due to him out of the pay of Samuel Dun, late Lieut. of Horse at Tangier; said Hordesnell claiming	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 116.

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1685.	96*l.* 6*s.* 0*d.* from him for diet of said Dun and servants for two years and seven weeks.	
Dec. 14.	Money order for 24*l.* 6*s.* 2*d.* to John Walker, usher of the Exchequer Court, for necessaries by him delivered to the officers of said Court in Michaelmas term last.	*Order Book* I, p. 72.
Dec. 15.	Henry Guy to the Clerk of the Pipe for a certificate what sheriffs have not accompted in the Exchequer.	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 110.
	Same to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue as follows out of the Exchequer, viz. :	*Ibid*, pp. 111, 112.

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
[*Out of the Customs.*]			
to the Treasurer of the Navy for the Victuallers	2,000	0	0
to ditto for sea officers and bills in course	400	0	0
to ditto to pay off 10 caulkers at Deptford	262	17	0
to ditto towards paying of[f] the yachts	1,000	0	0
to Mr. Packer for the new buildings in the Privy Garden	1,500	0	0
to the Treasurer of the Ordnance ..	1,000	0	0
to the Judges according to warrant	3,000	0	0
to the Welsh Judges	175	0	0
to Sir Richd. May, 7*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.* and 66*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.*	74	3	4
to the Masters in Chancery	275	0	0
Out of the Excise.			
to the Paymaster of the Forces ..	6,000	0	0
to Sir Steph. Fox in further part his privy seal for 16,000*l.*	1,000	0	0
to the Cofferer of the Household ..	2,000	0	0
to Sir Robt. Vyner	1,000	0	0
to Mr. Fox to be paid over to Mr. Duncombe to pay a bill of exchange from de Knuydt (to be paid to Mr. Fox)	147	8	2
Out of the Hearthmoney.			
to Mr. Graham, Keeper of the Privy Purse	500	0	0
to Sir Gabriel Silvius	797	0	0
to me [Guy] for secret service.. ..	500	0	0
[to ditto] more	200	0	0
Out of loans on the duty on linens, etc.			
to the Paymaster of the Forces ..	5,000	0	0

(Same dated same to the Customs Cashier, enclosing the paper of the disposition of the Customs cash for the present week; said paper including the above 10 Customs items [payable out of the Exchequer] together with the following item [payable direct out of the Customs Office on tallies] viz. 2,000*l.* to Richard Kent and Charles Duncombe in [part] repayment of loan: total disposition of the Customs, 11,687*l.* 0*s.* 4*d.*)

(Same dated same to the Commissioners of Excise and Hearthmoney, enclosing the like paper for those revenues: said paper including *for the Excise* the abovesaid 5 Excise items [payable out of the Exchequer] together with the following item [payable direct out of the Excise Office on tallies] viz. 1,000*l.* to Mr. Toll in [part] repayment of loan: and [*for the Hearthmoney*] the above items to Graham and Silvius [payable out of

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1685.	the Exchequer] together with the following item [payable direct out of the Hearthmoney Office on tallies] viz. 2,000*l.* to Mr. Toll in [part] repayment of loan. Total disposition of the Excise and Hearthmoney combined, 14,444*l.* 8*s.* 2*d.*)	
Dec. 15.	Henry Guy to Mr. Stephens [Cashier to the Navy Treasurer] to pay to the *Henrietta* and *Katherine* yachts the 3,000*l.* issued [directed, pp. 476, 478] to the Navy Treasurer last week and the 1,000*l.* more ordered this week.	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 111.
	Same to the Customs Cashier to pay 39*l.* to James Pearse for three quarters to Sept. 29 last as a patent waiter, London port: and dormant warrant for same in future.	*Ibid*, p. 112.
	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the King's Remembrancer to issue process of *Fi Fa* and extent against Tho. Price for the balance of 10,602*l.* 6*s.* 9*d. ut supra*, p. 477, Sergeant Philip Ryley having demanded said sum of said Price, who refused to pay same.	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, p. 179.
	Entry of the signature by same and Sir John Ernle, Chancellor of the Exchequer, of the docquet of the lease to Owen Roberts *ut supra*, pp. 458–9.	*Ibid.*
	Fiat by same for royal letters patent to constitute William Christian to be Customer of Carlisle port: to wit, the office he held at the death of Charles II.	*Ibid*, p. 180.
	Reference by same to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of the Governor and Fellowship of English Merchants for the Discovery of New Trades, commonly called the Muscovia Company; shewing that in this present [year's] voyage from Archangel they imported 40 tons of seal oil, not in the least imagining that more than 6*s.* per ton duty would be demanded thereon according to the directions given [successively] by Treasurer Southampton, Treasurer Danby and the late Treasury Lords as confirmed by an order of the King in Council dated 1681, Dec. 21: yet notwithstanding, the Customs Commissioners demand the high duty of 9*l.* per ton, alleging that the said orders are void by the death of Charles II. Therefore pray a renewal of said order, so that they may take up their oil in the same manner they have done for many years past by virtue thereof.	*Reference Book* III, p. 227.
	Henry Guy to Mr. Blathwayt. Send me a copy of the account referred to below. *Prefixing:* (*a*) extract of a letter dated Aug. 1 last from Col. Stede, Lieutenant Governor of Barbados, to Mr. Blathwayt. I enclose you an accompt of sundry goods shipped off by the Commissioners or Agents of the late Farmers [of the Four and a Half *per cent.* Duty in Barbados] being collected by them on account of said duty before the expiration of the farm but shipped since [such expiration] "for which they pretend to pay no [export Customs] duty for it to the King, which [claim] we have disputed with them, and at last submitted to my Lord Treasurer's determination."	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 228. *Out Letters* (*Plantations Auditor*) I, p. 183.
	Same to the Customs Commissioners to report on the enclosed papers [missing]; one being a memorial	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 229.

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1685.	delivered by the French ambassador to the King; two others touching sugars etc. shipped from Barbados since 1684, Dec. 25, for the late Farmers of the Four and a Half *per cent.* Duty; and another relating to a case from Bruges which you are to send unopened to the Queen's backstairs as soon as the vessel arrives.	
Dec. 15.	Henry Guy to Mr. Burton enclosing the warrant [missing, *see supra*, p. 490] for *Fi Fa* and extent against Tho. Price.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 229.
	Same to Sir Ste. Fox. Although Madam Le Grand be dead the King intends to continue the whole pension to her daughters. What is to be done in order to the payment of same to them?	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Customs Commissioners. The King will, on the 22nd inst. at the Treasury Chambers, hear the business on your late presentment concerning wrecks on the coast of Cornwall and elsewhere. You are to attend then prepared to make out what is contained in said presentment. (Same to Sir Richard Lloyd, Judge of the Admiralty, to attend at the above hearing.)	*Ibid.*
	Two royal sign manuals for respectively 200*l.* and 500*l.* to Henry Guy, for secret service, without account: to be issued on the 10,000*l.* privy seal dormant of Nov. 18 last. (Two money warrants dated Dec. 19 hereon. Two money orders dated Dec. 21 hereon.)	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 257. *Money Book* VI, p. 203. *Order Book* I, p. 73.
	Royal warrant to the Governor of Virginia. Thomas Sands of London, merchant, petitioned the late King concerning tobacco exported from Virginia in 1665, but captured by the Dutch *ut supra*, *Calendar of Treasury Books*, Vol. V, p. 800, on which petition Treasurer Danby reported *ut ibid*, p. 999. Thereupon several orders of Council were passed for allowing him to export an equal quantity of tobacco free of the Virginia duty of 2*s.* per hogshead. Notwithstanding this the said Sands had no benefit of the said orders, but has been put to great charge in seven years' solicitation of this business wherefore he has prayed leave to ship 800 hogsheads of tobacco free of the impost of that country. You are hereby required to order him such liberty.	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 258.
	Privy seal for the discharge of the baronet fee of 1,095*l.* due to the late King from Sir Robt. Dashwood *ut supra*, p. 296.	*Ibid*, p. 272.
	Money warrant for 50*l.* to James Noble, John Snow, John Goudge, Mahalaleel Windham, John Smart, Thomas Romerill, Henry Griffith and Ralph Bradford, the present eight doorkeepers of the House of Peers, for their attendance in the last session of Parliament as certified by Sir Thomas Duppa, Black Rod. (Money order dated Dec. 17 hereon.)	*Money Book* VI, p. 201. *Order Book* I, p. 73.
Dec. 16.	Money order for 5*l.* to Thomas Dorton of Gravesend, victualler, for several days' quarters of several of Capt. Sir Robt. Layton's soldiers in the late Regiment of Col. Sir Tho. Slingsby [among the late New Raised Forces and] since disbanded: as by a certificate dated 1679, May 31, from two of the late Commissioners for Disbanding said Forces: to be paid	*Order Book* I, p. 72.

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1685.	out of the [last] Six Months' Assessment for said disbandment.	
Dec. 18.	Money warrant for 2,800*l.* to Roger, Earl of Castlemaine, 1,500*l.* thereof for equipage and 1,300*l.* for a quarter's ordinary in advance as Ambassador Extraordinary to Rome. (Money order dated Dec. 18 hereon.)	*Money Book* VI, p. 202. *Order Book* I, p. 72.
Dec. 19.	Henry Guy to the Barons of the Exchequer not to suffer the recognizances of Thomas Stubbs, Francis Creswick and —— Dewxell (lately estreated into the Exchequer), to be compounded for.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 230.
	Same to Sir Steph. Fox. It is tho King's pleasure that Sir Simon Lewis should furnish the linen for the Household.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Sir Phil. Lloyd for an account of the value of the goods and chattels which widow Bonell, the clipper, desires to have pardoned.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Visct. Falkland. None of your ledgers as Treasurer [of the Navy] have hitherto been sent to the Navy Commissioners' Office. Send them with all expedition.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Stephens. All the ledgers of Mr. Seymour [as late Treasurer of the Navy] are passed by the Navy Commissioners except his last one for the year 1681, which is now under consideration and may be despatched in a few days after the section of imprests and the voluntary charge are brought to the Navy Office. You are to transmit same forthwith. Also when the Yards at Chatham and Sheerness are paid you are to give the Lord Treasurer an account thereof.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Blathwayte to attend Treasurer Rochester on Monday with Sir Rich. Dutton's account and Col. Walrond's report.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Commissioners of the Privy Seal. There are several docquets before you for grants relating to the revenue, viz. such as discharges of baronetcy fees, discharges of forfeitures etc. The Lord Treasurer desires you not to pass such grants or discharges upon docquets that have lain long in the [Privy Seal] office without acquainting the Lord Treasurer therewith.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Navy Commissioners for a new list of all the bills of exchange that are drawn on you.	*Ibid*, p. 231.
	Same to same for an account of those imprest accomptants [mentioned and charged in the supers in the Navy Treasurer's accounts] who you believe will be certainly found in the King's debt, in order to their being prosecuted.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Attorney General. The King has referred to the Lord Treasurer William Haveland's petition for discharge of the fine of 500 marks set on him for [kidnapping,] selling and transporting the King's subjects to beyond the seas, he avering that since the order in Council of 1682, Dec., he never acted contrary to the method therein directed. Hereon Mr. Graham and Mr. Burton have reported to the	*Ibid.*

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1685.	Lord Treasurer that said petitioner has stood three times in the pillory and lain 11 months in execution for said fine and is certified by many worthy persons as loyal. Thereupon the Lord Treasurer was about to report [favourably] to the King, but Sir James Butler has told his lordship that the Queen Dowager and St. Katherine's Hospital have a right to the said fine. You are to examine and report what title the said Queen or the hospital may have to said fine.	
Dec. 19.	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners to employ Tho. Warkman as a noontender, London port *loco* Robt. Baxter, lately deceased. William Bennington as tidesman at Hull *loco* Tho. Massingall, lately dismissed. Thomas Tonstall as tidesman and boatman in fee, Weymouth port *loco* Tho. Rymer, removed to Poole. Moses Shaw as same at Weymouth *loco* Sam. Hardley, removed to London. Richard Mallock as waiter and searcher at Brixham in Dartmouth port *loco* John Trownson, lately dismissed.	*Out Letters* (*Customs*) X, pp. 85, 86.
	Same by same to same to pay 150*l.* to Amias Hext and Juliana his wife for three quarters to Sept. 29 last as by the privy seal of 5th inst.	*Money Book* VI, p. 203.
	Money warrant for 50*l.* to Sir Christopher Musgrave for same time on his fee of 100 marks *per an.* as Lieut.-Gen. of the Ordnance.	*Ibid.*
	Henry Guy to the Customs Cashier to forthwith pay 2,800*l.* into the Exchequer. (Same to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue said sum to the Earl of Castlemaine.)	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 113.
	Same to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue (out of moneys of goods seized) 500*l.* to me [Guy] for secret service; 400*l.* to the Bishop of Chester for [the King's four] Lancashire preachers.	*Ibid.*
Dec. 21.	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Clerk of the Pipe. Summons of the Pipe did not duly issue in Trinity term last against the several Recusants convict in Bristol city and Southampton town. You are forthwith to make out such process and deliver same to the several sheriffs as is usual.	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, p. 183.
	Same by same to the Commissioners of Excise and Hearthmoney to depute Capt. Edward Gibbs as Receiver General of Hearthmoney in South Wales: the general management of said duty in the 13 counties of Wales being at present under one Receiver General which is too great a business for one person, the inspection of the under collectors and returns of money in so large and uneasy a district requiring two able and diligent officers, viz. one for the northern counties (who is to be the present Receiver General) and the other for the counties of South Wales. In view of their constant travelling they are to have 200*l.* *per an.* each salary.	*Ibid*
	Report by same to the King on the petition of Sir William Gostlin and Sir Peter Vandeput *ut supra*, p. 448. I am certified the 4th instant by Richard Graham and Philip Burton that the sheriffs of	*Ibid*, p. 184.

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1685.	London before the loss of their charter were always entitled thereby to the fines and forfeitures set on offenders in the city of London during their shrievalty. Petitioners for their faithfulness deserve favour as granted Jan. 8 last by Charles II to Sir Peter Daniell and Sir Sam. Dashwood.	
Dec. 21.	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the King's Remembrancer to forbear process till the end of Hilary term next against Walter Evans, late sheriff of Monmouth.	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, p. 185.
	Henry Guy to James Le Body. The Lord Treasurer has referred to Mr. Graham of Cliffords Inn the petition of yourself and others concerning concealed lands. You and the others concerned are to attend Graham to make out the probability of the King's title, "because it is not reasonable nor usual to grant any lands until it does appear that his Majesty has some probable title to them." (Same to Mr. Graham to report on said petition being of James Le Body, Eliz. Crouch and Ellinor Deadore in behalf of themselves *et al.* proposing to make out the King's title to several lands etc. in London, Middlesex, Kent, Surrey, Essex, Huntingdon, and several other places.)	*Out Letters (General)* IX, pp. 231, 232.
	Same to the Warden of the Mint and Mint Commissioners to report on the petition of Katherine Williams *ut supra*, p. 392.	*Ibid*, p. 232.
	Same to the Excise Commissioners for a certificate what moneys of Excise or Hearth duty remained in Mr. Cornish's hands (either by bills of exchange or otherwise) at the time of his conviction. (The like letter to the Customs Commissioners.)	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Hearthmoney Commissioners for an account what the Hearthduty has arisen to in Wales and the four Northern counties for one year ended Lady day last.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Customs Commissioners enclosing a letter from the Secretary at War to the Commander-in-chief of the Forces at Bristol for the Custom officers to have free passage through the gates of the city by night as well as day. The said commander is to be kept supplied with a list of the said officers.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Hearthmoney Commissioners. From your report of Nov. 10 last it appears that 1,757*l.* 5*s.* 0*d.* has been collected on the head of arrears of said duty standing out at Lady day, 1684. You are to keep same in hand, and all later receipts on the same head, until the Lord Treasurer's order for disposal thereof.	*Ibid*, p. 233.
	Same to Antho. Row and partners. You have not yet delivered to Auditor Aldworth the tallies which are to vouch the greatest part of the discharge of your general [Hearthmoney Farm] account for five years to 1684, Lady day. Send them with all speed.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Fisher to report on the petition of Henry Savile and the estimate *ut infra* as referred this day to the Surveyor General of Crown Lands by Treasurer Rochester.	*Ibid*, p. 233. *Reference Book* III, pp. 228–9.

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1685.	*Appending :* (*a*) said Savile's petition shewing that after great charges to prove the death of Capt. John Lightfoot in the Indies petitioner was about a year since made keeper of Bushy Park at Hampton Court where he found everything in disorder by the negligence of the several hands it had been in. (*b*) Schedule of repairs necessary : total, 962*l.* including paling to divide Middle Park and Bushy Park and a brick wall about the garden.	
Dec. 21.	Treasurer Rochester to Francis, Lord Howard of Effingham, Lieutenant and Governor General of the Colony of Virginia. Mr. Blathwayt has presented to me three accounts of his Majesty's revenue in Virginia (1) of the 2*s.* per hogshead on tobacco exported thence for the year 1684. (2) The like for the year 1685. (3) Several sums received for his Majesty's quit rents in that colony. In the first account I find three particulars relating to Lord Colepeper amounting to 802*l.* 3*s.* 0*d.* for the man-of-war sloop, for the Guard and for the soldiers' quarters. These I have not thought fit to allow as his Lordship has received full satisfaction from his Majesty in discharge of those particulars, besides a compensation for all his pretentions during his government in Virginia ; so that the Auditor is to ease his Majesty's revenue of that charge which must be made good by Lord Colepeper in pursuance of his agreement with the late King and the said King's letter dated 1684, May 24. Upon the second account I have only observed that there is a new charge brought upon the King's revenue for postage of letters, which is likewise disallowed [by me]. As to the [third] accompt [viz. that] of the quit rents I am glad to find that there is so much already received and that your letters give assurance of a further improvement of that revenue. The King is pleased that the debt of 460*l.* 19*s.* 11*d.* on the duty of 2*s.* per hogshead be discharged out of the 513*l.* 15*s.* 7*d.* arising from the quit rents, all for the better support of the government [of Virginia] as a testimony of his particular regard for said colony. Intimate this to the Council and Assembly that they may have a due sense thereof and further acquaint them that although by the assignment of Lord Colepeper the King is legally entitled to the whole profit of the escheats happening in Virginia, yet as a further instance of his grace and favour his Majesty will immediately accept of the composition of two lb. of tobacco for every acre of escheated lands. There are some other profits arising to the government [of Virginia] which are necessary hereafter to be accounted for according to the practice of other Plantations and the King's former directions, as the duty arising by wine licences and the tribute beaver and other things which are to be brought to accompt, to what use soever the King shall think fit that they be continued to be applied. Communicate the subject matter hereof to the revenue officers and keep me informed of any improvement of the quit rents, the profits whereof are not to be disposed of without the King's particular orders.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, pp. 233–4. *Out Letters* (*Plantations Auditor*) I, pp. 181–2.
	Money warrant for 10*l.* to Thomas Browne, Clerk of the Estreats in the Court of Common Pleas, for half a year to June 24 last on his fee of 10*l. per an.* and allowance of 10*l. per an.*	*Money Book* VI, p. 204.

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1685. Dec. 21.	Money warrant for 15*l.* to Henry Small, gent., Clerk of the Nichils of the Court of Exchequer, for three quarters to Sept. 29 last on his fee of 20*l. per an.*	*Money Book* VI, p. 204.
	Same for 15*l.* 18*s.* 6*d.* to the Churchwarden of the parish of St. Magnus for same period on the perpetuity of 21*l.* 4*s.* 8*d.* to the poor of said parish.	*Ibid.*
	Henry Guy to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue 150*l.* to Mr. Whitgrave; 750*l.* to Lady Fisher; 300*l.* to Lady Windham's daughters; 450*l.* to Sir Thomas Windham; 225*l.* to Mr. Gifford; 150*l.* to Mr. Reynold; 15*l.* to Carola Roberts, making in all 2,040*l.* out of the following [funds or] branches of the revenue, viz. 1,432*l.* 12*s.* 1*d.* of the Letter Office money; 222*l.* of fines of leases; 50*l.* 1*s.* 4*d.* of compositions in the Exchequer; 132*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.* of the Duchy of Cornwall revenue; 49*l.* 13*s.* 6*d.* of estates forfeited; 93*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.* of rent of Carolina; 59*l.* 16*s.* 5*d.* of King's Bench fines.	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 113.
	Same to Mr. Grifin [Treasurer of the Chamber] to pay to Signr. Verrio the quarter due to him this day on account of the King's garden in St. James's Park.	*Ibid*, p. 114.
	Same to Geo. Robinson, one of the sub-farmers [under Lord Townshend], of the duty of 4*s.* per chalder on sea coals, to advance to said Lord Townsend 2,101*l.* out of the receipts of said duty since Feb. 6 last. The proper warrants to vouch this payment shall be passed with all speed.	*Ibid.*
	Money order for 466*l.* 5*s.* 10*d.* to Thomas Best in full of all money due to him for clothing by him furnished to Col. Sir John Talbott's late Regiment of Dragoons [among the late New Raised Forces lately disbanded] according to a certificate dated 1679, May 31, from two of the Commissioners for Disbanding said Forces: to be paid out of the last Six Months' Assessment for said disbandment.	*Order Book* I, p. 71.
	Same for 95*l.* 8*s.* 3*d.* to Walter Furnis, saddler, in full of all moneys due to him for sadles and other furniture by him furnished to the Earl of Roscommon's and Capt. Ferdinando Stanhopp's late Troops of Horse [among the New Raised Forces disbanded *ut supra*], as by the like certificate.	*Ibid.*
Dec. 22.	Warrant dormant by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Cashier to pay the salary of 32*l. per an.* to William Christian as Customer of Carlisle port.	*Money Book* VI, p. 205.
	Warrant by same to the Customs Commissioners and to William Jackson and Thomas Brodericke, agents for the administrators of William, late Earl of Kinnoul. By indenture under the great seal dated 1666, July 30, Charles II granted to said Earl the Customs on the importation of barilia, smalts and saffers and potashes for 31 years from 1664, Lady day. By my order of Mar. 18 last the receipts thereof from the death of Charles II were to be kept in the hands of said Jackson and Broderick till the King's further pleasure therein. You, the said Jackson and Brodericke are hereby to pay to said Earl's administrators a moiety of said receipts since the death of Charles II. The	*Out Letters* (*Customs*) X, pp. 86–7.

Date.	Nature and Substance of the Entry.	Reference.
1685.	other moiety is to be kept in hand till the King's further pleasure.	
Dec. 22.	Henry Guy to the Customs Commissioners to forthwith suspend Mr. Glover, the collector of Sandwich port.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 234.
	Same to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue as follows out of the Exchequer, viz. :	*Disposition Book* IV, pp. 116–7.
	l. s. d.	
	Out of the Customs.	
	to the Treasurer of the Navy for the Victuallers 2,000 0 0	
	to ditto for sea officers and bills in course 400 0 0	
	to ditto in further part for the new dry dock at Chatham to be built by contract with Mr. Rogers .. 400 0 0	
	Out of the imposition on wine and vinegar.	
	to the Treasurer of the Ordnance .. 2,000 0 0	
	Out of the Excise.	
	to the Paymaster of the Forces .. 6,000 0 0	
	to Sir Stephen Fox on his privy seal for secret service 1,049 13 0	
	to the Cofferer of the Household .. 2,000 0 0	
	to the Earl of Berkshire 450 0 0	
	to Sir William Killegrew 250 0 0	
	to Lady Marshall [Marischal].. .. 300 0 0	
	to Col. Somerset Fox 150 0 0	
	Out of Post Office money.	
	to the Keeper of the Privy Purse 500 0 0	
	to Auditor Shales 150 0 0	
	to Mr. Chiffinch for half a year to the falconers to be issued to the Treasurer of the Chamber as being due in his Office 181 17 5	
	Out of loans on the duty on French linens etc.	
	to the Paymaster of the Forces .. 2,000 0 0	
	(Same dated same to the Customs Cashier enclosing the paper of the disposition of the Customs cash for the present week, said paper including the above three Customs items [payable out of the Exchequer] together with the following item [payable direct out of the Customs Office on tallies] viz. 2,000*l.* to Mr. Kent and Mr. Duncombe on tallies. Total disposition of the Customs, 4,800*l.*) (Same dated same to the Commissioners of Excise and Hearth-money, enclosing the like paper of disposition for those revenues ; said paper including *for the Excise* only the above seven Excise items to a total of 10,199*l.* 13*s.* 0*d.* and *for the Hearthmoney* only one item [payable direct out of the Hearthmoney Office on tallies] viz. 2,000*l.* to Mr. Toll in repayment of loan.)	
	Entry of the signature by Treasurer Rochester and Sir John Ernle, Chancellor of the Exchequer, of the licence to George Browning to make a weir on the Exe *ut supra*, p. 478.	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, p. 185.
	Henry Guy to the Auditor of the Receipt to advance to Philip Packer, Paymaster of the Works, 636*l.* 10*s.* 0*d.* remainder of 1,500*l.* lately directed for the King's new buildings at Whitehall. The regular warrant for this issue hereof will be sent you as soon as a new privy seal is passed to authorise same.	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 114.

Date.	Nature and Substance of the Entry.	Reference.
1685. Dec. 22.	Henry Guy to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue to me [Guy] 326*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.* for secret service, 300*l.* thereof out of Recusants' money in the Exchequer and 26*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.* thereof out of money paid or to be paid into the Exchequer by Mr. Wall, late sheriff of Gloucester.	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 114.
	Same to the Customs Cashier to pay William Christian his salary of 32*l.* *per an.* from time to time as Customer of Carlisle port.	*Ibid.*
Dec. 23.	Same to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue to Treasurer Rochester the 1,250*l.* which is paid into the Exchequer by Mr. Graham *et al.* out of the profits of the late Lord Grey's estate : as in further part of Treasurer Rochester's grant of 16,000*l.* out of said estate.	*Ibid*, p. 115.
	Same to the Customs Cashier to pay Thomas Lysons his salary of 39*l.* *per an.* from time to time as one of the Customers of Hull port. And to James Vernon his salary of 78*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.* as Customer of Chester port. And to John Butler and Richd. Butler their salary of 31*l.* 16*s.* 8*d.* as Customers of Boston port.	*Ibid.*
	Two royal sign manuals for respectively 500*l.* and 326*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.* to Henry Guy, for secret service, without account : to be issued on the 10,000*l.* privy seal dormant of Nov. 18 last. (Two money warrants dated Dec. 23 hereon. Two money orders dated Dec. 24 hereon.)	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 259. *Money Book* VI, p. 205. *Order Book* I, p. 73.
	Royal warrant to the Attorney General for a great seal for a grant, to the Queen, of all that palace, capital messuage or mansion house called St. James's House, with the court yards, orchards, gardens and other appurtenances thereof in the parish of St. Martins in the Fields : to hold for her natural life.	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 260.
	Same to the Clerk of the Signet for a privy seal for 20,000*l.* to Philip Packer as imprest for the service of the Works.	*Ibid.*
	Same to Treasurer Rochester to give warrant to the King's Remembrancer for a commission to constitute Edward Ange, Receiver General of the Revenue arising by Recusancy, conventicles, *de excommunicato capiendo etc.* in England, Wales and the counties Palatine of Lancaster, Chester and Durham ; all practically *ut supra*, p. 467, save for the following clause here inserted : said Ange is hereby "to take care and provide for the discovery of Recusants' real estates within the places aforesaid and the true values of the same and of all sums of money due or to grow due to us from any Recusant whatsoever or from any other person or persons whatsoever who have had and received or shall have or receive such sum or sums of money or from any person or persons for or by reason of their Recusancy."	*Ibid*, pp. 273–5. *Warrants Early* XXXIII, pp. 17–18. *Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, p. 185.
	Henry Guy to the Earl of Anglesea. Send the Lord Treasurer your answer to the enclosed affidavit [missing] of John Barret concerning a distress made at your house at Bletchington for arrears of Hearthmoney.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 234.

Date.	Nature and Substance of the Entry.	Reference.
1685. Dec. 23.	Henry Guy to Mr. Hewer. You are to take off the stop ordered *supra, Calendar of Treasury Books,* Vol. VII, p. 1416, of so much of the money due to Major Edward Fitzgerald from the King as was owing to Sir John Mordant from said Fitzgerald: the Lord Treasurer having heard Edward Roth and James Gorman, executors of said Fitzgerald, and the other parties concerned and finding no reason to continue the stop.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 234.
	Same to Sir Peter Apsley, Sir Benj. Bathurst and Mr. Graham to deliver to [Auditor] Aldworth all deeds in your custody relating to the King's private estate before his access to the throne, in order to the enrolling thereof with the proper Auditors and then lodging the deeds with the King's Remembrancer.	*Ibid,* p. 235.
	Same to Sir Jno. Lawrence to attend Treasurer Rochester after the holidays on your proposal lately given in.	*Ibid.*
	Same to the Customs Commissioners to visit the Earl of Castlemain's goods at his house in Beaufort Street in order to their transport to Genoa in the *Merchant's Goodwill.*	*Ibid.*
	Same to Mr. Graham and Mr. Burton to report on the enclosed paper [missing] concerning the manor of Dauntsey.	*Ibid.*
	Same to [Auditor] Aldworth not to allow the following 4,500*l.* in the accounts of the late Hearth-money [Farmers or] Managers till satisfaction of the money advanced thereon and of the interest thereon. *Prefixing:* letter dated Dec. 19 from John Jones to [the Lord Treasurer]. In April, 1683, I lent 4,500*l.* to Capt. John Hind of London, goldsmith, on security of tallies of advance of said Farmers: therefore pray that same be not allowed till petitioner be satisfied.	*Ibid.*
	Warrant from Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners to permit the Muscovia Company to take up the 40 tons of seal oil imported by them this present voyage from Archangel on the duty of 6*s.* per ton as is paid for train oil from Newfoundland instead of the high duty of 9*l.* per ton: and in future to import under the like duty such quantity of seal oil as they shall take on board their ships: the Customs Commissioners having reported that they have no objection thereto.	*Out Letters (Customs)* X, pp. 87–8.
Dec. 24.	Same by same to Philip Ryley, serjeant-at-arms attending the Lord Treasurer, to arrest Symon Unwin, sheriff of co. Stafford, for the year ended 1677, Sept. 29: he not having passed his account for same; as is certified by Bartholomew Fillingham, Deputy Clerk of the Pipe. Similarly Edmd. Craister, sheriff of Northumberland, for the years ended 1682, Sept. 29, and 1683, Sept. 29: for the like cause. Similarly James Howard, sheriff of Northumberland, for the year ended 1684, Sept. 29: for the like cause.	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, p. 186.

Date.	Nature and Substance of the Entry.	Reference.
1685. Dec. 24.	Treasurer Rochester to John Kelland, late sheriff of Devon. You are to perfect your account as sheriff of Devon for the year ended 1684, Sept. 29, in Hilary term next or you will be arrested. The like letter to William Daniell, sheriff of co. Beds, for same year.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 236.
	Henry Guy to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue to me [Guy] for secret service 500*l.* of Excise money remaining in the Exchequer.	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 117.
	Warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners to send John Ward to Sandwich to act as collector there during the suspension of Mr. Glover.	*Out Letters* (*Customs*) X, p. 88.
	Money warrant for 150*l.* to Somerset Fox for half a year to June 24 last on his annuity or pension.	*Money Book* VI, p. 205.
Dec. 26.	Henry Guy to the Commissioners of Excise and Hearthmoney. For particular reasons it is for the King's service that Joseph Rawson of Ailesbury be immediately put into one of the chiefest places either in the Excise or Hearth duty in co. Bucks. You are to make a vacancy for him.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 236.
	Same to the Attorney General to report whether process may go out legally against several baronets created in the late King's reign who have neither paid their baronetcy fee of 1,095*l.* nor been discharged thereof.	*Ibid.*
	Great seal revoking the great seal of Feb. 21 last which granted the office of Paymaster of the Forces to Charles Fox and in lieu thereof granting the said office to Richard, Earl of Ranelagh, together with the house late in the possession of said Fox and the rooms used for the said office in the Tilt Yard adjoining to the Horse Guards: he to have also the inspection, cheque and control of all accounts and payments to be made by any persons who shall receive any moneys for the pay of the Forces: but he not to be liable for moneys paid to any other person for the pay of the Forces: he to have the wages fee and allowance of 20*s.* a day.	*King's Warrant Book* X, pp. 261–2.
	Henry Guy to Henry Loades to advance, out of the receipts of the wood farm 3,000*l.* to the Earl of Yarmouth for one year to Christmas last on his several pensions of 2,000*l.* and 1,000*l.* *per an.*; and likewise 2,700*l.* to the said Earl and the Countess Dowager of Yarmouth as executors of Robert, late Earl of Yarmouth, for the profits of said farm due to them "provided you reserve in your hands so much money as will be sufficient to pay the salaries and incident charges due to the officers for collecting the said duty as also what is due to his Majesty for the rent thereof and to Mr. Proger [what is due] upon his pension of 800*l.* *per an.* payable out of that duty." The necessary warrants to vouch the above two payments shall be passed with all speed.	*Disposition Book* IV, p. 118.
Dec. 28.	Same to the Customs Commissioners to deliver to the Duchess of Massareene's [Mazarin] servant certain goods on payment of customs.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 237.

Date.	Nature and Substance of the Entry.	Reference.
1685.		
	Appending : list of said goods in French signed Mr. Jon. Aube, John Hobbs : being gloves, gilt leather buttons, purses for Madame Middleton, etc.	
Dec. 28.	Henry Guy to the Customs Commissioners. Bring to the Lord Treasurer to-morrow (at which time you are to attend about the wrecks) your complaints against Mr. May of Walmer Castle for hindering the Customs officers from searching for prohibited and uncustomed goods in said castle.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 237.
Dec. 29.	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to the Surveyor General of Crown Lands of the petition of Baldwin Leighton for a lease of a farm called the Hermitage in the hundred of Risingsworth, co. Berks, tenanted by one Younge and worth 40*l.* or 50*l. per an.* the [Crown] lease being expired and Younge having no lease from the Crown.	*Reference Book* III, p. 230.
	Same by same to William Blathwayt of a letter dated Nov. 29 last from Sir Jos. Tredenham to Henry Guy concerning his pay as Governor of St. Mawes Castle. *Prefixing :* said letter. On my petition to the King some time since for the arrears of my said pay, I received pay thereof on the report of the Lord Treasurer, but no signification of the King's pleasure as to the growing pay which is 3*s.* a day. I beg you to draw the Lord Treasurer's attention to this part of my said petition.	*Ibid.*
	Same by same to Richd. Graham and Philip Burton of the petition of George Mees, gent., for a grant of the fine of 500*l.* lately set on John Wordell for swearing to a bond of 50*l.* proved to be forged. (*In the margin :* a later reference dated 1685–6, Jan. 15, from same to same to report whether Wordell can pay said fine or not.)	*Ibid*, p. 231.
	Same by same to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of Francis Munday, tidesman in fee, Bristol port, praying for the post of deputy and assistant to the Surveyor *ibid. loco* Thomas Allen, deceased.	*Ibid.*
	Same by same to same of the petition of Richard Gardnor for a landwaiter's place, Liverpool port *loco* Tho. Holt, who is willing to resign and that Holt may be made a tidewaiter *ibid. ;* petitioner having been a deputy patent waiter at Chester port for several years and made many seizures.	*Ibid.*
	Same by same to Richard Graham and Philip Burton of the petition of Charles Tucker, gent., for a lease of his diseovery of several tenements leased to one Robt. Perrot, lately executed for high treason, same being worth about 500*l.*	*Ibid*, p. 232.
	Same by same to Bartho. Fillingham, Thomas Hall and William Loundes of a certificate from the Commissioners in a commission of inquiry as to the escheated and concealed lands prosecuted by Elias Allen, *see supra*, pp. 463–4. *Prefixing :* said certificate dated Dec. 10 last. Allen filed with us his information of a large discovery of said lands in co. Surrey and we summoned the occupiers before us to show their title. Allen is ready to make far larger discoveries of the like in other counties. Marryott has produced witnesses as	*Ibid*, pp. 232-3.

Date.	Nature and Substance of the Entry.	Reference.
1685.	to some waste lands in Surrey, but he refuses to make further proof thereof and has boasted he could stop our Commission at his pleasure. We think he has some private and sinister designs to gain a present reward from his Majesty or an opportunity to bargain with the occupiers. There are several reputable persons ready to make large discovery of several manors, lands etc. worth many thousand pounds *per an.*	
Dec. 29.	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of John Seccombe, Comptroller of Falmouth port, praying for a vacant landwaiter's place at Penryn.	*Reference Book* III, p. 233.
	Same by same to Auditor Aldworth of the interest account of Joseph and Nath. Horneby for the half year ended 1685, Dec. 25. *Prefixing :* said account.	*Ibid*, p. 234.

	l.	*s.*	*d.*
interest on 28,500*l.* at 6 *per cent.* ..	862	0	4
deductions of interest on principal moneys repaid.			
on 500*l.* repaid 1685, July 29	12	4	11
on 500*l.* repaid Aug 8	11	8	5
on 500*l.* repaid Aug. 18	10	12	0
on 500*l.* repaid Aug. 22	10	5	5
on 500*l.* repaid Aug. 31	9	10	8
on 500*l.* repaid Sept. 7	8	19	2
on 1,000*l.* repaid Sept. 21	15	12	3
on 500*l.* repaid Oct. 15	5	16	8
	£84	19	6

leaving a net interest of 777*l.* 10*s.* 10*d.* due.

	Same by same to William Blathwayte [as Secretary to the Forces] of the petition of Michaell Haddon (as referred from the King Dec. 1 inst.): petitioner shewing that he is tenant of the meadow ground called the Goswell's lying next Windsor wherein 18 companies of soldiers under Sir Charles Littleton and the Earl of Dunbarton respectively have all summer exercised and wherein likewise the 13 companies of the King's Foot Guards were lately encamped ; by which petitioner has lost the whole profits of said meadows amounting to 60*l. per an.* : therefore prays satisfaction.	*Ibid*, p. 238.
	Same by same to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of Robert Banbury for a vacant tidewaiter's place in the Custom House, London.	*Ibid*, p. 249.
	Same by same to Sir Christo. Wren of the petition of Joseph Radcliff for the office of purveyor to the works *loco* Arthur Haughton, deceased, petitioner having served the Works with goods since the Restoration and there being 41*l.* 15*s.* 3*d.* due to him since 1665 for fitting up the Masking House.	*Ibid*, p. 258.
	Warrant by same to the Surveyor General of Crown Lands for a particular of [the agistment of the park of Launceston] with a view to a lease thereof to Sir Hugh Piper for three lives at 33*s.* 4*d. per an.* fine of 100*l.* and 25*l.* for buying off the increase rent of 8*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.* for six years to come.	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, pp. 186–7.

Date.	Nature and Substance of the Entry.	Reference.
1685.		
	Prefixing : report dated Dec. 11 by John Fisher in the absence of said Surveyor General on said Piper's petition for same. In Sir Richard Prideaux's survey the park of Launceston contains 34 acres valued at 34*l. per an.* ; in the [Long] Parliament's Survey it contains 30 acres valued at 18*l.* 18*s.* 0*d. per an.* above the old rent of 34*s.* 4*d.* Piper professes he could never make above 20*l.* a year of it. Mr. Ross's grant for 31 years was dated 1661, May 22, and is assigned to petitioner. I advise terms as above.	
Dec. 29.	*Fiat* by Treasurer Rochester for royal letters patent to constitute Miles Edgar to be searcher of Customs in Chichester port ; to wit, the office he held at the death of Charles II.	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, p. 187.
	Warrant by same to the Commissioners of Excise and Hearthmoney to take off the suspension of Edward Pilsworth and Thomas Hurdis as respectively Surveyor of the officers for strong waters and coffee and Clerk for coffee ; Pilsworth having carried on a considerable trade in coffee, tea and chocalat and Hurdis managing a very considerable trade in mum, selling the commodities to the retailers thereof which the said Commissioners thought a sufficient ground to suspect that the retailers cannot be fairly represented by those traders or their officers unto you for their compositions : but Pilsworth having offered to lay aside all other business and apply himself wholly to the inspection of the strong water officers and the said Hurdis having likewise promised for his office. The removal of the suspension of Anthony Mason, clerk for strong waters, is hereby approved, there being "nothing of neglect or by dealing" found against him.	*Ibid*, p. 188.
	Henry Guy to the Attorney General to report on the case of distress made at the Earl of Anglesea's house in Oxfordshire for Hearthmoney arrears, as to which said Earl threatens to complain to Parliament. Can any Member of Parliament have any privilege against the King when he is indebted to the King ?	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 237.
	Same to the Customs Commissioners to deliver the following goods to the Countess of Clarendon on payment of duty. *Appending :* schedule of said goods (including various china ware, five images, two Japanese gowns, four coloured cups with ciffers etc.).	*Ibid*, p. 238.
	The Earl of Rochester to Sir John Coryton, bart., late sheriff of Cornwall. If you do not perfect your account as sheriff for the year ended 1684, Sept. 29, you will be arrested.	*Ibid*, p. 239.
	Henry Guy to Dr. Pinfold for a certificate what money is in your hands and what you have received by *depositums* or otherwise upon the prosecution of Recusants for not coming to church or not receiving the Sacrament.	*Ibid.*
	Money warrant for 50*l.* to Dr. Nicholas Gibbon for half a year to June 24 last on his annuity or pension.	*Money Book* VI, p. 206.
	Warrant dormant from Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Cashier to pay the salary of 15*l.* 5*s.* 0*d. per an.*	*Ibid*, p. 207.

Date.	Nature and Substance of the Entry.	Reference.
1685.	to Walter Midleton, esq., as Customer of Milford port: and to pay what is due thereon to Sept. 29 last.	
Dec. 29.	Royal warrant to James, Duke of Ormonde, Lord Steward of the Household, and to the rest of the Board of Greencloth to add the following particulars to the Establishment of the Household which commenced July 1 last and which amounted to 61,148*l.* 13*s.* 5½*d.* [*per an.*]: the said particulars as follows having been omitted therefrom, but the King's pleasure now being that same be therein inserted: viz.	*King's Warrant Book* X, pp. 263–4.

	per an. *l.*	*s.*	*d.*
to the Vicechamberlain of the Household 20*s.* per day over and above 194*l.* 8*s.* 4*d.* therein contained ..	365	0	0
to Tho. Frazer, Michel Benningfeild and Richd. Folyard, the King's barbers, each 200*l.* *per an.* for salary and to furnish all barber's necessaries in waiting	600	0	0
to Sir William Boreman in continuation of his pension given him by Charles I	30	0	0
to John Richardson, chapel keeper at St. James's	40	0	0
to Daniel Boote, closet keeper, the like	40	0	0
to Mris. Holmes, necessary woman, salary 60*l.*, lodging 10*l.* and for all kinds of necessaries in lieu of bills, 21*l.* 5*s.* 0*d.*	91	5	0
to the sweeper of St. James's for cleaning the Court and offices below stairs, 18*l.* 5*s.* 0*d.*; for cleaning the rooms and passages above stairs, 9*l.* 2*s.* 6*d.*; for necessaries in lieu of bills, 9*l.* 2*s.* 6*d.*	36	10	0
to Jane Strow, widow, of the Scullery	12	0	0
to Robt. Gargrave, a yeoman of the carriages	40	0	0
to Jno. Snape, Yeoman of the Pantry	40	0	0
to Jeoffery Crooke, turnbroach ..	12	0	0
to Daniel Weekes, the like	12	0	0
to Mris. Mary Quatermaine, widow to Dr. Quatermaine, and his two daughters, each 40*l.* *per an.* ..	120	0	0
a set of eight coach horses to be added to the expence of the Stables for the service of the Queen Consort	420	0	0
	£1,858	15	0

Further as two of the King's Equerries, viz., Sir Theophilus Oglethorpe and John Beaumont, were settled in their places a quarter of a year before the commencement of said establishment they are hereby to be allowed 64*l.* each for the quarter ended June 24 last.

Same to the Clerk of the Signet for a privy seal for 200,000*l.* to the Earl of Ranelagh, Receiver and Paymaster of the Guards, Garrisons and Forces, as imprest for the pay and contingencies thereof. (Money warrant dated Jan. 11 hereon. Money order dated Jan. 11 hereon.) — *Ibid*, p. 264. *Money Book* VI, p. 208. *Order Book* I, p. 74.

Date.	Nature and Substance of the Entry.	Reference.
1685. Dec. 29.	Two royal sign manuals for respectively 500*l.* and 513*l.* 2*s.* 0*d.* to Henry Guy, for secret service: without account: to be issued on the privy seal dormant of Nov. 18 last. (Two money warrants dated Dec. 31 hereon. Two money orders dated Jan. 2 hereon.)	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 265. *Money Book* VI, p. 206. *Order Book.* I, p. 73.
	Henry Guy to the Auditor of the Receipt to issue as follows out of the Exchequer, viz.:	*Disposition Book* IV, pp. 119, 120.
	l. *Out of the Customs.* to the Treasurer of the Navy for the Victuallers .. .. 2,000 to ditto for sea officers and bills in course 400 to ditto for Deptford and Woolwich Yards 4,054 to the Lord Chancellor .. .. 1,000 *Out of the Excise.* to the Paymaster of the Forces .. .. 6,000 *Out of the Hearthmoney.* to the Band of Pensioners .. .. .. 3,000 *Out of the Post Office money.* to Mr. Graham for the Privy Purse .. .. 500 to me [Guy] for secret service by [way of] advance .. .. 500 *Out of the imposition on French* [sic] *wine and vinegar.* to the Treasurer of the Ordnance .. .. 1,000 *Out of the loans on the imposition on French linens etc.* to the Paymaster of the Forces 5,000	
	(Same dated same to the Customs Cashier, enclosing the paper of the disposition of the Customs cash for the present week, said paper including the above four Customs items [payable out of the Exchequer] together with the following item [payable direct out of the Customs Office on tallies] viz. 2,000*l.* to Mr. Kent and Mr. Duncombe in repayment of loan. Total disposition of the Customs, 9,454*l.*) (Same dated same to the Commissioners of Excise and Hearthmoney, enclosing the like paper of disposition of those revenues, said paper including *for the Excise* only the above Excise item and *for the Hearthmoney* the above Hearthmoney item [payable out of the Exchequer] together with the following item [payable direct out of the Hearthmoney Office on tallies] viz. 2,000*l.* to Mr. Toll in repayment of loan. Total disposition of the Excise and Hearthmoney, 11,000*l.*)	
	(Same to Mr. Stephens [Cashier to the Treasurer of the Navy] to presently send away the above 4,054*l.* for Deptford and Woolwich Yards so that they may be paid before New Year's day.)	
Dec. 30.	Same to same to issue (out of the money of the Letter Office) 513*l.* 2*s.* 0*d.* to me [Guy] for secret service by way of advance. The regular warrants for this issue shall be sent with all speed. (The like letter on the following day for 516*l.* 4*s.* 6*d.* to same out of same for same.)	*Ibid*, p. 120.
Dec. 31.	Same to the Customs Commissioners to pass, Customs free, at Chester the horses and equipage of the Earl of Clarendon, Lord Lieutenant of Ireland.	*Out Letters (General)* IX, p. 233.
1683. Nov. 21.	Copy of money order for 400*l.* to the Bishop of Chester for two years to Lady day, 1680, for the King's	*Order Book* I, p. 69.

Date.	Nature and Substance of the Entry.	Reference.
1683.	four Lancashire preachers. (See *Calendar of Treasury Books*, Vol. VII, p. 954.)	
1684. July 30.	Privy seal for allowing to Sir John Witham (who in the absence of Sir Richard Dutton, Governor of Barbados, has commanded in chief there from 1683, May 1) 600*l. per an.* being a moiety of the said Chief Governor's salary: from said 1683, May 1, for such time as said Witham shall continue Lieut.-Gov. of said island: the present privy seal being in accordance with the royal sign manual of 1682, Dec. 10, ordering that the Lieut.-Gov. of said island should have such moiety salary when resident and acting as such Deputy in the absence of the Governor. Further the said Dutton is hereby to be paid 100*l.*, without account, for providing accommodation for his retinue and baggage upon his return to the said government.	*Out Letters* (*Plantations Auditor*) I, pp. 186–7.
1684–5. Jan. 27.	Money order for 20*l.* 10*s.* 7½*d.* to Sir William Bishop *ut supra*, *Calendar of Treasury Books*, Vol. VII, p. 1483.	*Order Book* XXXIX, p. 214.
Feb. 6.	The Commissioners of the Customs in Barbados to the Customs Commissioners, London. Your letters, commissions, instructions etc. of Nov. 7 [last] by several ships only reached us in January and some only last week through want of care in Capt. Crofts. We are not [yet] entered on the actual execution of our trust as Commissioners of the Four and a Half *per cent.* duty in Barbados and of the Plantation duty under 25 Car. II, c. 7; for at the expiration of the last farm [of said Four and a Half *per cent.* duty] which was Dec. 25 last, the Governor appointed Mr. Cowley and Mr. Trant to continue commissioners till the King's pleasure should be known; and our commissions, as above, arrived in the time of Grand Sessions and other public business so that we had not time to give our securities and be sworn and the box of despatches from [brought by] Capt. Crofts could only be found yesterday. But we hope to be in execution of our trust in two or three days. "Most of those that are to be employed under us being the same that are now in, and little goods being yet ready to be shipped off we hope his Majesty's affairs cannot suffer, it not being in our power sooner to come into the employ." As John Mills is appointed Comptroller of the Four and a Half *per cent.* and the Plantation Duty he is taken off from being accomptant of the Four and a Half *per cent.* He is a most fit and able man and we have thought fit to continue him as accomptant also. An addition of 25*l. per an.* to his salary will suffice for this if he be permitted to take such fees on the Plantation Duty as by law is allowed to the Customs officers in England, but as yet neither Edwin Stede, the former collector, nor Mr. Carmichael, the Surveyor and afterwards Comptroller, did ever venture to take those fees; for all persons here are ready to complain against all officers that take even what is their right and severely punish the taking what is not so, and in the Act of 25 Car. II, c. 7, it is not distinctly stated that the officers shall take the like fees etc. [on the Plantation Duty] as in like cases in England. We pray your directions herein. Nothing in this nature [of fees etc.] will accrue to us by the Four and a Half *per cent.* duty. The Governor will give all assistance as the enforcing	*Out Letters* (*Plantations Auditor*) I, pp. 163–6.

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1684–5.	your directions touching the giving of bonds and the preventing abuses in the Plantation trade; and in our presence he ordered his nephew who is clerk of the Naval Office to join with us in giving certicates for ships. The only difficulty we believe we shall meet with in executing all your commands will be in bringing the merchants and planters to unlade their European goods etc. (which by law they may bring hither) by entering their goods with us and taking permits from us, to land their goods by, in presence of a Custom House officer, a thing never yet there [here] done nor enjoyned by any law with penalty for not doing it, as we are advised. Where we cannot punish for not complying with your commands we fear little obedience will be yielded to them, though we will do our best to bring them to it by gentle and fair means. By the first opportunity we will send you our account of the many bonds in the Naval Office, with our observations thereon. Tho former Managers of the Four and a Half *per cent.* have given orders for delivering to us all the weights [beams, scales] etc. but do not join in appraising them and receiving money for them, having no orders as they say from the late Farmers so to do.	
Feb. 7.	Constitution and appointment by the King of Sir Robert Sawyer, kt., as Attorney General to the King in all the Courts of Record in England: during pleasure. The like of Heneage Finch, esq., as Solicitor General: with the fees etc. as enjoyed by Sir Francis Winnington, kt., or any other.	*King's Warrant Book* X, p. 162.
Feb. 20.	Lord [Howard of] Effingham to Lord Godolphin *et al.*, the [late] Treasury Lords. (*See supra*, p. 221.) I have received the King's letter of 1684, July 25 (*supra*, *Calendar of Treasury Books*, Vol. VII, p. 1251) declaring how the fines, forfeitures, escheats and quit rents of this his Majesty's dominion of Virginia, which his Majesty has now bought of Lord Colepeper, shall be collected. That northern part of Virginia which is not included in his Majesty's agreement with Lord Colepeper is very much dejected that his Majesty has not extended his bounty and favour to them as he hath to the southern but that they are still under Lord Colepeper's dispose and proprietorship as to the quit rents, fines, forfeitures and escheats arising from that tract. Should not the King take this into his consideration and reduce that part to the same method the other is? You may easily judge how improper and inconvenient it will be that there should be a proprietor in the midst of his Majesty's dominion and render that part in some measure distinct from the government [of Virginia]; only his Majesty hath the worst part of it the trouble, the proprietor the advantage. And how strange it will likewise appear when any fine is laid by the Governor on any offender in those parts [if] a proprietor should claim the benefit. "Besides those of the Southern Tract will think it very hard that his Majesty's bounty bestowed on them for the benefit of the colony should any part be applied to them [in the Northern parts] when the profits arising from thence are converting into private hands: and the great charge of the country and care of the government is chiefly to secure that part, being most in danger from the northern Indians." We	*Out Letters* (*Plantations Auditor*) I, pp. 185-6.

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1684–5.	beg this to be represented to the King with our humble supplication in behalf of the inhabitants of that part.	
Mar. 5.	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to Mr. Hewer of the petition of Sir John Mordant, shewing that he brought two actions at Tangier against one Edward Roth and James Gorman and thereon recovered 900*l.* due to him from Major Fitzgerald, deceased, for money furnished to his soldiers at Tangier, the said Roth and Gormon having siezed upon said Fitzgerald's estate: as the money due to said Roth and Gorman is stopped in said Hewer's hands, prays an order to Hewer to pay same to petitioner in part of his debts.	*Reference Book* III, p. 89.
Mar. 6.	Same by same to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of Robert Levintz for renewal of his patent as searcher of Lyme Regis granted him about four years since.	*Ibid*, p. 82.
	Same by same to same of the petition of John Brett and John Waring for payment of 16*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.* for five years to 1684, Michaelmas, on their patent fee of 3*l.* 6*s.* 8*d. per an.* as searchers of Chester, "one of them being now come up to deliver in their port books which is a great charge to them."	*Ibid*, p. 94.
	Report to the King from same on the petition of John and Henry Portlocke as by the reference of Feb. 24 last from the King for pardon, they having 15 years since seen Henry Elliot clip the King's coin and concealed the fact. Petitioners were impeached before Abjohn Stoakes, a Justice of Peace for co. Wilts, by said Elliot who is since dead. Petitioners are old men.	*Warrants not Relating to Money* XI, p. 7.
Mar. 16.	Henry Guy to Mr. Blathwayt *ut supra*, p. 52, the said Gersham Browne's ship being the *Amity*.	*Out Letters* (*Plantations Auditor*) I, p. 162.
1685. May 7.	Francis Gwyn to the Revenue Commissioners, Ireland. By your report of April 25 last on the petition of Edmund Barry you certify that the office of searcher and gauger of the port of Cork is granted to Stephen and Henry Smeet by patent of Mar. 6 last. I can find no warrant at the Secretary [of State's] Office nor at the Signet Office for this patent. You are to inform the Lord Treasurer by what warrant said patent was passed.	*Out Letters* (*Ireland*) IV, p. 134.
May 11.	Henry Guy to the Commissioners of Excise and Hearthmoney returning their report on Rich. Hill's petition for the place of chief gauger, London port. You are to report what advantage such grant would be to the King.	*Out Letters* (*General*) IX, p. 136.
June 21.	Lord Howard [Governor of Virginia] to Mr. Blathwayt. I have sent herewith to the Treasury Lords an accompt of my proceedings as to the collection of the quit rents for this year which I was forced to suffer to be after the former method of 2*d.* per £, for the King's instructions came so late to my hands that had I not at a General Court taken order with the sheriffs to collect it the King [would have] had none this year, for every person by reason of the scarcity of tobacco collected their debts or secured them as soon as possible. I suppose they were likewise sold to good advantage for I have bills of exchange from every person though most have	*Out Letters* (*Plantations Auditor*) I, pp. 178–80.

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1685.	received half the [usual crop of] tobacco. I have now made public at the last General Court the King's letter concerning the payment of quit rents and escheats in money and have taken order accordingly that all persons provide so to do, but I find it is impossible for a thorough compliance, here being so little money in the country and so many having no trade or correspondence with England. But it will be all one for I can sell them [*i.e.* payments in tobacco] to those that will give good bills of exchange, if they pay *ad valorem ;* and so [long as] the price be set by the governor of tobacco, that will amount to as much. But as to the escheats I have not as yet pursued the method prescribed in the King's letter: the reasons I have set down to the Treasury Lords. If you peruse the last journal of the Assembly you will find how ungrateful the method was to the people and how they insisted on the benefit of their charter, though I am now sensible that it takes no place [effect] till Lord Colepeper's grant expires and so (as you intimate) the King may very legally take them in the same manner during that term. But the difference will be so small that I believe it will not be judged worth the altering it from the method it is now in which, since that Assembly, has been at the rate of 2 lb. of tobacco for an acre. The Secretary assures me that when he was employed by Lord Colepeper, and made any commission for an escheat he brought it as near as he could to the value of 2*d.* [*sic ?* for 2 lb.] per acre, except some few my Lord gratified his servants with, who rated them high and as I may say sold them by inch of candle. Besides all people will never know or consider the King's right herein, but judge it an imposition and so may raise dissatisfaction. These are my sentiments, but I will perform what I am ordered. From Lord Colepeper's account to the Treasury you appear to judge the escheats to be very valuable. I fear, nay, know, they will much fall short of that ; for the reason why they were so considerable to Lord Colepeper was that the office had not been open in many years before he came to his government and when it was he made the best of it. As to those warrants which he said he signed for inquisition as to escheated lands the Auditor and the Secretary assure me that most of them were found not to escheat or [had been] compounded for before. I confess, if the Northern Neck be bought and appropriated as the Southern is, there the escheats will be very considerable, those inhabitants having not had any office [inquiry] of that nature open these many years, nor any patents for lands issued out, so that they are as to that in great dissatisfaction. Many have been with me, but I will not meddle with it in the least. And as to what my Lord relates as to the estates of Arnold and Bacon, the rebels in the rebellion, there has been but 1,100 [lb.] weight of tobacco received this year and that was [to be] had for himself by the person employed to follow that business by my Lord [Colepeper] he being employed by Sir William Berkeley and my Lord and continued by me, but [he] never had any satisfaction as yet so that by the time his demands are satisfied and desperate debts discounted there will be little or nothing to the King. What there is I will be accomptable for. There was a mill of	

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1685.	Arnold's but it has been lately burned with all the materials. Finding that the produce of the quit rents and other profits (granted by the King to the country) is to be disposed of by orders from the Treasury Board I have represented to the Board the necessity of raising 20 men with a captain and a cornet to be continually in a readiness, here being nothing to put a stop to the least disorder if any should happen. Let the plant cutting be a testimony of the necessity of them. The revenue will now bear the charge, being not above 500*l.* *per an.* and I am sure the addition to the revenue will next year be 1,200*l.* besides the advantage we all hope from the Northern Neck. It is a great disgrace to the King and government that in so considerable a place as this there should be no one in the King's pay for the defence of the government and the more secure ensuring his Majesty's revenue which had been lessened greatly by the late disorders which had been easily stopped at first. I have ordered the Auditor to send you the accompt of 2*s.* per hogshead as also the accompt of the quit rents as they will amount this year if God send us a prosperous year. They will be more than double the next besides the escheats and the fines and forfeitures which I believe will be worth above 100*l.* *per an.* when all those that are laid in the County Courts are converted to the King's use, as I intend to have an Act passed in the next Assembly that they shall. But at present they are accomptable for to the Courts in which they are levied [and] for public uses. Lord Colepeper left great arrears to be paid: having the benefit of everything he was unwilling to pay any salaries, viz. to the gunner at Fort James, where most of the ships ride [there is an arrear of] four years' salary at 20*l.* *per an.* (I have reduced him to 15*l.* [*per an.*] with promise that he shall be paid) and three years' salary to Mr. Jennings, the King's Attorney General, at 20*l.* *per an.* which certainly is too small for that place, especially [if] not paid. I have paid him whilst I have been here and have promised his arrears, here being but little [private legal] business for him to advantage himself and to support that place. I hope next year's revenue will clear all [arrears] and settle a fund in the country. I have desired of the Treasury Lords that we may have 40 cases of pistols and holsters sent in for the use of the country, here being not any to be got. If there be any despatches or orders in relation to the Assembly which I intend to have about the beginning of October, send them by the first ship that I may have time to consider. It is much against my will to have had one [Assembly] could I have avoided it but am forced to it for the payment of the soldiers which range for security against the Indians. "I will put [*sic ?* pull] hard again the next Assembly to get an Act that the Governor and Council may have power to lay a levy to such a proportion that we may not so frequently be troubled with Assemblies." I have not signed the warrant for 700*l.* to Lord Colepeper. It is the Auditor who is the creditor, he having discharged [paid] the sloop and the soldiers' quarters. Send me word whether Lord Colepeper will insist on his right to the government of Virginia, as that is not	

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1685.	included in the King's agreement with him. I think it very requisite that the nomination of the Clerk of the Assembly be in the Governor. Let me have an order to this effect, if thought fit, before the next Assembly.	
June 23.	Dormant warrant by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Cashier to pay the salary or allowance of 380*l.* *per an.* from Lady day last to Nathll. Lodington, Consul at Tripoli: as by the privy seal of April 29 last.	*Money Book* VI, p. 112.
July 2.	Reference by same to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of William Singleton for a tidesman's place, London port, he having some years since served on a frigate under Sir Tho. Allen and since as ma[ste]r of several merchant ships in which time he has discovered several ways and tricks amongst seamen to cheat the King in his Customs.	*Reference Book* III, p. 202.
July 31.	Same by same to the Auditor of the Receipt of the petition of the Earl of Chesterfield *et al.* executors of Charles Henry, late Earl of Bellomont: shewing that said Earl left a small estate not sufficient to discharge the incumbrances and did contract great debts by reason of the loss of his offices in Holland upon his refusal to take the oath imposed by the States when his late Majesty was engaged in a war with them; and a great part of his fortune left him by his mother, the late Countess of Chesterfield, being in the late King's hands he was deprived of the receipt of same by the shutting up of the Exchequer: that there is due to him 13,463*l.* 7*s.* 0*d.* by privy seal and two orders on the Customs and Hearthmoney besides 6,000*l.* granted him by Charles II of which 1,000*l.* was paid him by Treasurer Danby, thus leaving 18,463*l.* 7*s.* still due: therefore pray payment thereof.	*Ibid.*
Aug. 19.	Extract of a letter from Col. Stede [from Barbados to William Blathwaite]. I hope to send you by the next my accompt and that I shall make some further discoveries of those accidental revenues to the King's benefit. I make no doubt thereof if the Lord Treasurer will allow to the informer some part of the recovery such as 2*s.* in the £, and the like to the Attorney General, who is a very diligent, honest and loyal gentleman, but never yet received any fees for any recovery he made for his Majesty's use. If this allowance be granted, besides the ordinary fees and charges to the several officers, I make no doubt but many things would be discovered and recovered that lie concealed.	*Out Letters* (*Plantations Auditor*) I, p. 183.
Oct. 15.	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners of the proposal as follows from B. D. and E. traders in English bone lace and needlework. *Prefixing:* said proposal: shewing that notwithstanding the several statutes in the reigns of Ric. III Edw. IV, Hen. VII, Elizabeth and Charles II, against the importation of bone lace and needlework great quantities are daily imported to the diminution of the Customs and the ruin of many thousand families: which evil is like to continue unless particular persons be appointed to see said laws put in execution: therefore propose to give to the	*Reference Book* III, p. 203.

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1685.	King for seven years 50 *per cent.* increase of the Customs of fine thread commonly called Nuns' or Sisters' thread, than same have amounted to by a medium of seven years past; and the like advancement on the King's share of penalties: they will pay quarterly and advance half a year's rent as security without altering the methods or intermedling with the management of the Customs, otherwise than by receiving the duty that appears due after inspection of the books [of the Custom House]; they to have power by commission or proclamation to see the laws relating thereto duly executed and power to prosecute transgressors herein.	
Oct. 26.	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to Sir Robert Howard *et al.* of their report dated May 30 last, on the petition *supra*, p. 91, of Mr. Jodrell, Clerk of the House of Commons; and said Jodrell's answer thereto.	*Reference Book* III, p. 222.
	Same by same to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of Geo. Ribton, master and owner of the ship *Freeman* of Whitehaven, shewing that he compounded for the seizure of his ship for 95*l.*; prays remission of the King's share of the fine, being a poor man with a great family.	*Ibid*, p. 228.
Oct. 28.	Same by same to same of the petition of Edward Chafin for two years' arrears of salary as deputy to the Earl of Clarendon, William Chiffinch and Martin Folkes as one of the two searchers at Gravesend in trust for Thomas Chiffinch, a minor, who is now come to act for himself.	*Ibid*, p. 230.
Nov. 14.	Extract of a letter [from Virginia] from Lord [Howard of] Effingham to Mr. Blathwayt. I have received yours by way of New England, together with the book of the late Presbyterian plot and the happy news of the King's victory over the rebels and that they were so soon brought to condign punishment: which revived the hearts of all good subjects here, being before much terrified with reports to the contrary from New England which so far emboldened very many that their tongues run at large and demonstrated the wickedness of their hearts, till I secured some and deterred others from spreading such false reports by my proclamation; which plainly shows the necessity of raising those 20 men I formerly intimated to you, p. 509 *supra*, which I am now doing by the advice of the Council, that there may be at least the face of a force to resist any commotion if any should happen, which God forbid. And truly the late additional imposition on tobacco [in England] has so disturbed the planters here, either by the not right apprehending the Act or by their fears that their Diana and sole commodity will down and come to nothing, that it is difficult to persuade them otherwise.	*Out Letters* (*Plantations Auditor*) I, p. 184.
Nov. 20.	Reference by Treasurer Rochester to the Customs Commissioners of the petition of Tho. Gattford for a noontender's place in the Custom House [London].	*Reference Book* III, p. 274.
	Same by same to the Attorney General of the petition of Charles Garrett offering to confess the information against him for cutting the King's timber in Braywood, co. Berks, and praying not to lose his interest in Braywood which he claims by assignment from the Duke of Norfolk for the remainder of a 31 years' term, petitioner having paid 900*l.* for the premises.	*Ibid*, p. 253.

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